Introduced by:

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF PASADENA AMENDING CHAPTER 10.41 OF THE PASADENA MUNICIPAL CODE EXPANDING THE PREFERENTIAL PARKING PERMIT PROGRAM TO RESIDENTIAL STREETS WITH TIME LIMITED PARKING RESTRICTIONS

The People of the City of Pasadena ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. This ordinance, due to its length and corresponding publication, will

be published by title and summary as permitted in Section 508 of the Pasadena City

Charter. The approved summary of this ordinance is as follows:

"Summary

"Ordinance No. _____ amends various chapters of Title 10 (the Vehicles and

Traffic Code) to modify the existing preferential parking program to include residential

streets with time limited parking as preferential parking areas thereby allowing residents

of streets with time limited parking to choose to be exempt from the time limits near their residences.

Ordinance No. ____ shall take effect 30 days from publication."

SECTION 2. Pasadena Municipal Code, Title 10, Chapter 10.41, Section

10.41.025 - Parking privileges for permit holders, is amended to read as follows:

"Any passenger vehicle, pick-up truck or van properly displaying a valid preferential parking permit for a street within a preferential parking district may:

A. Park on that street during the hours when parking on such street is prohibited to non-permitted vehicles or;

B. Park beyond the time limits indicated on signs on that street during the hours when parking on such street has time limits for non-permitted vehicles.

A preferential parking permit shall neither guarantee nor reserve to the holder thereof any particular on-street parking space. A permitted vehicle shall obey all other parking rules, regulations and restrictions."

SECTION 3. Pasadena Municipal Code, Title 10, Chapter 10.41,

Section 10.41.030 - Designation power and criteria, is amended to read as follows:

A. The director shall prepare rules and procedures for the designation of preferential parking districts setting forth the petition process, reporting requirements, criteria for designation of a preferential parking district and for the implementation and administration of this chapter. Those rules and procedures, and any revisions thereto, shall be effective upon approval by the city council.

B. A preferential parking district shall be created only:

1. Where the city council has found that unrestricted parking by nonlocal vehicles creates a situation in which the streets cannot be used for parking by the residents or their guests and that such unrestricted parking substantially and

0000128562C031 Clean/Final version unreasonably, regularly interferes with the use of a majority of the available public street parking, is the source of unreasonable noise, traffic hazards, environmental pollution or of other interference with the residential environment, and detrimentally affects the public welfare; or

2. Where hourly time limited parking restrictions are in place in residential areas for the purpose of limiting parking intrusion from institutional and/or commercial uses.

SECTION 4. Pasadena Municipal Code, Title 10, Chapter 10.41, Section 10.41.150 - Violation-Penalty, is amended to read as follows:

The following violations of this chapter shall be subject to the civil parking penalties established by the city council:

A. Stopping, standing or parking a vehicle adjacent to any curb on a preferential parking street in violation of any posted or noticed prohibition or restriction, without display of a valid and current preferential parking permit, guest permit or guest pass for that street, unless the vehicle is otherwise exempt to the extent authorized by law.

B. Copying, producing, creating or displaying a facsimile or a counterfeit preferential parking permit.

C. Falsely representing one's self as eligible for a preferential parking permit or willfully furnishing false information in an application therefor.

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D. Using a revoked permit.

E. Use of a preferential parking permit by a non-eligible vehicle.

SECTION 5. The City Clerk shall certify the adoption of this ordinance and shall cause this ordinance to be published by title and summary.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall take effect 30 days from its publication.

Signed and approved this _____ day of _____, 2015.

Terry Tornek Mayor of the City of Pasadena

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing ordinance was adopted by the City Council of the City of Pasadena at its meeting held this _____ day of

_____ 2015, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

Date Published:

Mark Jomsky, CMC City Clerk

Approved as to form:

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Brad L. Fuller Assistant City Attorney

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