



City of Arts & Innovation

City Council Memorandum

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL DATE: MAY 21, 2019

FROM: PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT WARD: 1

**SUBJECT: ESTABLISHMENT OF A PREFERENTIAL PARKING ZONE ON BOTH SIDES
OF FIFTH STREET BETWEEN LOCUST STREET AND BROCKTON AVENUE
- RESOLUTION**

ISSUE:

Establishment of a Preferential Parking Zone on both sides of Fifth Street between Locust Street and Brockton Avenue.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the City Council adopt a resolution to establish a "2 HR Parking between the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, except holidays, with Preferential Permit Parking for residents" zone on both sides of Fifth Street between Locust Street and Brockton Avenue.

BOARD RECOMMENDATION:

On April 3, 2019, the Transportation Board reviewed this matter; seven of eight members were present. Following discussion, the Transportation Board voted unanimously to recommend that the City Council approve the proposed establishment of a "2 HR Parking between the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday except holidays, with Preferential Permit Parking for residents" zone on both sides of Fifth Street between Locust Street and Brockton Avenue.

BACKGROUND:

The City's Preferential Parking Program is a neighborhood-driven program which enables eligible residential neighborhoods continually impacted by outside parking sources to pursue establishment of Preferential Parking Zones (PPZ). A PPZ limits the impacts of outside source parking and increases availability of on-street parking for residents by providing permits to residents and their guests and requiring that a valid permit be displayed in vehicles parked on street within the PPZ during restricted days and times.

Establishment of a PPZ requires submission of a petition from immediately impacted residents

showing support from a minimum of 75% of residents for the proposed PPZ. Once petition criteria has been met, the proposal is scheduled for consideration by the Transportation Board which makes a recommendation to the City Council regarding the matter.

DISCUSSION:

The Public Works Department received a petition showing support from 80% of residents on both sides of Fifth Street between Locust Street and Brockton Avenue requesting establishment of a timed No Parking PPZ. Residents indicate that overflow parking from nearby local residents and multi-dwelling units is limiting the availability of on-street parking opportunities near their homes during the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The proposed PPZ would help to preserve on-street parking on Fifth Street for residents and their guests during the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The cost of sign installation is estimated to be \$600. Funding is available in the FY 2018/19 Public Works Department budget Signing Supplies account number 4110100-424143 to cover this cost.

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Approved by: Rafael Guzman, Assistant City Manager
Approved as to form: Gary G. Geuss, City Attorney

Attachments:

1. Resolution
2. Site Map
3. Transportation Board Minutes - April 3, 2019