ORDINANCE 2021-1159

MEETING: January 5, 2021

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Mike Healy, Public Works Director

RE: Amend Ordinance 10.08.020 Seasonal No Parking on Individual Street Segments in Fish Camp

RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

Waive the Second Reading and Adopt "An Ordinance Amending Section 10.08.020 of the Mariposa County Code titled 'Stopping, Parking, or Standing Prohibited Where' by Adding Seasonal Provisions for Forest Drive Railroad Avenue, Laurel Way, Fish Camp Lane, and Silvertip Lane as Subsections T through X"

The new Subsections T - X shall read as follows:

Stopping, parking or standing prohibited

T. On either side of the road on Forest Drive from the intersection of Summit Road to Summit Road from November 1 through May 1 annually.

U. On either side of the road on Railroad Avenue from the intersection of Laurel to the end of Railroad Avenue from November 1 through May 1 annually.

V. On either side of the road on Laurel Way from the intersection of Railroad Avenue to the end of Laurel Way from November 1 through May 1 annually.

W. On either side of the road on Fish Camp Lane from the intersection of Highway 41 to the end of Fish Camp Lane from November 1 through May 1 annually.

X. On either side of the road on the entire length of Silvertip Lane from November 1 through May 1 annually.

The Board traditionally acts favorably when asked to consider Parking Ordinances that enhance the public safety either to pedestrians or vehicular traffic.

Recently the Board passed a similar Ordinance restricting Parking, Standing or Stopping on Highway 41 in the Fish Camp community due to traffic safety hazards caused by persons parking in the area near the US Forest Service (USFS) Goat Meadows Snow Play Area. Public safety and numerous resident complaints regarding traffic safety due to parking on adjacent streets are the motivation behind this action.
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BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

On November 10, 2020 the Board of Supervisors passed Ordinance 2020-1156 restricting parking on Highway 41 in this general area due to traffic and pedestrian safety concerns, this action will address similar concerns in specific residential areas of the Fish Camp community.

The Board introduced this ordinance on December 15, 2020.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If the Board does not approve, the ordinance will not continue in the process. No modifications can be made once an ordinance is introduced, consequently, any alterations desired after introduction would require the ordinance be re-introduced (at a new first reading) before the ordinance could be adopted at a second reading.

ATTACHMENTS:
Ord Amendment Seasonal No Parking Fish Camp (PDF)
Ord 10 08 020 HWY 41 (PDF)
Summary of Proposed Ord - Fish Camp Seasonal Parking(PDF)

RESULT: ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Miles Menetrey, District V Supervisor
SECONDER: Rosemarie Smallcombe, District I Supervisor
AYES: Sweeney, Forsythe, Smallcombe, Long, Menetrey
MARIPOSA COUNTY ORDINANCE - 1159

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 10.08.020 OF THE MARIPOSA COUNTY CODE ENTITLED, STOPPING, PARKING, OR STANDING PROHIBITED

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors desire to Establish a No Parking area between the dates of November 1 through May 1 annually on both sides of the street on Railroad Avenue from the intersection of Laurel to the end of Railroad Avenue; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of this Ordinance is the preservation of public peace, health and safety in the area described below; and

WHEREAS, parking in this area is hazardous both to the traveling public but also creates a safety hazard for the residents of this area of Railroad Avenue.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mariposa does ordain as follows:

SECTION I: Section 10.08.020 entitled “Stopping, parking or standing prohibited”, shall be amended by adding Subsections T-X which shall read as follows:

10.08.020 Stopping, parking or standing prohibited where

No person shall stop, park or leave standing any vehicle, whether attended or unattended, in any of the following places:

T. On either side of the road on Forest Drive from the intersection of Summit Road to Summit Road from November 1 through May 1 annually.

U. On either side of the road on Railroad Avenue from the intersection of Laurel to the end of Railroad Avenue from November 1 through May 1 annually.

V. On either side of the road on Laurel Way from the intersection of Railroad Avenue to the end of Laurel Way from November 1 through May 1 annually.

W. On either side of the road on Fish Camp Lane from the intersection of HWY. 41 to the end of Fish Camp Lane from November 1 through May 1 annually.

X. On either side of the road on the entire length of Silvertip Lane from November 1 through May 1 annually.

SECTION II: This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after final passage pursuant to the provisions of Government Code Section 25123.
PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County this 5th day of January 2020 by the following vote:

AYES: SMALLCOMBE, SWEENEY, LONG, FORSYTHE, MENETREY

NOES: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

ABSTAINED: NONE

MARSHALL LONG, CHAIR
Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

RENE LA ROCHE
Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

STEPHEN W. DAHLEM
County Counsel