

PARKING & TRAFFIC COMMISSION
City of Inglewood City Hall Community Room A
One West Manchester Blvd.Inglewood, CA 90301

AUGUST 2021 MEETING MINUTES

1. Roll Call

- a. A meeting was held at the City of Inglewood located on the 1st Floor in Conference Room A at 7:04 pm.
- b. Attendees included:
 - Charles Braggs, District 1
 - Leonel Garcia, District 2
 - Brett C.S. Roberts, District 3
 - Barbara Brooks, District 4
 - Diana Maximo, Operations Manager
 - William Thompson, City of Inglewood / LAZ Parking Traffic Operations Manager
 - Peter Puglese, City Traffic Engineer
 - Raquel Méndez, Associate Engineer

2. Approval of Minutes

- a. Approval of Minutes for August 28, 2021
 - Commissioner Garcia made a motion to accept the meeting notes. Seconded by Commissioner Roberts
 - Chairperson Michael Benbow was not present for the voting. 4-5 approved the August Meeting Minutes

3. Public Comments

- a. The topic discussed by the public was Citywide Residential Permit Parking Program

1. General Comment

- A resident mentioned that some cities have the same policies, but Inglewood residents were not given enough time to hear more about the program before implementation. The program is too premature after living through the COVID-19 pandemic. More time should have been provided for residents to get involved before implementing.

2. 108th Street Resident

- Residents asked for more enforcement during the events; have the tag and virtual options.
- Residents raised concerns about the program as it does not provide any benefits to residents.

3. Manchester Drive Resident

- A resident who resides on Manchester Drive requested the City to investigate the City of Arlington Entertainment District Parking Ordinance. The resident believes that having folded lid open "No Parking" signs for 24 hours and flipping the sign before a special event will receive better acceptance in the neighborhoods than what the City is currently implementing. The resident provided the following information regarding the City of Arlington Entertainment District Parking Ordinance and special event parking. Documents are attached to the this meeting notes for reference.
- The parking hours are not reasonable and do not give residents a choice.
- The residents are satisfied with the old parking permit program not the new Citywide Residential Permit Parking Program

4. Seventh Avenue Resident

- Residents on 7th Avenue between Hardy Street and Century Boulevard provided their application to the Commission for processing.
- Residents collected signatures to opt-out of the program and avoid the Residential Parking Permit Program.

5. Crenshaw Boulevard Resident

- The resident was notified of the parking permit program with time enough and appreciated the support during the registration.

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- The resident believed that the process could be better. The resident enrolled in the program and prepared for the implementation of the program.
6. 118th Street Resident
- The resident opposed the parking permit program due to lack of fairness, censorship of privacy, its scope and cost. It is not a family friendly program.
 - Resident raised concern about lack of planning by Sofi due to not providing sufficient and affordable transportation for their clients.
- b. The Commission provides background information about the program and assisted residents, and will continue to assist to the best of its ability.
- c. Other topics covered by the public was as follows.
1. The Crenshaw Boulevard Resident
- The Resident expressed concern about vehicles racing at midnight. The resident along with others shared that they had contacted the Police Department but unfortunately no positive results have been obtained. Another concern was vehicles parked in the alley between 116th Street and 119th Street on Crenshaw Boulevard, in the city limits.
4. **Unfinished Business:** None
5. **New Business:** None
6. **Public Hearing:** None
7. **Resolution:** None
8. **Referral from City Council/City Department:** None
9. **Parking and Traffic Control:** None
10. **Police Department:** None
11. **Commissioner Initiatives:** None
12. **Announcements:** It was announced that the next meeting be on September 22, 2021
13. **Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned at 8:49 pm Pacific Time.
14. **Attachments**
- a. Attendance Log
 - b. Arlington City Entertainment District Parking Ordinance dated Friday, September 14, 2018
 - c. Entertainment District Special Events Parking
 - d. August Agenda

PARKING AND TRAFFIC COMMISSION MEETING ATTENDANCE LOG

Date: 08.25.2021

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Entertainment District Special Events Parking

The Arlington City Council has adopted an Entertainment District Parking Ordinance designed to protect neighborhoods within the Entertainment District from nuisances that stem from special event guests who park on neighborhood streets instead of in designated paid parking lots.

- **Signs prohibiting all on-street parking will be activated 24-hours prior to enforcement. Enforcement of the parking prohibition will begin approximately three (3) hours prior to the start of the listed event.**
- **During Dallas Cowboys home games and other marquee events, “No Parking” signs may be activated in any or all of the zones. When the signs are activated, all on-street parking is prohibited**
- **The on-street parking prohibition applies to all public streets where the No Parking signs are activated.**
- **All vehicles parked on-street where No Parking signs are visible are subject to removal via towing.**
- **Exceptions to the ordinance include vehicles stopped to make deliveries, drop off passengers to the residences, or to provide maintenance, repair or lawn service to a residence within the Entertainment District No Parking Zone.**

About The Ordinance

The Entertainment District Parking Ordinance will prohibit on-street parking in three residential areas only during select AT&T Stadium events listed on this webpage. The City Council approved the City’s ability to establish these temporary No Parking zones in response to residents’ neighborhood integrity concerns and the ability for emergency vehicles to easily get in and out of their neighborhoods. The temporary No Parking zones will be activated during all Dallas Cowboys home games as well as select concerts, sporting events and other high-profile activities at the stadium, which can hold up to 110,000 fans. The Arlington Police Department has identified these events based on factors that include projected attendance and previous neighborhood integrity concerns.

Entertainment District Parking Ordinance Aims to Protect Neighborhoods

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By Office of Communication

Posted on Friday, September 14, 2018



Earlier this year, the Arlington City Council adopted an Entertainment District Parking Ordinance designed to protect neighborhoods within the Entertainment District from cut-through traffic and other nuisances that stem from special event guests who park on neighborhood streets instead of in designated paid parking lots.

The ordinance, which the City will begin enforcing starting Saturday, Sept. 15, will prohibit on-street parking in three residential areas only during select AT&T Stadium events listed on the City's Entertainment District Special Events Parking webpage. The City Council approved the City's ability to establish these temporary No Parking zones in response to residents' concerns about the ability for emergency vehicles to easily get in and out of their neighborhoods.

"We strive to protect and maintain neighborhood integrity while ensuring our Entertainment District visitors have a great experience," Deputy Chief Leland Strickland said. "If fans choose not to park in designated event parking lots, their vehicles are not properly protected, and they could be towed."

The Arlington Police Department held neighborhood meetings in June, July and August to answer questions from affected property owners.

The City of Arlington has established the Entertainment District Special Event Parking webpage to provide residents and visitors with information about which stadium events the Entertainment District No Parking zones will be in effect.

Questions can be sent to eventparking@arlingtontx.gov.

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Residents who live in the identified zones are encouraged to sign up through Nixle, an alert notification system, to receive Arlington Police Department notifications by text and/or email regarding the special events times and dates when on-street parking will be prohibited. (Please see instructions on how to sign up for Nixle in the bulleted list below).

The City has installed folding No Parking signs, which are flipped open to be visible when on-street parking is not permitted. Signs will be flipped open to be visible 24 hours prior to the special event. The City plans to begin enforcement, at a minimum, three hours before the stadium event is under way.

What residents and visitors should know:

- Three Entertainment District No Parking Zones have been established. These areas are generally identified as:
 - **Stadium West Zone:** This area is directly west of AT&T Stadium and is roughly bounded by Slaughter Street to the north, Collins Street to the east, North Street to the south and Mesquite Street to the west.
 - **Roosevelt Zone:** This area is northwest of AT&T Stadium and is roughly bounded by Andrews Street to the north, Collins Street to the east, Randol Mill Road to the south and Mesquite Street to the west.
 - **Woodbrook Zone:** This area is north of AT&T Stadium and is roughly bounded by Road to Six Flags Street to the north, Willowbrook Street to the east, Woodbrook Street to the south and Collins Street to the west.
- During Dallas Cowboys home games and other marquee events, "No Parking" signs may be activated in any or all of the zones. When the signs are activated, all on-street parking is prohibited
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- Exceptions to the ordinance include vehicles stopped to make deliveries, drop off passengers to the residences, or to provide maintenance, repair or lawn service to a residence within the Entertainment District No Parking Zone.
- Residents who live in the designated zones are encouraged to sign-up through Nixle to receive text and email alerts from the Arlington Police Department for event times and dates when the Entertainment District Parking Ordinance is in effect by texting STADIUM to 888-777.
- Residents can also follow Arlington Police Department news through Nixle by texting FOLLOWAPD to 888-777.

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