ORDINANCE NO.   ORD-07-0053

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE

CITY OF LONG BEACH AMENDING THE LONG BEACH

MUNICIPAL CODE TO ADD A NEW DISTRICT U TO

SECTION 10.32.110 CREATING A NEW PREFERENTIAL

PARKING DISTRICT

WHEREAS, the City Council has the authority pursuant to Long Beach

Municipal Code Section 10.32.110 to create preferential parking districts in order to

alleviate serious problems relating to a shortage of available parking for residents; and

WHEREAS, after a duly noticed public hearing, the City Council determines

and finds that ninety percent (90%) of the residents on the west side of Britton Drive

between Atherton Street and Marita Street have indicated a positive desire for

preferential parking privileges; and

WHEREAS, said area is zoned as a residential area; and

WHEREAS, there is currently a time restriction on parking in said area; and

WHEREAS, the area meets the requirements for a preferential parking

district pursuant to Long Beach Municipal Code Section 10.32.020; and

WHEREAS, Section 10.32.020 of the Long Beach Municipal Code allows

the Traffic Engineer to use reasonable judgment regarding existing limited-time parking

locations as to whether the criteria for preferential parking district would likely be met in

the absence of the limited-time restriction; and

WHEREAS, the Traffic Engineer has determined that these criteria would

be met on the west side of Britton Drive between Atherton Street and Marita Avenue;

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach does

hereby ordain as follows:

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1   Section 1.   District U of Section 10.32.110 of the Long Beach Municipal

2 Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

3   District U: The west side of Britton Drive between Atherton Street and
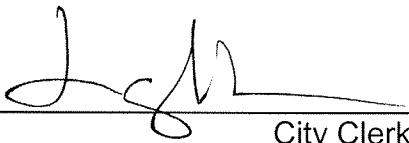
4 Marita Avenue.

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6   Section 2.   The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance by

7 the City Council and cause it to be posted in three (3) conspicuous places in the City of

8 Long Beach, and it shall take effect on the thirty-first (31st) day after it is approved by the

9 Mayor.

10   I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was adopted by the City

11 Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of _____October 23_____, 20_07, by the

12 following vote:

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14 Ayes: Councilmembers: B. Lowenthal, S. Lowenthal, DeLong,

15   O'Donnell, Schipske, Andrews,

16   Reyes Uranga, Gabelich, Lerch.

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18 Noes: Councilmembers: None.

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20 Absent: Councilmembers: None.

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24   City Clerk

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27 Approved: _10/31/07_
    (Date)   Mayor

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