

City of Biddeford
Policy Committee
January 22, 2024 6:00 PM Council Chambers & Zoom

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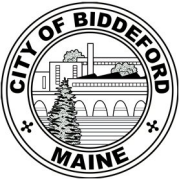
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Policy Committee

Meeting Date: Monday, January 22, 2024

Meeting Time: 6:00 PM

Agenda Item No: 5.1

Item Description: Automated Trash Collection Routes – Parking Discussion

Submitted by: Jeff Demers, Public Works Director

Supporting Information/Documentation:

Trash Route Trouble Spot List

Key Terms:

N/A

Executive Summary:

DPW would like to have a conversation to communicate the problems/issues faced by solid waste (trash) collection using automated equipment within certain streets of the community. The discuss is intended to review possible solutions and obtain guidance in order to devise solutions that are reasonable and consistent across the community to the extent practical.

Detailed Review:

Automated trash collection requires a defined amount of space as street side and between solid waste containers in order the automated equipment to access the containers. Due to the width of street and the number of containers in certain areas of the city the current parking and parking + snowbanks make it practically impossible to efficiently collect containers with automated equipment.

The attached list of Trash Route Trouble Spots defines the current streets with problem areas. In order to provide automated collection changes to parking will need to be made. Without these changes it is likely collection will be limited to manual dumping of curbside containers.

Due to the impact parking restrictions will have on these areas, DPW would like to have a conversation to communicate the problems/issues, discuss possible solutions, and obtain guidance in order to devise solutions that are reasonable and consistent across the community to the extent practical.

Funding Source:

N/A – Policy discussion

Staff Recommendation:

There are no specific policy recommendation at this time. Staff is looking for guidance to serve as the basis for devising solutions.

TRASH ROUTE TROUBLE SPOTS

Monday

Joshua Dr - Turn around

TUESDAY

Chapel St – cars

Middle St – cars

Hope Lane cars in the turn around

Sullivan St – cars

Windsor St – cars

School St – 90% corner- cars

Cleaves St – cars

Birch St - cars

Emery St – cars

Summer St - cars

Bacon St – cars

Mitchell Ln – cars

Buckley's Crt – cars

Foss St - cars

WEDNESDAY

Hill St – cars Main to Granite

King St - Cars

Emery St – cars

Foss & Birch St - cars

THURSDAY

Mason St – cars

Herring Ave – large low hanging tree limb

Center St – cars

Adams St – cars

Lemieux St – cars

Green St - cars

FRIDAY

Spuce St – cars

Chadwick PL - cars

Hazel St – cars

Bradbury Dead end - Cars

St. Mary's St – cars

Maple & Vine St – cars

Bradbury St put all trash on even # side

Orange bags

Main Street trash and Beach trash

CITY OF BIDDEFORD - TRASH COLLECTION TROUBLE SPOTS

MONDAY

1. JOSHUA DRIVE

TUESDAY

- 2. CHAPEL ST
- 3. SULLIVAN ST
- 4. CLEAVES ST
- 5. EMERY ST
- 6. BACON ST
- 7. BUCKEY'S COURT
- 8. MIDDLE ST
- 9. WINDSOR ST
- 10. BIRCH ST
- 11. SUMMER ST
- 12. MITCHELL LANE
- 13. FOSS ST
- 14. HOPE LANE
- 15. SCHOOL ST

WEDNESDAY

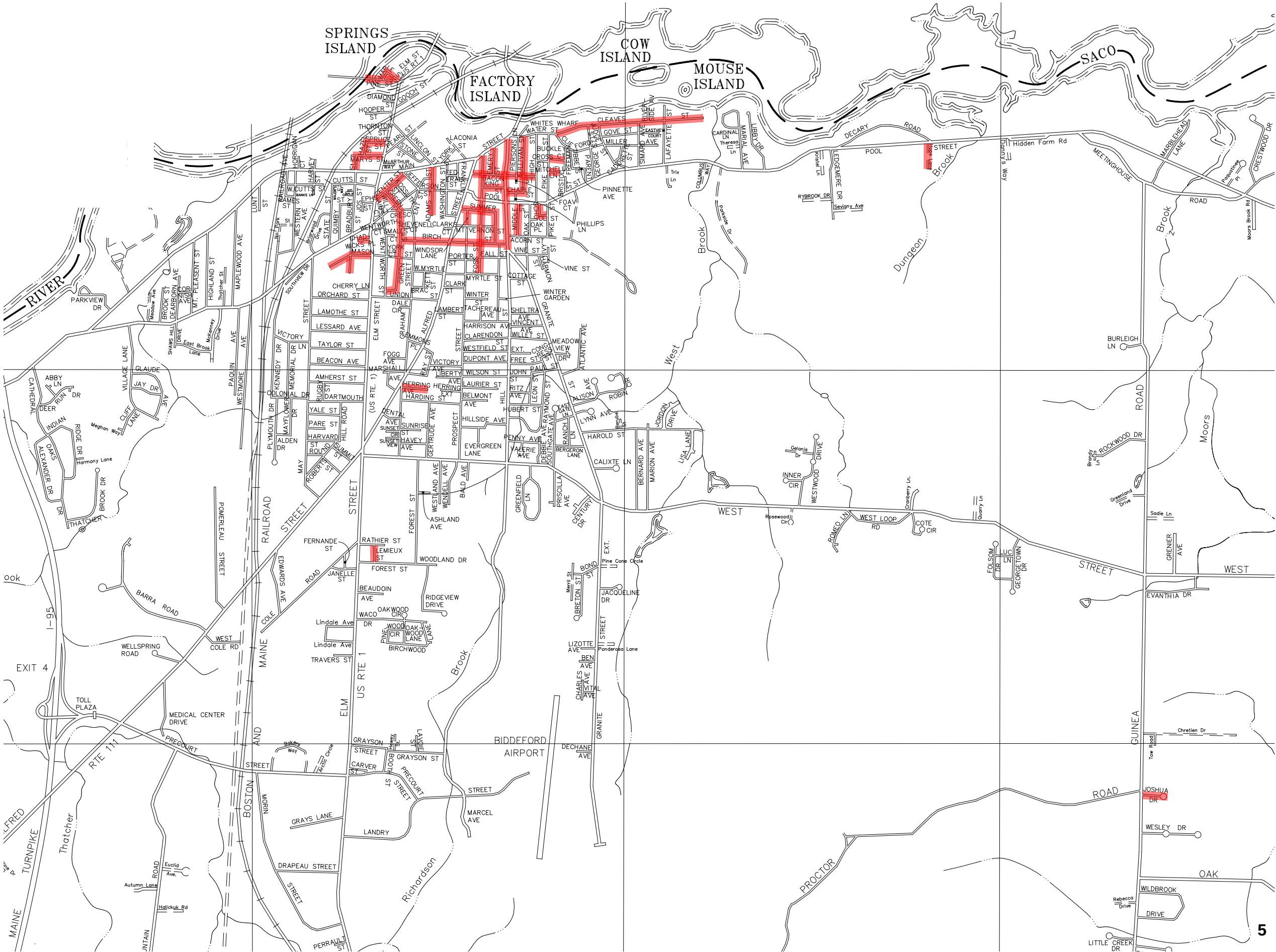
- 16. HILL ST
- 17. EMERY ST
- 18. KING ST
- 19. FOSS ST
- 20. BIRCH ST

THURSDAY

- 21. MASON ST
- 22. CENTER ST
- 23. ADAMS ST
- 24. LEMIEUX ST
- 25. GREEN ST
- 26. HERRING AVE

FRIDAY

- 27. SPRUCE ST
- 28. HAZEL ST
- 29. ST. MARY'S ST
- 30. MAPLE ST
- 31. PINE ST
- 32. CHADWICK PL
- 33. BRADBURY ST.



Trash collection parking issues:

Hill St – 7 Hill St -123 Hill St no parking on trash day
King St – 10 King St – 22 King St no parking on trash day
Mason St – Posted no parking already
Center St – Posted already update the signs
Adams St - 47 Adams St – 67 Adams St no parking on trash day
Lemieux St – no parking here to corner & no parking corner to here
Green St – no changes
Spruce St – no changes
Hazel St - no changes
St Mary's St – 3 St. Mary's – 31 St. Mary's no parking on trash day
Maple & Pine – no changes
Bradbury St - put all trash on the even side of the street
Chadwick PL – posted no parking already
Bradbury Dead end – posted no parking already
Joshua Dr. -we will put a no parking in the dead end
Chapel St - add a sign at 9 Chapel St no parking on trash day. Its already posted
Sullivan St - no parking on trash day 4am to 730am 6 Sullivan to 62 Sullivan
Cleaves St - ok for now, no changes
Emery St - no parking her to corner at 40 Emery St
Bacon St – no parking on trash day 4am to 730am 48 Bacon to 86
Foss St – no parking on trash day 4am to 730am 19 Foss St to 41 Foss St
Foss St – no parking her to corner and corner to here at Foss St and Birch St
Buckley's Court ok signs up need to enforce
Middle St – no parking on trash day 4am to 730am on trash day 10 Middle St to 38 Middle St
Windsor St – Ok for now
Birch St – no parking on trash day 4am to 730am 60 Birch St to 78 Birch St
Summer St – ok for now
Mitchel Ln – posted already need to enforce
Hope Ln – No parking at dead end
School St – No parking here to corner and corner to here at the 90%
Bristol St – No parking at dead end