



*City of Arts & Innovation*

# Transportation Board

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**TO: TRANSPORTATION BOARD** **DATE: NOVEMBER 6, 2019**

**FROM: PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT** **WARD: 2**

**SUBJECT: PARK AVENUE – REMOVAL OF A SEGMENT OF TIMED 2-HOUR PARKING ZONE AND CORRECTION OF REMAINING NORTHERLY ZONE BOUNDARY**

## **ISSUES:**

Consideration of: 1) removal of the segment of the existing timed 2-Hour Parking zone on both sides of Park Avenue from Eleventh Street to Twelfth Street; and 2) correction of the remaining northerly 2-Hour Parking zone boundary.

## **RECOMMENDATIONS:**

That the Transportation Board recommend that the City Council approve:

1. Removal of the segment of the existing “2-Hour Parking 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. except Sunday and holidays” zone on both sides of Park Avenue from Eleventh Street to Twelfth Street; and
2. Correction of the boundaries of the remaining northerly “2-Hour Parking 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. except Sunday and holidays” zone changing the northerly boundary from its former name of “Seventh Street” to the current street name of “Mission Inn Avenue”.

## **BACKGROUND:**

The City works with local businesses to establish and remove various time limited parking zones which are typically implemented to provide short-term parking opportunities and ensure turn-over of available on-street parking spaces to promote area business patronization. Both establishment and removal of time limited parking zones requires submission of a petition from immediately impacted businesses and/or residents showing support from a minimum of 75% of tenants or owners for the proposed establishment or removal of the time limited parking zone. Once petition criteria has been met, the proposal is scheduled for consideration by the Transportation Board for recommendation to the City Council regarding the matter.

## **DISCUSSION:**

The Public Works Department received a petition from six of seven businesses and residents (equivalent to 86% percent) located on both sides of Park Avenue between Eleventh and Twelfth Streets requesting removal of the existing 2-Hour Parking zone within this segment of Park Avenue. This block of Park Avenue is predominantly occupied by commercial businesses with the only single family residential property situated at the southwest corner of Park Avenue and Eleventh Street facing Eleventh Street. Businesses within this area indicate that several of their patrons have received parking citations for exceeding the time limit and that services provided often extend beyond the 2-Hour maximum. As a result, businesses state that the 2-Hour Parking zone no longer meets their needs and those of their clients and they request removal of the zone to enable longer duration parking.

Removal of the proposed segment of existing 2-Hour Parking zone would better meet the current needs of area businesses and residents by providing convenient, longer-term parking for business patrons, area residents, and their guests. The existing 2-Hour Parking zones on both sides of Park Avenue from Mission Inn Avenue (formerly Seventh Street) to Eleventh Street and from Twelfth Street to Fourteenth Street will still remain in effect. The remaining northerly 2-Hour Parking zone requires a correction to the zone boundaries changing the northerly boundary from its former name of “Seventh Street” to the current street name of “Mission Inn Avenue”.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

The cost of sign removal is estimated to be \$51. Funding is available in the existing Public Works Department budget, Signing Supplies account number 4110100-424143, to cover this cost.

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#### **Attachments:**

1. Site Map
2. Aerial Map