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Oversized Vehicles Council Presentation

August 8, 2017

Oversized Vehicle Ordinance Overview

- At City Council's request, staff reviewed the implementation of a citywide ban for parking oversized vehicles in residential neighborhoods.
- Updates on staff's findings were provided to City Council on:
 - March 15, 2016
 - September 20, 2016
 - March 6, 2017
- June 13, 2017 The City Council took action requesting City Attorney to draft an Ordinance.
- August 8, 2017 Staff is returning to City Council with the drafted Ordinance.

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Ordinance Includes the Following LBMC Changes

- Change the minimum length of an oversized vehicle from 20 feet to 22 feet to exclude pick-up trucks and sport utility vehicles. Boats and trailers would be subject to these limits.
- Parking of oversized vehicles within the City right of way in residential neighborhoods is prohibited.
 - Allow for parking over oversized vehicle by permit only, up to 72 hours per occurrence.
 - Permits will be available online, at no cost. Maximum number of permits per household, per year is 20.
 - City Traffic Engineer has the authority to issue additional permits and/or extend permit hours.
- Oversized vehicles parked on residential private property must be behind a gate, as required by current zoning requirements. (City can consider amending this requirement through separate action of the Planning Commission)

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Ordinance Includes the Following LBMC Changes

- Consolidate oversight of all oversized vehicles restrictions and permit issuances to the City Traffic Engineer.
- Require parking prohibition signs to be posted at all City entrances.
- City Traffic Engineer is authorized to issue permits for disabled persons to park Oversized Vehicles needed as a result of their disability.
- Allow parking to continue within certain commercial/industrial areas of the City with limitations, as determined by the City Traffic Engineer.



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Oversized Vehicle Ordinance Implementation Plan

- August 8, 2017 First reading of Ordinance
- August 15, 2017 Second reading of Ordinance
- September 15, 2017 Ordinance signed by Mayor and goes into effect
- 180 days Review and approval by the California Coastal Commission
- 90 days After approval by California Coastal Commission, staff will post signs and initiate community education campaign.

