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Dear Residents:

I want to keep you up to date on what happened at the Town Board meeting held on March 22nd, 1983. As you are aware from my previous memo we were to discuss the parking problem along Elmwood Street which has been caused by Coco's Restaurant.

There were a number of residents from Elmwood Street who appeared at the Town Board meeting to discuss the actions taken by the Town of Guilderland. There appeared to be a question of whether the parking problem was caused by employees of Coco's or patrons of Coco's. As it turned out, Herman VanBuren, Town of Guilderland Highway Superintendent, put "No Parking", signs up on Friday afternoon of March 11th. By all accounts the parking problem disappeared the next day. At the same time that Herm was putting the signs up I worked on an agreement with the State Bank of Albany and with Coco's which allowed the employees of Coco's to park in the bank parking lot for a week. The employees would thereafter park next to the Christ Lutheran Church. It is my understanding that these measures have taken place. The Town Board and residents present wondered whether the problem ended because the "No Parking" signs were put up or because the employees were given a different place to park.

We have arrived at the following solution. The signs were taken down on March 23rd. We will monitor the situation with your assistance. If the parking problem starts to materialize again we would appreciate it if the residents of Elmwood Street would take note of the time of day when the parking is the heaviest. Once the Town Board receives this information, we will look into making parking illegal on Elmwood Street during those hours it has been determined that the problem exists. In this manner the residents of Elmwood Street would be able to park legally on their Street during the legal hours. Those hours would be set pursuant to the information we receive from the residents.

I appreciate the cooperation, the information and the input I received from the residents of Elmwood Street. I hope the parking problem will not reoccur. If it does, I look forward to working with you once again toward a permanent solution.

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