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STREET CLEANING REGULATIONS SUSPENDED IN PARTS OF RED HOOK STARTING SEPT. 8th AS DOT STARTS FINAL PHASE OF SIGN-REPLACEMENT PROJECT

<u>NEW REGULATIONS WILL TAKE EFFECT IN PARTS OF BOERUM HILL, CARROLL</u> <u>GARDENS AND OTHER AREAS WEST OF COURT STREET STARTING SEPT. 15TH</u>

Effective Monday, September 8th, Street Cleaning/Alternate Side Parking (ASP) Regulations will be temporarily suspended in parts of Red Hook west of Hamilton Avenue in Brooklyn's Community Board 6 for three to four weeks as the Department of Transportation (DOT) installs 1,400 signs with new, reduced street-cleaning regulations. This is the fourth and final phase of the project to change approximately 8,000 signs throughout the community board.

In Cobble Hill, Carroll Gardens and other areas west of Court Street, where the third phase of this sign replacement project started on August 18th and is now complete, the 1,600 newly posted ASP regulations will become enforceable on Monday, September 15th, giving residents two weeks to adjust to the new rules. In many cases, residential street-cleaning parking restrictions are being reduced from three-hour intervals to just 90 minutes, and from twice a week to just once a week, to ease parking for local residents. On commercial corridors, some streets will now be cleaned more often and regulations will be better coordinated to help ensure some curbside parking for local shoppers. The new rules were established by the Department of Sanitation.

Street Cleaning Regulations will be suspended within the following borders starting Monday, September 8th, and lasting an estimated three to four weeks:

- North: Summit Street (included) from Imlay Street to Van Brunt Street. Hamilton Avenue (included) from Van Brunt Street to Smith Street.
- East: Smith Street (included) from Hamilton Avenue to the water
- South/West: The water from Smith Street to Summit Street

Please see attached map showing boundaries described above.

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The new regulations will take effect once sign changes are complete in the entire area, also indicated on the attached map. The changes do not affect 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. parking rules or meter regulations, or any other parking rules that are not Street Cleaning Regulations.

The DOT will give advance notification before enforcement resumes, and the public is encouraged to check the DOT's Web site at <u>www.nyc.gov/dot</u> and call 311 regularly.

On Monday, September 15th, new ASP regulations will take effect within the following borders of Carroll Gardens and Cobble Hill:

North: Atlantic Avenue (included) from Columbia Street to Court Street.

- East: Court Street (not included) from Atlantic Avenue to Hamilton Avenue.
- South: Hamilton Avenue (not included) from Court Street to Van Brunt Street.
- West: Columbia Street (included) from Atlantic Avenue to Degraw Street Degraw Street (included) from Columbia to Van Brunt Street; Van Brunt Street from Degraw to Hamilton

For more information, contact 311 or visit the Department of Sanitation's Web site at <u>www.nyc.gov/sanitation</u>, or contact Brooklyn Community Board 6 at (718) 643-3027 or online at <u>www.BrooklynCB6.org</u>.

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