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RESOLUTION

ESTABLISHMENT OF AN OVERSIZE VEHICLE RESTRICTED AREA ON TOPHAM STREET

WHEREAS, California Vehicle Code Section 22507 authorizes cities to restrict the parking of vehicles, including but not limited to vehicles that are six feet or more in height, on identified City streets during certain hours; and

WHEREAS, Topham Street in Tarzana, which abuts the Metro Orange Line Light Rail facility on the north, has become a popular location for the parking and storage of large vehicles, which results in fewer parking spaces for residents and businesses, as well as limited visibility for drivers; and

WHEREAS, a preschool, as well as numerous homes and businesses, are experiencing public safety issues associated with these large vehicles that park for long periods of time on Topham Street between Yolanda and Wilbur Avenues; and

WHEREAS, California Vehicle Code Section 22507 requires that with the exception of parking restrictions in alleys, a resolution that restricts the parking of vehicles, including but not limited to six feet or more in height, during all or certain hours of the day, will only apply in areas in which signs are posted giving notice of restrictions;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council, pursuant to California Vehicle Code Section 22507, hereby prohibits the parking of vehicles that are in excess of 22 feet in length or over 84 inches in height, during the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on both sides of Topham Street between Yolanda Avenue and Wilbur Avenue; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that upon the adoption of the Resolution, the Department of Transportation be directed to post signs giving notice of the above restriction for oversized vehicles, with those specific hours detailed, on both sides of Topham Street between Yolanda Avenue and Wilbur Avenue; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation be authorized to make any technical corrections or clarifications to the above instructions in order to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

PRESENTED BY: _____

BOB BLUMENFIELD
Councilmember, 3rd District

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