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Subject: Handicapped Parking

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Mr. Taylor:

Mayor Graham forwarded your email with concerns about handicapped parking to me. I am reviewing the ordinances the city has regarding such. I have reviewed state law on this matter and have begun a discussion with the city police department. It appears that the city council will have to amend the city ordinance. This item will be on the October 7, work session for council to get more background and discuss the action steps needed to move forward. The meeting is at City Hall in the third floor conference room and you are certainly welcome to attend. The meeting begins at 4:00 pm. I do not know where this item will be on the agenda. Our police department does tell me that they do enforce handicapped parking violations on private property such as the big box stores you mentioned. I will be glad to arrange a meeting with you and the police chief and myself to further discuss this matter prior to the October work session, if you would like that please let me know and I will try to coordinate a time. Thank you for bringing this matter to our attention.

David A. Rutherford City Manager