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From the Offices of the Traffic Engineer  
and the Chief of Police  
City Hall

**CITY OF LA CROSSE  
BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS  
Findings & Orders:**

September 13, 2018

ESTABLISHING                      ( ) AMENDING                      ( ) VACATING

TYPE OF ALTERATION: On-street paid parking

GENERAL LOCATION: Pilot Area #1 (WTC)

Report:

A request and proposal has been received to investigate on-street, pay-by-phone parking in two (2) pilot areas, with a sunset after one (1) year. The pilot areas, depicted in the attached maps, include the perimeter and internal blocks of Western Technical College (WTC) and the southern perimeter of the University of Wisconsin – La Crosse (UWL).

Discussions at the BPW on 9/10/2018 included making these areas paid parking, at a rate to be set by the BPW, for the convenience of nearby residents and commerce, incentive to utilize underused off-street parking lots, and consistency in payment methods and enforcement.

**WHEREAS**, Section 44-39 of the City of La Crosse Municipal Code of Ordinances provides that after obtaining a report and recommendation of the Traffic Engineer, the Chief of Police shall forward recommendations and appropriate orders to the Board of Public Works.

**AND WHEREAS**, the Findings of the Traffic Engineer state the public interest, convenience, and necessity, the Chief of Police hereby Orders the above traffic alterations, to wit:

- Establish on-street paid parking (pay-by-phone) in pilot area #1

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Board of Public Works hereby approves the aforementioned traffic alteration, and City staff is hereby authorized to effect said changes.

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Ronald J. Tischer  
Chief of Police

Date Filed: 2018-09-13  
BPW Approval: 9/17/18  
Date

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