

INTRODUCED: July 26, 2021

AN ORDINANCE No. 2021-213

To erect all-way stop signs at the intersection of Grove Avenue and North Stafford Avenue.

Patron – Ms. Jordan

Approved as to form and legality
by the City Attorney

PUBLIC HEARING: SEP 27 2021 AT 6 P.M.

WHEREAS, the intersection of Grove Avenue and North Stafford Avenue is located in a populous residential area of the City; and

WHEREAS, a daycare facility is located within the block adjacent to the intersection of Grove Avenue and North Stafford Avenue; and

WHEREAS, an elementary school is located within three blocks of the intersection of Grove Avenue and North Stafford Avenue; and

WHEREAS, upon information and belief of the Council, residents of this area have long expressed a desire for all-way stop signs at the intersection of Grove Avenue and North Stafford Avenue; and

AYES: 9 NOES: 0 ABSTAIN: _____

ADOPTED: SEP 27 2021 REJECTED: _____ STRICKEN: _____

WHEREAS, the Council approved the development of a Vision Zero program in the city to reduce traffic fatalities and serious injuries in road traffic by Resolution No. 2016-R011, adopted March 7, 2016; and

WHEREAS, it is the consensus of the Council that it would be in the best interest of the citizens of the City of Richmond and especially the citizens who reside near the aforesaid intersection to erect all-way stop signs at said intersection; and

WHEREAS, section 2-428 of the Code of the City of Richmond (2020), as amended, requires an appropriate study by the City's Traffic Engineer prior to the adoption of an ordinance regulating motor vehicle traffic within the City; and

WHEREAS, this ordinance has been properly referred to the Department of Public Works and more than 60 days have elapsed since such referral or the Department of Public Works has submitted its report to the City Clerk;

NOW, THEREFORE,

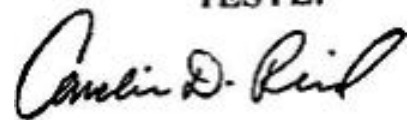
THE CITY OF RICHMOND HEREBY ORDAINS:

§ 1. That all-way stop signs shall be erected at the intersection of Grove Avenue and North Stafford Avenue.

§ 2. This ordinance shall be in force and effect upon adoption or such other date as may be fixed by traffic order of the Director of Public Works if, prior to adoption, the all-way stop signs have been erected at the aforesaid intersection.

A TRUE COPY:

TESTE:



City Clerk



Richmond City Council

The Voice of the People

Richmond, Virginia

Office of the Council Chief of Staff

Ordinance/Resolution Request

TO Haskell Brown, Interim City Attorney

THROUGH Joyce Davis, Interim Council Chief of Staff

FROM Steven Taylor, Council Policy Analyst

COPY Katherine Jordan, 2nd District Council Member
Sven Philipsen, 2nd District Liaison
Tabrica Rentz, Interim Deputy City Attorney

DATE July 16, 2021

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TITLE **Four-Way Stop at the Intersection of Grove Ave and N. Stafford Ave**

This is a request for the drafting of an **Ordinance** **Resolution**

REQUESTING COUNCILMEMBER/PATRON

K. Jordan

SUGGESTED STANDING COMMITTEE

EHS

ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION SUMMARY

The patron requests that legislation be drafted for Council’s consideration requiring the installation of an all-way stop at the intersection of Grove Avenue and N. Stafford Avenue.

BACKGROUND

The patron and area residents hope that the installation of an all-way stop will help prevent speeding, collisions, and lessen the severity of accidents and collisions that might occur at the intersection.

Improved traffic safety will protect pedestrians, cyclists, and auto-drivers. This are of the City is heavily trafficked by children, students, other pedestrians and cyclists requiring increased efforts by the City to protect them.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

Fiscal Impact	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Budget Amendment Required	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Estimated Cost or Revenue Impact	\$ N/A	

Note: Generally costs of signage are paid from the operating funds of DPW.

Attachment/s **Yes** **No** Draft Resolution.