

MEMORANDUM



Bellevue Parks &
Community Services

DATE: April 21st, 2025

TO: Parks & Community Services Board & Human Services
Commission Members

FROM: Nico Quijano, Homelessness Outreach Program
Manager Office of Housing, City Manager's Office

SUBJECT: Update on Safe Parking program

Background

The Safe Parking Pilot program, which opened to people living in their vehicles in May 2024, was just approved by City Council to continue operating until December 31st, 2026. The City's Homelessness Outreach Program Manager, Nico Quijano, who manages the contract, will briefly outline the City's history of exploring safe parking options and developing a Safe Parking Program.

The Safe Parking Program is facilitated by nonprofit agency 4 Tomorrow. After Nico's introduction, Laura Delmendo, 4 Tomorrow's Chief of Staff and Operations, will talk about the Safe Parking Program's first year of services, sharing data, successes, and lessons learned from the first year of the program's operation.