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ROCKY MOUNT CITY COUNCIL

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING

MONDAY, APRIL 13, 2020

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**MONDAY, APRIL 13, 2020
5:00 PM**

AGENDA

1. Timed Parking Limits Near Rocky Mount Event Center Brad Kerr
2. Recommendations for Public Service Awards Cynthia Jones
3. Closed Session
Personnel
Attorney – Client Privilege

MEMORANDUM

Committee of the Whole



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To: Elton Daniels, Assistant City Manager 

Cc: Steve Yetman, Assistant City Engineer/Transportation

From: Brad Kerr, Director of Public Works

Date: 03/18/2020

Re: Timed Parking Limits near the Event Center

Timed parking limits near the Event Center have been reviewed and the following attachments are provided for review:

1. Map of existing timed parking limits
2. Map of proposed timed parking limits

Approximate locations that are proposed with a new time limit:

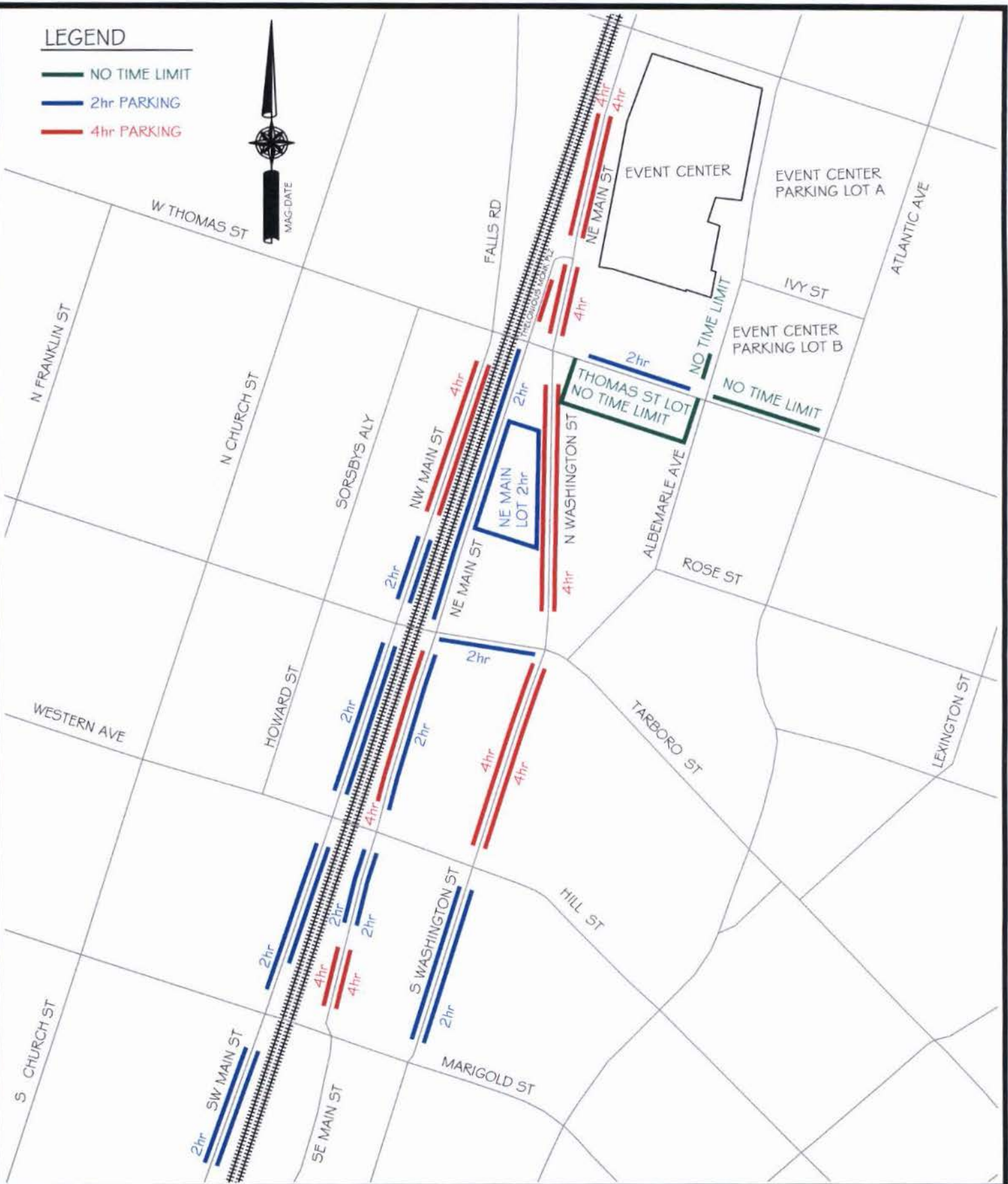
- a. NE Main Street (both sides), from E. Thomas Street to Goldleaf Street - 1 hr
- b. Thelonius Monk Plaza (east side), from E. Thomas St north to NE Main St - 1 hr
- c. E. Thomas Street (north side), from Albemarle Avenue to Atlantic Avenue - 2 hr
- d. Albemarle Ave (west side), from a point 65' north of E. Thomas St north for 45' - 2 hr
- e. Thomas Street parking lot - 2 hr
- f. N. Washington Street (both sides), from E. Thomas St to Tarboro St - 2 hr
- g. NW Main Street (both sides), from W. Thomas St south for 215 feet - 2 hr

Should the proposed timed parking limits be acceptable, the Public Works Department will submit a request for City Council to approve parking ordinances for these locations.

If you need additional information, please let me know.

LEGEND

- NO TIME LIMIT
- 2hr PARKING
- 4hr PARKING



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EXISTING TIMED PARKING LIMITS

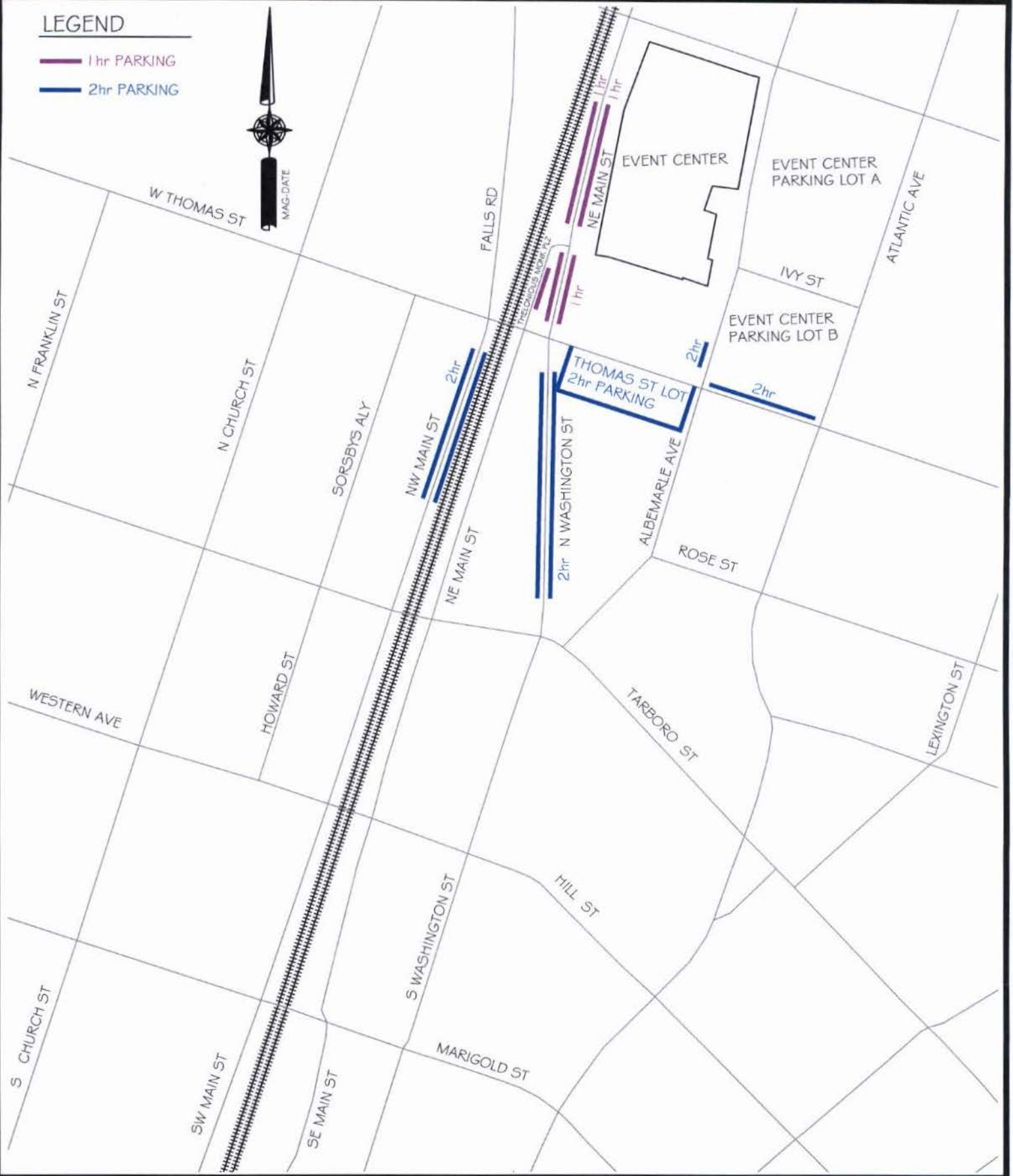
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MARCH 19, 2020

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LEGEND

- 1 hr PARKING
- 2hr PARKING



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PROPOSED TIMED PARKING LIMITS

Scale: 1" = 300'

MARCH 19, 2020


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MEMORANDUM



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To: Natasha S. Hampton, Assistant City Manager 

Cc: Cynthia T. Jones, Director of Community & Business Development

From: Cornelia L. McGee, Community Development Administrator

Date: 3/24/20

Re: Recommendation for Public Service Awards

Issue: The City of Rocky Mount's CDBG public service allocation for FY19/20 was \$84,144. The City has received 9 proposals seeking \$291,890 in funding. Approval of the funding recommendations is requested from the Rocky Mount City Council.

Background: The total amount of CDBG funds obligated for public service activities must not exceed 15 percent of the annual grant allocation. A request for proposals was issued to local nonprofit organizations from February 3, 2020 to March 6, 2020. A public notice was published in the local newspaper for three weeks and posted on the City's web-page. According to HUD guidelines, all proposals must meet the primary objective of the CDBG program: the development of viable urban communities by providing decent housing and a sustainable living environment and expanding economic opportunities for persons of low and moderate income.

Service providers are required to meet the following criteria:

- A non-profit organization with federal 501(c)(3) tax-exempt status, a government entity, or a faith-based organization;
- Directly serve Rocky Mount neighborhoods or households;
- At least three years of experience assisting low- and moderate- income households or neighborhoods.

Eligible CDBG activities include:

- Housing counseling including landlord/tenant housing rights counseling and mediation and fair housing outreach, counseling, and investigation;
- Homelessness prevention;
- Health services, including primary health, substance abuse treatment, mental health, and counseling programs;
- Crime prevention;
- Employment services, including job assessment, training, and placement;

- Day care or recreational services for children, youth, and older adults;
- Other human services to alleviate poverty.

CDBG funding priorities for the City of Rocky Mount have included:

- Job training
- Foreclosure counseling and housing counseling
- Homelessness
- Youth development

Recommendation: Staff is recommending funding to support United Community Ministries, the Rocky Mount Edgecombe Community Development Corporation, the Boys and Girls Club of the Tar River Region, and Ripple Effects. All but one of these organizations have received CDBG funding from the City of Rocky Mount in recent years. They have continually met their program goals and the national CDBG program objective. Ripple Effects is a new CDBG funding recipient that meets the CDBG public service requirements. The attached document identifies the funding requests and recommendations.

FY19/20 CDBG Public Service Proposals

Applicant	Funding Request	Recommended Funding	Clients Served	Experience	Description of Proposal
Boys & Girls of the Tar River Region	\$31,500	\$30,000	240	50 years	Junior Staff Job Development Program: interpersonal skills, work ethics, and a sense of community. Previous award: \$30,000
Ripple Effects – Project Bridge 2020	\$25,140	\$17,144	50	4 years	Project Bridge is a transitional living program designed to educate, equip and empower homeless families, provides case management, financial literacy and counseling.
Ripple Effects – Project REEC 2020	\$20,850	\$0	50	4 years	Ripple effects is a community that offers resource counseling, life skills workshops, case management, and other services designed to address holistic wellness.
My Sister’s House	\$15,000	\$0	1,200	39 years	Emergency Shelter providing supportive services assisting families of sexual assault and domestic violence.
RMECDC Housing Counseling Center	\$45,000	\$30,000	50	25 years	Fair housing information through one-on-one counseling, homebuyer education, foreclosure prevention counseling, and credit/money management counseling/workshops to residents in target areas of City of Rocky Mount. Previous award: \$30,000
RMECDC Business Center	\$18,000	\$0	50	25 years	One-on-one business counseling and technical assistance to entrepreneurs in target areas of City of Rocky Mount located in Nash and Edgecombe counties. Previous award: \$15,000
Resurrected Ministries, Inc.	\$30,000 to \$80,000	\$0	100	4 years	Provide food, clothes, assistance with substance abuse, and job contacts for individuals who may have a criminal record.
UCM – House the Children at Bassett Center	\$7,000	\$7,000	210	41 years	Bassett Center: transitional housing program for homeless families with children in Nash and Edgecombe counties. Previous award: \$7,000
UCM Community Shelter	\$49,400	\$0	244	41 years	Community Shelter providing supportive services assisting families into permanent housing.

Total **\$84,144**