

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE INSTALLATION OF STOP SIGNS ALONG
NORTHBOUND AND SOUTHBOUND VERMONT STREET AT ITS INTERSECTION
WITH WILSON AVENUE IN THE CITY OF ROLLING MEADOWS, ILLINOIS**

WHEREAS, Section 11-208 of the Illinois Vehicle Code (625 ILCS 5/11-208) expressly empowers the corporate authorities of the City of Rolling Meadows to regulate motor vehicle traffic with respect to every way publicly maintained open to the use of the public for purposes of vehicular travel under its exclusive jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, included in that regulatory power and additionally in Sections 11-302 and 11-304 of the Illinois Vehicle Code (625 ILCS 5/11-302 and 11-304) are express grants of authority to the City Council to designate certain publicly maintained ways as stop intersections; and

WHEREAS, following the filing of a resident petition and due to an increased community concern about speeding and high-volume traffic along northbound and southbound Vermont Street in Rolling Meadows at its intersection with Wilson Avenue, the Chief of Police for the City of Rolling Meadows authorized and directed the installation of temporary stop signs at the subject intersection, pursuant to Chapter 106, Section 106.2 of the City Code; and

WHEREAS, since the installation of the temporary stop signs, the flow of traffic has been enhanced at the subject intersection and City staff and the Police Department are recommending that the City Council authorize the permanent installation of stop signs along northbound and southbound Vermont Street at its intersection with Wilson Avenue, in the City of Rolling Meadows; and

WHEREAS, in the opinion of a majority of the corporate authorities of the City of Rolling Meadows, it is advisable, necessary and in the public interest that the City Council authorize the installation of stop signs along northbound and southbound Vermont Street at its intersection with Wilson Avenue, in the City of Rolling Meadows.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Rolling Meadows, Cook County, Illinois as follows:

SECTION ONE: The facts and statements contained in the preamble clauses to this Ordinance are found to be true and correct and are hereby adopted as part of this Ordinance.

SECTION TWO: It is found that the installation of stop signs along northbound and southbound Vermont Street at its intersection with Wilson Avenue, in the City of Rolling Meadows, Illinois will improve traffic conditions on Vermont Street.

SECTION THREE: In addition to stops required at other intersections and locations in the City of Rolling Meadows, the intersection of Vermont Street and Wilson Avenue in the City of Rolling Meadows, Cook County, Illinois, is designated as a stop intersection for northbound and southbound traffic along Vermont Street, and the proper stop signs shall be installed at the

corner of said intersection directing northbound and southbound vehicles on Vermont Street to stop in the manner prescribed by law.

SECTION FOUR: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of Rolling Meadows, Cook County, Illinois this 22nd day of August, 2023.

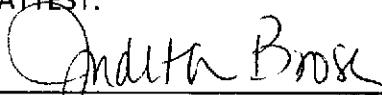
AYES: Koehler, McHale, Budmats, O'Brien, Boucher, Reyez

NAYS:

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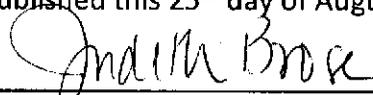


Lara Sanoica, Mayor

ATTEST:


Judith Brose, Deputy City Clerk

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