

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 307290

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE MAR 14 2012

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
SAN DIEGO AUTHORIZING THE PARKING
ADMINISTRATION PROGRAM TO MODIFY ITS PARKING
CITATION PAYMENT AND APPEAL TIMELINE TO
CONFORM TO THE CALIFORNIA VEHICLE CODE.

WHEREAS, California Vehicle Code sections 40202, 40207 and 40215 provide that a registered owner must pay or contest a parking penalty within 21 calendar days from the date the citation is issued, or 14 calendar days after the notice of parking violation is mailed; and

WHEREAS, the City's parking citation payment and appeal timeline requires the registered owner to pay or contest a parking penalty within 30 calendar days from the date the citation is issued, or 21 calendar days after notice of parking violation is mailed; and

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted the parking citation payment and appeal timeline used by the Parking Administration Program on May 12, 1986 (San Diego Ordinance O-16638); and

WHEREAS, in a performance audit report issued on May 3, 2011, the City Auditor recommended that the Parking Administration Program modify its parking citation payment and appeal timeline to match that of the State of California; and

WHEREAS, the Parking Administration Program agreed with the recommendation and will implement a new parking citation payment and appeal timeline on July 1, 2012; and

WHEREAS, under the new parking citation payment and appeal timeline, the first late fee will be assessed on day 22, the second late fee will be assessed on day 57, and unpaid

citations will be referred to the Delinquent Accounts Program and the DMV on day 72; NOW,

THEREFORE,

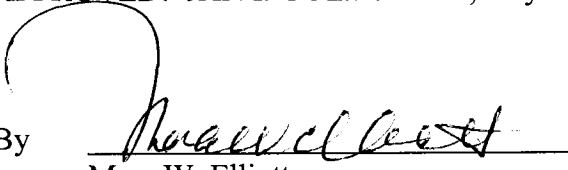
BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

1. That the Parking Administration Program modify its parking citation payment and appeal timeline to be consistent with California Vehicle Code sections 40202, 40207 and 40215; and

2. That the modified parking citation payment and appeal timeline go into effect on July 1, 2012.

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

By


Mara W. Elliott
Deputy City Attorney

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Or.Dept: Treasurer
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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of FEB 28 2012.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By 
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 3.14.12
(date)


JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed: _____
(date)

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor