

# RECOMMENDATION TO RESUME PARKING ENFORCEMENT EFFORTS

City Council  
June 8, 2020



Item 4. C.



# Recommendation

Department of Transportation

- Find that the proposed action is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to state CEQA Guidelines Section 15061 (b)(3) (Common Sense Exemption); and
- Authorize the City Manager to resume regular parking enforcement efforts.



# Suspended Enforcement

Department of Transportation

- On March 17, 2020 City Council approved modifications to parking policies:
  - > Suspension of enforcement of the overnight parking ordinance.
  - > Suspension of enforcement of time limits in residential neighborhoods.
  - > Suspension of daytime street sweeping restrictions.
  - > Suspension of payment at all curbside parking spaces.

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# Suspended Enforcement

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- All metered parking spaces were temporarily converted to 20 minute parking to facilitate delivery and curbside pick-up.
- Temporary suspension of non-critical vehicle impounds.
- Temporary suspension of booting and impounds for five or more past-due parking citations and for vehicles with expired registrations.

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- As the City begins to reopen, staff recommends the following:
  - > Meter payments and enforcement to resume June 9<sup>th</sup>. Warnings to be issued for one week, with citations to resume June 16<sup>th</sup>.
  - > Enforcement of time limits in residential neighborhoods to resume June 9<sup>th</sup>. Warnings to be issued for one week, with citations to resume June 16<sup>th</sup>.



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- > Overnight enforcement to resume June 22<sup>nd</sup>. Warnings to be issued for two weeks, with citations to resume July 8<sup>th</sup>.
- > Enforcement of daytime street sweeping restrictions to resume June 22<sup>nd</sup>. Warnings to be issued for two weeks, with citations to resume July 8<sup>th</sup>.
- > Vehicle booting and impounds for non-critical purposes to resume August 1<sup>st</sup>.



# Council Policy Consideration

Department of Transportation

- The proposed action is consistent with the City Council's strategic plan goal to support quality of life and the local economy.



# Fiscal Impact

Department of Transportation

- Revenues for the final quarter of the current Fiscal Year are projected to be \$6,000,000 less than in previous years
  - > Parking garages \$3M
  - > On street meters \$1M
  - > Citation and permit fees \$2M
- Returning to regular enforcement will have a direct positive fiscal impact on City revenues.