

Transportation Committee - Board of Representatives

Robert "Gabe" DeLuca, Chair Terry Adams, Vice Chair

Committee Report

Date: Wednesday, April 29, 2015

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Place: Republican Caucus Room, 4th Floor, Government Center, 888

Washington Boulevard

The Transportation Committee met at the above time and place. In attendance were Chair DeLuca and Committee Member Reps. Adams, Giordano, Di Costanzo, Kolenberg, Moore and Pratt. Absent or excused were Committee Member Reps. Franzetti and Kooris. Also present were Jim Hricay, OPM; Ernie Orgera, Director of Operations; Frank Fedeli, Operations.

Chair DeLuca called the meeting to order at 6:05 p.m. Chair DeLuca opened the Public Hearing at 6:05 and closed the public hearing there being no one from the public to speak.

Item No.	Description	Committee Action
1. <u>T29.027</u>	ORDINANCE for Public Hearing and Final Adoption; Amending Sec. 231-28, No Through Truck Ordinance, to provide that the Board of Representatives conduct the public hearing instead of the Traffic Authority. 12/27/14 – Submitted by Rep. DeLuca 01/12/15 – Held at Steering 02/17/15 – Held in Committee 03/17/15 – Approved by Committee	Committee Approved 5-0-1

A motion to approve this item was made, seconded and approved by a vote of 5-0-1 (Reps. Deluca, Kolenberg, Di Costanzo, Giordano, and Pratt in favor; Adams abstained)

2. <u>T29.028</u>	RESOLUTION and <u>public hearing</u> ; Increasing the Hours of Parking Meter Enforcement. 11/20/14 – Submitted by Rep. DeLuca 01/22/15 –Held in Committee	Committee Approved 6-0-0
	03/17/15 – Approved by Committee	

A motion to approve this item was made, seconded and approved by a unanimous vote of 6-0-0 (Reps. Deluca, Adams, Kolenberg, Di Costanzo, Giordano, and Pratt in favor)

3. T29.029

ORDINANCE for publication; Amending Chapter 231, Article I, Miscellaneous Provisions, Section 231-7, Parking Violation Penalties, to Provide for

Approved 6-0-0

New Fines for Parking Violations.

11/20/14 - Submitted by Reps. DeLuca and Franzetti

01/22/15 -Held in Committee

02/17/15 – Approved by Committee

03/02/15 - Held in Committee by Full Board

03/17/15 - Approved by Committee

04/06/15 - Amended by Full Board

A motion to approve this item was made, seconded and approved by a unanimous vote of 6-0-0 (Reps. Deluca, Adams, Kolenberg, Di Costanzo, Giordano, and Pratt in favor)

4. T29.034

REVIEW; Imposition of penalty for creation of illegal fire lanes.

Report Made

Committee

03/17/15 - Submitted by Ernie Orgera

Mr. Orgera spoke briefly about the concerns of illegal fire lanes around the city of Stamford. Mr. Orgera passed out a list of approved fire lanes along with the City Ordinance regarding creating fire lanes. The Fire Marshall bought this to his attention but was unable to attend the meeting tonight. Mr. Orgera will meet with the Fire Marshal to discuss in detail methods to improve this situation and bring this back to the Transportation committee.

5. T29.035

REVIEW; Amending Chapter 231, Article V to provide for alternate side of the street parking during snow emergencies. 03/17/15 - Submitted by Ernie Orgera

Report Made

Mr. Orgera asked for the Board to consider establishing alternate side of the street parking during snow emergencies. Mr. Orgera passed out a list of streets (with pictures) that are hard to plow during storms. Mr. Orgera would like to come back next month with a draft ordinance to present to the Board.

6. T29.036

ORDINANCE for publication; Amending Chapter 231 to increase the Class of Certain Parking Violations.

Committee Approved 7-0-0

03/13/15 - Submitted by Jim Hricay

A motion to approve this item was made, seconded and approved by a unanimous vote of 7-0-0 (Reps. Deluca, Adams, Kolenberg, Di Costanzo, Giordano, Moore and Pratt in favor)

Chair DeLuca adjourned the meeting at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Gabe Deluca, Chair

This meeting is on video.