



City of Arts & Innovation

Transportation Board

TO: TRANSPORTATION BOARD

DATE: OCTOBER 7, 2015

FROM: PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

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SUBJECT: ABERNATHY DRIVE – ESTABLISHMENT OF PREFERENTIAL PARKING ZONE

ISSUE:

The issue for Transportation Board consideration is the establishment of a Preferential Parking Zone (PPZ) on Abernathy Drive from Fair Isle Drive (North) to Fair Isle Drive (South).

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Transportation Board recommend that the City Council approve establishment of a “No Parking between the hours of 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m. Daily, with Preferential Permit Parking for residents” Zone on both sides of Abernathy Drive from Fair Isle Drive (North) to Fair Isle Drive (South).

BACKGROUND:

The Public Works Department received a petition from 86% of residents on Abernathy Drive from Fair Isle Drive (North) to Fair Isle Drive (South) requesting establishment of a Preferential Parking Zone (PPZ). Residents indicate that the close proximity of their street to Sycamore Highlands Park has resulted in overflow park patron parking particularly during evening and overnight hours. Overflow parking is limiting on-street parking opportunities for residents and creating noise concerns during late night hours.

Establishing the proposed PPZ would restrict outside parking sources during evening and overnight hours and provide residents and their guests with reasonable access to on-street parking. The PPZ restriction would also serve to discourage use of Sycamore Highlands Park outside of designated park hours.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The cost of sign installation and issuance of permits is nominal. Funding is available in the existing Public Works Department budget.

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Attachments:

1. Site Map
2. Aerial Map