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December 8, 2015

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL City of Long Beach California

RECOMMENDATION:

Recommendation to declare ordinance amending the Long Beach Municipal Code by adding District AD to Section 10.32.110, creating a new preferential parking district, read the first time and laid over to the next regular meeting of the City Council for final reading. (Districts 5)

DISCUSSION:

Pursuant to your request on December 1, 2015, this ordinance has been prepared and is submitted for your consideration.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES PARKIN, City Attorney

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AMY R. WEBBER Deputy City Attorney

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ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH AMENDING THE LONG BEACH MUNICIPAL CODE BY ADDING DISTRICT AD TO SECTION 10.32.110 CREATING A NEW PREFERENTIAL PARKING DISTRICT

WHEREAS, residents on the east side of Clark Avenue and adjacent streets, south of Heartwell Park, contacted the City in 2014, expressing concerns about the negative parking situation in their neighborhood caused by construction projects occurring at the Long Beach City College campus; and

WHEREAS, construction workers, as well as college students, were parking in the neighborhood, severely impacting the residents' parking; and

WHEREAS, in order to address these parking impacts, the City implemented a temporary construction preferential parking district on June 1, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the temporary construction parking district specifies the maximum duration for the district as eighteen (18) months, or when the construction that is causing the parking problem ends; and

WHEREAS, the City Traffic Engineer determined that the temporary parking district would be terminated at the end of 2015; and

WHEREAS, before the implementation of the temporary parking district, the traffic engineering staff conducted parking surveys, demonstrating that the parking requirements were satisfied for the district establishment; and

WHEREAS, a bounded area of sixty-eight (68) homes was determined, with ninety-four percent (94%) support, establishing the district that included streets closer to the college campus; and

WHEREAS, in order to determine support for the establishment of a

permanent preferential parking district, the block captain conducted a neighborhood ballot survey of the streets included in the temporary district; and

WHEREAS, the survey ballots, which were submitted to the City Traffic Engineer, indicated a sixty-eight percent (68%) support to formally request the establishment of a permanent preferential parking district; and

WHEREAS, the City Traffic Engineer has reviewed the results of the parking study and the resident ballot survey and he has determined that conditions meet minimum municipal code criteria as outlined in LBMC 10.32.020 for the consideration of a preferential parking district;

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1. District "AD" is added to Section 10.32.110 of the Long Beach Municipal Code to read as follows:

District AD: East side of Clark Avenue between Conant Street and the alley immediately north of Hanbury Street, Hanbury Street between Clark Avenue and Charlemagne Avenue, north side of Harco Street between Clark Avenue and Greenbrier Road, Greenbrier Road between Ebell Street and Parkcrest Street, Parkcrest Street between Greenbrier Road and Charlemagne Avenue.

Section 2. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance by the City Council and cause it to be posted in three (3) conspicuous places in the City of Long Beach, and it shall take effect on the thirty-first (31st) day after it is approved by the Mayor.

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Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of			2015,
by the following	vote:		
Ayes:	Councilmembers:		
Noes:	Councilmembers:		
Absent:	Councilmembers:		
		City Clerk	
Approved:	(Date)	Mayor	