

Buchanan, Rita

Subject: FW: WWW COMMENT

Field	Value
Your Name	Charmeen Wing
Phone	[REDACTED]
Email	[REDACTED]
Comments	<p>Dear Mr. Jamsky, I want to express my strong support for annual parking permits for residents who live on limited time parking streets. I live on Oakland Avenue near the Hilton Hotel and we face a particularly challenging problem. Many hotel guests opt not to park in the hotel parking lot and on our street, taking up spaces which could be used by friends or family who want to visit; they frequently have no place to park. When friends and family or vendors that need to work on or in the house do visit, they receive a parking ticket. As a result, friends and family are deterred from visiting and vendors are reluctant to accept paid work. Please allow residents to purchase annual parking passes at a reasonable price. I understand that the City of Pasadena receives significant revenue from parking tickets. However, there are plenty of non-residential areas where this revenue can still be generated and won't negatively impact the quality of life for residents. Limited time parking in residential areas is a quality of life issue. I ask that the City of Pasadena show its commitment to a good quality of life by allowing residents like me to purchase reasonably priced annual parking passes that can be used for my family, friends and people who work on my house. Thank you very much for your consideration of this request. Best regards, Charmeen</p>

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Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: Modification of preferential parking

From: dmbecerra [mailto:diane_m_becerra@yahoo.com]
Sent: Friday, October 24, 2014 4:21 PM
To: cityclerk
Subject: Modification of preferential parking

I live at 700 South Lake #320 and fully support the proposal for a modification of preferential parking in my neighborhood. This is much needed.

Thank you, Diane Becerra

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: Parking Proposal
Attachments: October 2014 UPDATE PARKING.docx

From: Kelvin O [<mailto:kelvin.o@hotmail.com>]
Sent: Friday, October 24, 2014 5:51 PM
To: cityclerk
Subject: Parking Proposal

Dear Pasadena City Council,

We are residents in the city of Pasadena. We would like to express our full support for the attached proposal to allow residents on streets with time-limited parking, such as ours, to purchase annual daytime parking permits and annual daytime guest parking permits. The current rule is not friendly to residents nor is it welcoming to guests and therefore needs to be changed. Tired of dealing with the hassle of planning their visits around the parking issue and not wanting to risk being ticketed, many of our family and friends have suggested that we meet elsewhere instead of visiting us or have decided to shop, eat, or entertain themselves in another city. They are taking their business away from Pasadena – all because it is simply easier to go somewhere else than to deal with the parking headache in our area.

Passing the proposal to change the current rules regarding restricted parking areas in Pasadena would benefit residents and business owners as well as guests to our beautiful city. With increased visitors, the city would also benefit financially from the increased foot traffic, which would offset concerns about decreased revenues from parking citations. Therefore, to the benefit of everyone, we strongly support the passing of the stated proposal.

Sincerely,

Kelvin O and Xi Chen

209 S. Oakland Ave. Unit C

Pasadena, CA 91101



PASADENA DISTRICT 7 UPDATE

October 2014

Modification of
Preferential
Parking
Ordinance Staff
Agenda Report

Contact the City
Clerk Here

Contact Us:

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**[pthyret@
cityofpasadena.net](mailto:pthyret@cityofpasadena.net)**

(626) 441-4802

Dear Neighbors:

This coming Monday, October 27th, the City Council will hear a proposal from the Department of Transportation that would change the rules for residents who live on time limited parking streets. Residents would be entitled to get annual daytime parking permits and annual daytime guest parking permits that would enable them to park in restricted parking areas and exceed the posted time limits without getting a parking ticket. The annual fee for the initial pack of permits would be \$10.00.

The proposal would alleviate two problems that we hear frequently from you: it would enable residents who live on time restricted streets to host guests without purchasing a daily permit for them, and it would enable residents to come and go throughout the day while parking on their street.

These changes are in response to many of your complaints, and we hope that if you are in favor of this proposal, you will communicate your support to the Mayor and City Council before the meeting on Monday evening. There may be some resistance from the Council to approve this measure, because the proposal may "reduce parking citation revenue to the General Fund by as much as \$470,000 annually." To express your support, please email the City Clerk with the link to the left.

Terry

Terry

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: Parking on time limited streets

From: ALTON CULLEN [<mailto:7aycullen@sbcglobal.net>]
Sent: Friday, October 24, 2014 6:30 PM
To: cityclerk
Subject: Parking on time limited streets

Mayor and Council Members,

I strongly support the new proposal to issue packets to the residents on these streets.

It's time to put residents first, not revenue.

Al Cullen

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: Daytime Parking Permits

-----Original Message-----

From: Lynne Tuite [mailto:l2it@aol.com]
Sent: Friday, October 24, 2014 6:42 PM
To: cityclerk
Subject: Daytime Parking Permits

We strongly support the proposal for daytime parking permits, as we live on California Blvd where many of our parking spaces are already lost to Poly School needs, and our guests, as well as those of us who must park a second car on the street, too often suffer from the ticketing process.

Sincerely,

Lynne and John Tuite
985 E California Blvd
Pasadena, CA 91106

Sent from my iPad

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: Change of Rules for Limited Parking

From: Bob Barber [<mailto:pasabob@gmail.com>]
Sent: Friday, October 24, 2014 7:24 PM
To: cityclerk
Subject: Change of Rules for Limited Parking

I am highly in favor of the proposed changes in the rules for limited parking. My feelings are ones of elation and relief that a serious problem will be solved in a manner which supports the community living here in Pasadena. I have received several tickets for "illegal" parking. One was because a load of sand was dumped by my contractor in the drive and he was unable to finish clearing it in the 2 hour period. Another time I was parked for 10 minutes which merited me a ticket because I had been parked for 2 hours much earlier in the day. The changes also wisely address the issue of family and friend visiting, as well as workman who need to be here for an extended period in the day. Please support and pass this fair and much needed change.

Lyn Munro, 656 South Oak Knoll Avenue South Oak Knoll Ave. 91106 Sent from my iPad

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: Parking Changes

From: Rob Shepherd [<mailto:shepherd1295@gmail.com>]
Sent: Friday, October 24, 2014 9:03 PM
To: cityclerk
Cc: Thyret, Pam
Subject: Parking Changes

To whom it my concern: I live in district 7 on Arden and Lombardy Rd. I am not in favor of any parking changes, I want the current laws enforced! I have students from Cal-tech parked in front of everyday. My neighbor parks his red suburban on Arden Road for weeks on end w/o moving his car. Not only is it dangerous, it is unsightly and I fear the proposed parking changes will make this problem worse.

Please don't ease the parking requirements all of the neighbors voted in favor of! Let's enforce the laws currently in place

Thanks, Rob
818-516-0583

Sent from my iPad

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: CHANGE IN PARKING POLICIES FOR RESIDENTS

From: A. J. Grantham [<mailto:mtlinm@yahoo.com>]
Sent: Saturday, October 25, 2014 11:27 AM
To: cityclerk
Subject: CHANGE IN PARKING POLICIES FOR RESIDENTS

HI,
I strongly support the proposed change in policy as it affects residents of any given area in Pasadena.
I am a 35 year resident and have had two tickets in the last four months ... Even when one provides compelling evidence of error, the city ignores the plea.
A. J. Grantham
740 South Hudson Avenue
Pasadena

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: DAYTIME PARKING PERMITS ON RESTRICTED STREETS

From: Cindy Laux [<mailto:cindylaux@gmail.com>]
Sent: Saturday, October 25, 2014 12:54 PM
To: cityclerk
Cc: Teresa & Sherman Prosewicz
Subject: DAYTIME PARKING PERMITS ON RESTRICTED STREETS

This would be so helpful. I live in the front of our complex and my parking spot is way in the back. This makes running errands so difficult.

One time I got a ticket because I parked for about 20 minutes at 11:00, then went to lunch and came back and got a ticket after 10 minutes of parking since the total time was over 2 hours. As a resident on this street, I find that ridiculous.

It is also challenging to have guests over. How silly is it that although I am a resident, my friends would have to find a garage to park in if they were going to come over before 6 pm.

I think residents should be able to have a resident sticker and park whenever they want, morning or night - but I will gladly take the day pass for my guests and me.

Thank you for the consideration.
Cindy Laux
1000 San Pasqual St.

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: Preferential Parking Ord in Favor

From: gary bond [<mailto:garyabond@yahoo.com>]
Sent: Saturday, October 25, 2014 2:13 PM
To: cityclerk
Subject: Preferential Parking Ord in Favor

I'm in FAVOR!! That city council approve the said ordinance. We reside in Dist#7 on 37 So. Berkeley. ave #2 . We had have a lot of complaints from visitors who come during the week and want to park more than 2- hours. The idea of the daily pass of 10\$ is reasonable and fair. Please consider this manner very seriously. Thank you Gary & Dena Bond

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW:

From: Donna Stromberg [<mailto:dstromberg@sbcglobal.net>]
Sent: Saturday, October 25, 2014 3:26 PM
To: cityclerk
Subject:

As a long time resident of Pasadena I am so glad that you are finally doing something about the overnight parking ban. All you need to do to make up for the \$400,000 loss of revenue is have the people who illegally turn left onto San Pasqual from Mentor ticketed. It is everyday of the week. Once in a great while a motorcycle police person will sit around for about 15 min. and maybe give one ticket they never stay very long. you would definitely add to your coffers if San Pasqual was monitored regularly between Wilson and Mentor. There are a lot of people who drive like it is a race track especially when they make the illegal turn

Thank you for your work.

Donna Stromberg

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: Permit Proposal

From: Adnan Akhtar [<mailto:adnanakhtar@gmail.com>]
Sent: Saturday, October 25, 2014 3:34 PM
To: cityclerk
Subject: Permit Proposal

Hi Pam,

We have been residents of Pasadena for 3 years and one of the most troubling things we have is parking on the streets especially when we have guests. We are in favor of the new proposal and would encourage city council to approve the new proposal.

Thank you
Sincerely

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Dr. AdnanAkhtar

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: daytime parking permits on South Oakland Ave

From: Judy Hartwich [<mailto:jahartwich@gmail.com>]
Sent: Saturday, October 25, 2014 5:10 PM
To: cityclerk
Subject: daytime parking permits on South Oakland Ave

I am in support of making daytime parking permits available to the residents on South Oakland Ave. and to their guests.

I live in a building with only one parking spot for me - to limit my guests to 2 hours of parking is a great inconvenience.

Judy Hartwich
255 S. Oakland Ave. #10
Pasadena 91101

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: Modifications to Preferential Parking

From: Linda B. Hintzman [<mailto:LBHINTZMAN@pasadena.edu>]
Sent: Saturday, October 25, 2014 5:38 PM
To: cityclerk
Subject: Modifications to Preferential Parking

Hello

I live at 1000 San Pasqual St. Because we are only a block away from the wonderful South Lake Shopping District we have 2 hour parking limits on all our streets. When I first moved in I was able to call the city for parking exemptions when I had company over for more than 2 hours. Now I have to either purchase parking passes or have my friends and family move their cars every 2 hours. Just this past week I had to spend \$9 buying parking passes so my 74-year-old mother could visit me for 1 day and night.

I would love to invite more people to visit and enjoy all that Pasadena has to offer, but it is embarrassing to explain that they have to pay to park in my neighborhood.

While I understand the City has come to rely on the revenue generated from parking passing and parking tickets this is an unfair burden on those of us who live in areas with parking restrictions. I believe the proposed changes are a great compromise. The City will still receive some parking pass income and the residents will have a much easier time having friends and family visit.

Thank you for taking the time to read this.

Linda Hintzman

1000 San Pasqual St Apt i

Pasadena CA 91106-4803

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: annual daytime residential parking restrictions

From: SUSAN MACLAUGHLIN [<mailto:susanmaclaughlin@me.com>]
Sent: Saturday, October 25, 2014 7:31 PM
To: cityclerk
Subject: annual daytime residential parking restrictions

To the Mayor and City Council,

Thanks you very much for considering the Department of Transportation's proposal to give residents the ability to buy annual personal and guest \$10 passes, enabling them to park for longer than 2 hours. I am very much in favor of the proposal. The current system puts an unfair burden on people who live with this restriction. I have been given a ticket for parking less than an hour, because earlier in the day I parked on the opposite side of the street, not far enough away from the spot I chose when I parked the second time. I had a witness, and appealed, but was rejected. It's an unjust practice, and one I hope will be changed as proposed.

Thank you,

Susan MacLaughlin

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: Parking Permits for residents

-----Original Message-----

From: Thyret, Pam
Sent: Sunday, October 26, 2014 1:31 PM
To: cityclerk
Subject: FW: Parking Permits for residents

-----Original Message-----

From: Alejandra Benavides [<mailto:alex619@earthlink.net>]
Sent: Sunday, October 26, 2014 1:24 PM
To: Thyret, Pam
Subject: Parking Permits for residents

My name is Alejandra Benavides and I own a condo on the 1000 block of San Pasqual .
When the conversion from apartments to condominiums took effect in my building, I was left without a garage. I have lived with the constant problem of the parking restrictions since 1987. It would be such a relief and a blessing to be able to obtain the proposed parking permits.
Count on my support for the proposed changes.
Alejandra Benavides
1000 San Pasqual Unit B
Pasadena, CA 91106
626-233-2006

Sent from my iPhone

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: Parking

-----Original Message-----

From: Bruce Hayes [<mailto:hayesxjpl@icloud.com>]
Sent: Saturday, October 25, 2014 3:27 PM
To: Thyret, Pam
Subject: Parking

Pam: I am all for the ordinance change which will allow residents and/or their guests to park
On the streets in their neighborhood. Bruce and Jan Hayes
Sent from my iPad

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: Parking proposal

----- Original Message -----

From: Elioff, Amanda
Sent: Friday, October 24, 2014 01:06 PM
To: 'ttornek@cityofpasadena.net' <ttornek@cityofpasadena.net>; 'pthyret@cityofpasadena.net' <pthyret@cityofpasadena.net>
Subject: Parking proposal

I am traveling, and will not be able to make the meeting. but you may forward my full support for the proposed changes to parking permits. For 20+years in Pasadena, we have lived with the tyranny of the "parking police". I could tell many stories of unwarranted tickets, and trips to the dark parking pass machine late at night (not pleasant for a single woman). The internet service has to be bought earlier and costs more. To "recoup" losses, charge more for the convenience - of the new passes and perhaps "layoff" some of the parking police- some of the most unpleasant "public servants" I've dealt with in pasadena

Amanda Elioff

PS- thIs is long overdue and Pasadena must be the last city in the county to do this

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Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: MODIFICATION OF PREFERENTIAL PARKING ORDINANCE

From: JZ [<mailto:fzpuente@gmail.com>]
Sent: Sunday, October 26, 2014 6:00 PM
To: cityclerk
Cc: Charlie DeLira-Zepeda
Subject: MODIFICATION OF PREFERENTIAL PARKING ORDINANCE

Hello,

As a resident of the City of Pasadena, I would really like to express my support for the modification of this ordinance, as it would greatly increase the ease of parking in front of my residence. By making it easier and more cost effective to receive a parking preferred parking permit as a residence, it would reduce the likelihood that I would surpass the parking time limit, and therefore prevent unnecessary parking fines, which are very unfair to us residents that live, shop and/or work locally.

Please consider the modification of this ordinance to make it easier and less inconvenient on the residents of this fine city.

Thank you for your time and consideration, Filemon Delira-Zepeda

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: DAYTIME PARKING PERMITS ON RESTRICTED STREETS

From: Teresa Prosewicz [<mailto:t.pros@yahoo.com>]
Sent: Sunday, October 26, 2014 6:12 PM
To: cityclerk
Cc: Thyret, Pam
Subject: Fwd: DAYTIME PARKING PERMITS ON RESTRICTED STREETS

To Pasadena Council:

We live on San Pasqual Street with 2 hr. parking restrictions during the day. Our condominium complex has no guest parking and only one car garage parking per unit, but this inconvenience is well accepted by us.

We enjoy living in beautiful Pasadena and gladly pay fees for many services that allow City to function. However, limited street parking creates extremely unfriendly atmosphere for us and visiting guests, of whom many are elderly. It is not only unfriendly to tell them to cut their visit short, but if they received parking ticket for just a fraction of time, it is beyond upsetting to them and to us, and it has resulted to less visitations.

Please, allow the good name of friendly Pasadena be not tarnished by the parking restrictions, and allow us to have daily guest passes.

Thank you for your consideration of our support to approve the street passes,

Teresa Prosewicz
1000 San Pasqual Street #34
Pasadena, CA 91106

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: MODIFICATION OF PREFERENTIAL PARKING ORDINANCE

From: cdelira82@yahoo.com [mailto:cdelira82@yahoo.com]
Sent: Sunday, October 26, 2014 6:13 PM
To: cityclerk
Subject: MODIFICATION OF PREFERENTIAL PARKING ORDINANCE

Hello,

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Please consider the modification of this ordinance to make it easier and less inconvenient on the residents of this fine city.

Thank you for your time and consideration,

Carlos DeLira-Zepeda

Sent from my iPhone

Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: In support of annual residential daytime parking permits

From: Sara Howard [<mailto:saracorine@gmail.com>]
Sent: Sunday, October 26, 2014 9:56 PM
To: cityclerk
Cc: Mabby Howard; t.pros@yahoo.com
Subject: In support of annual residential daytime parking permits

Dear Council members,

Thank you so much in advance for taking the time to read my comments. I'm a Pasadena resident writing in support of the annual daytime residential parking permits.

As a new mother of twins with much of my family back in the midwest, I've been blessed to have many visitors this year. Family and friends came from near and far to help us in the early weeks with our twins. And today, we're a two-parent working household, and we employ a nanny to help us with our kids during they daytime. Unfortunately, parking at our home has been challenging-- beyond challenging, really-- for our friends, family, and nanny.

It would have make an enormous difference if we were able to purchase an annual daytime parking pass, at least for our nanny to use. As it stands, we're lucky that we were able to secure parking arrangements for her, otherwise I don't know what we would have done. There is no way she could move her car a block away every 2 hours while caring for our twins.

I recognize that annual residential day passes will have a fiscal impact on the city of Pasadena. As a resident, I would be more than happy to pay a decent amount for the pass in order to help offset those costs. I think this would be a reasonable thing to ask of residents.

However, giving us no option to provide longer than 2 hour parking for our guests and those that help our families with childcare and the like, does not seem reasonable.

Again, I thank you so much for taking the time to read my comments, and I sincerely hope you'll pass this measure.

Sara Howard
1000 San Pasqual St, #24
Pasadena, CA 91106

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Buchanan, Rita

From: cityclerk
Subject: FW: Modification of Preferential Parking Ordinance - City Council hearing on 10/27

From: Simran Malhotra [<mailto:simranm@sbcglobal.net>]
Sent: Monday, October 27, 2014 7:10 AM
To: cityclerk
Subject: Modification of Preferential Parking Ordinance - City Council hearing on 10/27

Dear Mr. Jomsky,

This email is in support of the DOT's recommendation for modifying the Preferential Parking Ordinance. The proposed revisions will greatly convenience a great many residents, who currently have to undergo parking "gymnastics" in order to avoid being cited by parking enforcement officials. Please provide a copy of this email to the Council members in advance of their consideration of this proposal tonight.

Thank you,

Simran Malhotra
792 E California Blvd.
Pasadena, CA 91106