## TO THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES

Your TRANSPORTATION Committee

## report as follows:

GENERAL EXEMPTION, TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE REPORT and Resolution relative to the establishment of temporary Preferential Parking District (PPD) No. 137 for Picfair Village South of Pico Boulevard.

## Recommendations for Council action:

- 1. FIND that the establishment of temporary PPD No. 137, pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) Section 80.58.d, is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) under the General Exemption (Article II, Section 1 of the 2002 Los Angeles City CEQA Guidelines).
- 2. FIND that an adverse parking impact affecting fewer than six blocks exists, from which the residents deserve immediate relief, in the Picfair Village neighborhood, south of Pico Boulevard, in Council District 10.
- 3. ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTION establishing temporary PPD No. 137 pursuant to LAMC Section 80.58.d. Temporary PPD No. 137 will include the residential portions of the following street segments:
  - a. Carmona Avenue between Pico Boulevard and Saturn Street
  - b. Sierra Bonita Avenue between Pico Boulevard and Saturn Street
  - c. Curson Avenue between Pico Boulevard and Saturn Street
  - d. Ellsmere Avenue between Pico Boulevard and Saturn Street
  - e. Stanley Avenue between Pico Boulevard and Saturn Street
- 4. AUTHORIZE the following parking restriction for use in all of temporary PPD No. 137:
  - "ONE HOUR PARKING, 8 AM to 6 PM, MONDAY TO FRIDAY; NO PARKING ALL OTHER TIMES; DISTRICT NO. 137 PERMITS EXEMPT"
- 5. INSTRUCT the Los Angeles Department of Transportation (LADOT) to initiate the necessary procedures for the preparation and sale of parking permits to residents within temporary PPD No. 137 as specified in LAMC Section 80.58.
- 6. DIRECT the LADOT to post the authorized parking restriction signs on the residential portions of Curson Avenue between Pico Boulevard and Saturn Street and Carmona Avenue between Pico Boulevard and Saturn Street, except for areas where parking is currently prohibited at all times in the interest of traffic flow or safety, or where parking meters with time limit parking restrictions are already in use, upon Council action establishing the District.
- 7. INSTRUCT the LADOT to post the authorized parking restriction signs on the residential portions of Sierra Bonita Avenue between Pico Boulevard and Saturn Street, Ellsmere Avenue between Pico Boulevard and Saturn Street, and Stanley Avenue between Pico

Boulevard and Saturn Street, except for areas where parking is currently prohibited at all times in the interest of traffic flow or safety, or where parking meters with time limit parking are in operation, upon receipt and verification of petitions requesting the installation of the approved parking restrictions on any of these street segments and containing signatures of residents representing at least 67 percent of the dwelling units on that street segment, upon Council action establishing the District.

8. DIRECT the LADOT to prepare a Notice of Exemption reflecting the Council's action under Recommendation No. 1 above and file such notice with the City and County Clerks within five working days of the City Council's action.

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement</u>: The LADOT reports that revenue from the sale of permits will cover the additional cost of implementing, administering, and enforcing temporary PPD No. 137. Furthermore, the City may gain additional General Fund revenue from the issuance of parking citations to violators of the District's parking restrictions.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

## SUMMARY

At a regular meeting held on September 10, 2008, the Transportation Committee considered the LADOT report dated September 2, 2008 regarding the establishment of temporary PPD No. 137 for Picfair Village South of Pico Boulevard. An opportunity for public comment was held. Afterwards, the Committee moved to approve the recommendations contained in the LADOT report. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

 MEMBER
 VOTE

 GREUEL:
 YES

 LABONGE:
 YES

 ALARCON:
 YES

 PARKS:
 ABSENT

 ROSENDAHL:
 YES

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