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Special Residential Parking Permits Amendments

Staff Report

The purpose of this legislation is to authorize the use of a parking sticker in addition to a registered license plate in Special Residential Parking Districts 1 and 2.

Beginning in July 2016, the city's parking management contractor implemented a new procedure for monitoring parking violators in Special Residential Parking Districts that utilized License Plate Recognition technology and eliminated the need for parking stickers.

The License Plate Recognition system only requires that the resident's vehicle license plate be registered and included in the Special Residential Parking District database. The license plate reader scans the vehicle's license plate and uses processing software to compare the license plate information to the list of registered vehicles in the District's database.

Due to limited parking availability on residential streets in District 1 and 2, numerous residents have requested that the parking stickers continue to be offered allowing residents to display the parking sticker and to monitor and report parking violators in Special Residential Parking District 1 and 2.

This legislation will authorize the city's parking contractor to provide parking stickers to residents of Special Residential Parking Districts 1 and 2 as part of the annual registration process. Parking stickers will be optional in other Special Residential Parking Districts.

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