

Molly McGuire

From: Ryan Harriman
Sent: Monday, April 21, 2025 2:29 PM
To: Molly McGuire
Subject: Fw: Parking on E Mercer

Heads up on this issue.

Thanks.

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From: Matthew Goldbach
Sent: Monday, April 21, 2025 2:21 PM
To: Ryan Harriman
Subject: Parking on E Mercer

Hi Ryan

Attached are photos taken 04/18/2025 on E Mercer. This overflow parking from the JCC ...FASP and the Herzl has been a problem for many years. The idea of “shared parking” has been a disaster in the Town Center and on E Mercer.

Ignoring this problem and adding density to this area will be a very costly error.

On the 18th the Herzl obviously did not allow the FASP to use their parking lot. The lot was empty all day and the FASP had their staff park on E Mercer. This has been a problem for years. If the City does not take into consideration this issue and allows the Herzl development there will be consequences!!

Thanks in advance for your efforts.

Matt Goldbach
MI resident









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