

November 20, 2017

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT

Ordinance relating to parking; amending Section 11.23.020 of the Bellevue City Code regarding parking over 24 hours; and establishing an effective date.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no direct fiscal impact to the City.

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POLICY CONSIDERATION

The Transportation Element of the Comprehensive Plan includes a number of policies aimed at preserving safety on the roadway systems and mitigating impacts of spillover parking on residential streets (Policies TR-39, TR-46, TR-48, TR-115 and TR-119). This Ordinance would provide for consistent implementation of those policies through the proposed amendments.

BACKGROUND

On October 23 City Council directed staff to amend the 24-hour parking code to provide consistency and clarity across parking codes. Bellevue City Code 11.23.020 prohibits parking in the *same public space* for a period exceeding 24 hours. However, "same public space" is undefined and has led to challenges in interpretation and enforcement. The proposed Ordinance clarifies that vehicles must be moved to a different block every 24-hours to remain in compliance.

EFFECTIVE DATE

If approved, this Ordinance becomes effective on December 26, 2017.

OPTIONS

1. Adopt the Ordinance relating to parking; amending Section 11.23.020 of the Bellevue City Code regarding parking over 24 hours; and establishing an effective date.
2. Do not adopt the Ordinance and provide alternate direction to staff.

RECOMMENDATION

Option 1

MOTION

Move to adopt Ordinance No. 6383 relating to parking; amending Section 11.23.020 of the Bellevue City Code regarding parking over 24 hours; and establishing an effective date.

ATTACHMENTS

A. Proposed Ordinance - Redline
Proposed Ordinance No. 6383

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N/A