

ORDINANCE NO. 2017-105

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE MAP ATTACHED TO CHAPTER 358, TITLED "PARKING METERS" OF THE KENT CODIFIED ORDINANCES, TO REFLECT THE ADDITION OF PARKING METERS ON NORTH DEPEYSTER STREET, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City of Kent wants to continue to help downtown businesses by turning over additional street parking more often than currently happens by amending Ordinance 2014-122, and the map attached thereto; and

WHEREAS, business owners have asked for help in creating more short term parking; and

WHEREAS, the Parking Action Committee and staff have recommended the installation of parking meters in additional designated areas of downtown Kent as shown on amended Exhibit "A", as a partial solution to the short-term parking issue; and

WHEREAS, Amending the map to Chapter 358 will allow for the installation, regulation and maintenance of additional parking meters; and

WHEREAS, approving this Ordinance immediately allows work to begin immediately on the installation of the parking meters.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Kent, Portage County, Ohio, at least three-fourths (3/4) of all members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1. That the proposed amendment to the map for Chapter 358, "Parking Meters", a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A", and made a part hereof, is hereby adopted as a part of the City of Kent, Ohio Traffic Code.

SECTION 2. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council, and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements of Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 3. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the residents of this City, for which reason and other reasons manifest to this Council this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and shall take effect and be in force immediately after passage.

PASSED: September 20, 2017
Date



Jerry T. Fiala
Mayor and President of Council

EFFECTIVE: September 20, 2017
Date

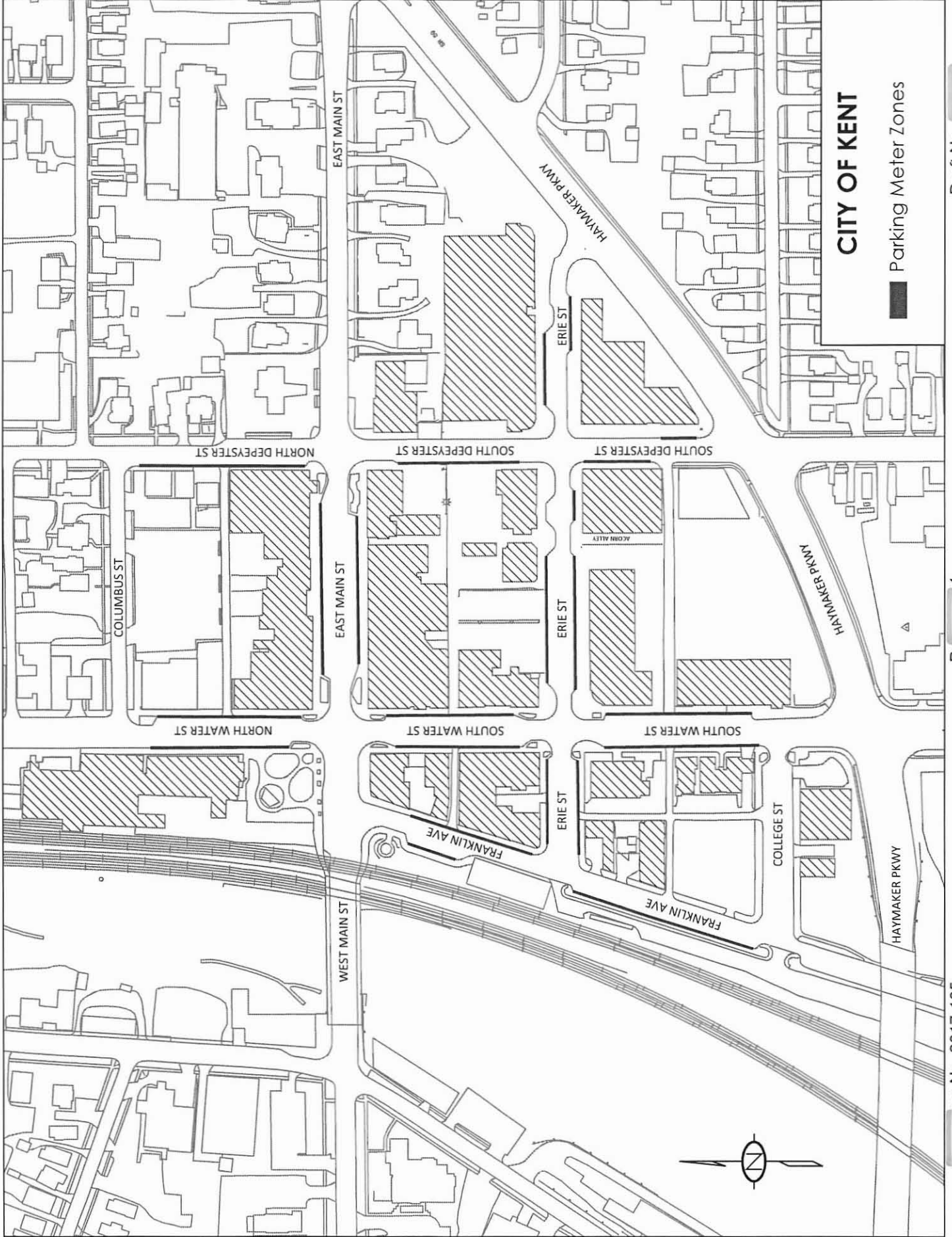
ATTEST: 

Tara Grimm, CMC
Clerk of Council

I, TARA GRIMM, CLERK OF COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF KENT, COUNTY OF PORTAGE, AND STATE OF OHIO, AND IN WHOSE CUSTODY THE ORIGINAL FILES AND RECORDS OF SAID COUNCIL ARE REQUIRED TO BE KEPT BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF OHIO, HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE AND EXACT COPY OF *ORDINANCE No.* _____, ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KENT ON _____, 2017.

TARA GRIMM, CMC
CLERK OF COUNCIL
(SEAL)

EXHIBIT "A"



CITY OF KENT

■ Parking Meter Zones