



Public Works Agenda Item

Meeting Date: August 11, 2026

Agenda Item: Indian Mound Parkway Truck Traffic

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BACKGROUND

(Enter the who, what when, where, why)

At a recent Public Works Committee meeting, Alderperson Schanen requested the topic of truck traffic on Indian Mound Parkway be placed on a future agenda.

Here is the current city ordinance referencing Heavy Traffic Routes:

11.32.010 - Use by heavy traffic prohibited.

(a) Heavy traffic is prohibited on all streets in the city except Janesville Street, South Franklin Street, North Tratt Street, Business Highway 12, and state and federal highway routes through the city; provided that the ordinary use of the streets for the purpose of obtaining orders for and carrying of supplies and other necessary things to and from any one place or residence fronting on the streets is excepted from the provisions of this section.

(b) In this section, "heavy traffic" means all vehicles not operating completely on pneumatic tires and all vehicles or combination of vehicles, other than motor buses, designed or suited for transporting property of any nature and having a gross weight of more than six thousand pounds.

(c) Any person who violates the provisions of this chapter shall, upon conviction thereof, be subject to a penalty of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more than two hundred dollars for the first offense, together with the costs of prosecution; and on second and subsequent offenses within one year, not less than fifty dollars nor more than two hundred fifty dollars, together with the costs of prosecution.

Currently, there is a No Truck Traffic Allowed sign just south of W. Main Street for southbound traffic on Indian Mound Parkway and a No Truck Traffic Allowed sign on the southern tip of the median island on Indian Mound Parkway at Walworth Avenue for northbound traffic. There is also a No Truck Traffic Allowed sign just east of Highway 12 on Walworth Avenue for eastbound traffic.

PREVIOUS ACTIONS – COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

(Dates, committees, action taken)

N/A

FINANCIAL IMPACT

(If none, state N/A)

N/A

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff has no recommendation at this time.

ATTACHMENT(S) INCLUDED

(If none, state N/A)

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