
**THE CITY OF BLUE ISLAND
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

**ORDINANCE
NUMBER 2018-053**

**AN ORDINANCE RESTRICTING A PORTION OF A CERTAIN
STREET FOR HANDICAPPED PARKING ONLY AT
13427 REXFORD STREET WITHIN THE CITY OF BLUE ISLAND,
COUNTY OF COOK AND STATE OF ILLINOIS AND PROVIDING
PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF.**

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Randy Heuser, City Clerk**

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WHEREAS, it is the public policy of the State of Illinois, as enunciated in the State Constitution, that handicapped persons are entitled to enjoy the fruits of a full and meaningful life; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Blue Island hereby declare that it is the public policy of the city to encourage and assist handicapped persons to participate fully in the social and economic life of our community; and

WHEREAS, to implement such policy the Mayor and City Council of the City of Blue Island recognize it is desirable to restrict certain portions of the public ways within the City of Blue Island for handicapped parking only;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Blue Island, County of Cook and State of Illinois, as follows:

SECTION ONE

That this portion of the street within the City of Blue Island, as hereinafter designated, is hereby restricted for handicapped parking only:

- a) On the east side of Rexford Street in front of the residence whose common address is 13427 Rexford Street (one space consisting of a total of twenty (20') feet)
(Homeowner has requested that the Handicap Sign be placed on the Des Plaines side of the house)

SECTION TWO

Appropriate signs shall be erected by the Superintendent of Public Works on the portion of the street designated above informing the public that parking thereon is restricted or permitted as hereinabove provided for.

SECTION THREE

The operator of any vehicle violating or failing to comply with the provisions of this ordinance shall upon conviction be fined not less than Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) nor more than Three Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$350.00) for each offense.

SECTION FOUR

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

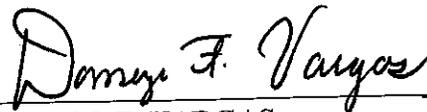
SECTION FIVE

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication in pamphlet form as provided by law. A full, true and complete copy of this ordinance shall be published in pamphlet form, by authority of the City Council as Corporate Authorities.

ADOPTED this 25th day of September, 2018, pursuant to a roll call vote as follows:

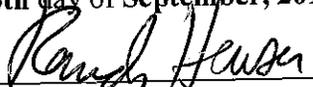
	YES	NO	ABSENT	PRESENT	ABSTAIN
Alderman Hawley	X				
Alderman Poulos	X				
Alderman Vieyra	X				
Alderman Bilotto	X				
Alderman Rita	X				
Alderman Donahue	X				
Alderman Carr	X				
Alderman Slattery	X				
Alderman Ostling	X				
Alderman Pittman	X				
Alderman Johnson	X				
Alderman Frausto	X				
Alderman Thompson	X				
Alderman Fahrenwald	X				
Mayor Vargas					
TOTAL	14				

APPROVED by the Mayor on September 25, 2018.



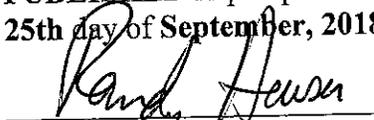
DOMINGO F. VARGAS
MAYOR OF THE CITY OF BLUE ISLAND,
COUNTY OF COOK AND STATE OF ILLINOIS

ATTESTED and Filed in my office this
25th day of September, 2018.



RANDY HEUSER
CITY CLERK

PUBLISHED in pamphlet form this
25th day of September, 2018.



RANDY HEUSER
CITY CLERK

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
)
COUNTY OF COOK) ss.

CERTIFICATE

I, Randy Heuser, certify that I am the duly elected and acting Municipal Clerk of the City of Blue Island of Cook County, Illinois.

I further certify that on **September 25, 2018** the Corporate Authorities of such municipality passed and approved Ordinance No. **2018 - 053** entitled: **AN ORDINANCE RESTRICTING A PORTION OF A CERTAIN STREET FOR HANDICAPPED PARKING ONLY AT 13427 REXFORD STREET WITHIN THE CITY OF BLUE ISLAND, COUNTY OF COOK AND STATE OF ILLINOIS AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF.**

Which provided by its terms that it should be published in pamphlet form.

The pamphlet form of Ordinance No. **2018 - 053** including the Ordinance and a cover sheet thereof, was as prepared, and a copy of such Ordinance posted in the municipal building commencing **September 25, 2018** and continuing for at least ten days thereafter. Copies of such Ordinance were also available for public inspection upon request in the office of the municipal clerk.

DATED at Blue Island, Illinois, this **25th** day of **September, 2018.**

(SEAL)



Municipal Clerk



City of Blue Island
13051 S. Greenwood Avenue
Blue Island, IL 60406
www.blueisland.org

September 20, 2018

Request for Handicapped Parking Signage

Introduction/Purpose

Resident has requested the installation of handicapped parking signage in front of the parkway of his residence.

Discussion/Highlights

A request for installation of handicapped signage has been initiated by Mr. Apolonio Rodriguez, a resident at 13427 Rexford. The property is a single family home with a garage in the back. The applicant suffers from osteoarthritis making it very difficult to walk.

Conclusion

An interview was conducted with the applicant's son. He stated his father is 93 years old, has severe arthritis and recently had a triple bypass. He walks with a cane in addition to family assistance. He also mentioned it would be much easier to park out front but there is never available space. His request is to place the signage on the Des Plaines side of the house in front of the parkway sidewalk.

City of Blue Island Handicap Parking Sign Checklist

Applicant: Apolonio Rodriguez Address: 13427 Rexford

The City of Blue Island offers Handicap Parking for its residents that have a permanent Handicap Parking Placard.

The Resident must fill out the application for Residential Handicap Parking Space and get their doctor to fill out the applicable section of the form.

Completed Application form received? Date Received 09/18/18

Copy of Permanent Handicap placard received? Date Received 09/18/18

Once the form and copy of placard are submitted to the Clerk's Office, City Staff will visit the address to verify the following:

Is there a driveway? Yes

Is there a garage? Yes

Is there a fire hydrant in front of the residence? No

If the answer to ALL of these questions is no, both Aldermen of the Ward will be notified of the request and it can be sent to the City Attorney to draft an ordinance.

2 Ward

Aldermen notified? 9/20/18 Date of Notification

Attorney notified? 9/20/18 Date of Notification

If the answer to ANY of the questions is yes, it will have to go to Judiciary Committee to make the decision based on individual circumstances.

Person Completing Inspection: Mark Miller Date: 9/20/18