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RESOLUTION

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ESTABLISHING AN OVERSIZE VEHICLE RESTRICTED AREA ON SAWTELLE BOULEVARD BETWEEN LA GRANGE AVENUE AND OLYMPIC BOULEVARD, ON MISSISSIPPI AVENUE BETWEEN CORINTH AVENUE AND BELOIT AVENUE AND ON OLYMPIC BOULEVARD BETWEEN BUNDY AVENUE AND CENTINELA AVENUE.

WHEREAS large vehicles are being left parked for long periods of time, often for many hours over the posted meter time, and in violation of various other parking rules and regulations, including rules requiring that vehicles be parked entirely within a space indicated by painted lines, on Sawtelle and Olympic Boulevards and Mississippi Avenue in the West Los Angeles area of the City of Los Angeles. These vehicles are oversized, not properly parked at parking meters or in public or private parking lots, and limit visibility for drivers of other vehicles on these streets, limit the availability of much needed public parking, and create public safety and health hazards, including creating a situation in which people "double-park" their vehicles in lanes of traffic in order to transact business at nearby locations


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 all or certain hours of the day;

WHEREAS, California Vehicle Code Section 22507 requires that with the exception of parking restrictions in alleys, a resolution or ordinance that restricts the parking of vehicles, including but not limited to vehicles that are 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 the restrictions;

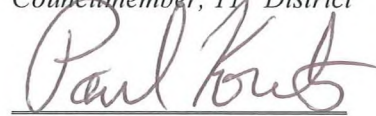
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council, pursuant to California Vehicle Code Section 22507, hereby prohibits the parking of vehicles that are in excess of 22 feet in length or over 84 inches in height during the hours of 7:00 a.m. through 10:00 p.m. on: (1) both sides of Sawtelle Boulevard between La Grange Avenue and Olympic Boulevard; and (2) both sides of Olympic Boulevard between Bundy Avenue and Centinela Avenue; and (3) both sides of Mississippi Avenue between Corinth Avenue and Beloit Avenue; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that upon the adoption of this Resolution, the Department of Transportation be directed to post signs giving notice of the parking restriction on both sides of Sawtelle Boulevard between Mississippi Avenue and Olympic Boulevard, and on both sides of Olympic Boulevard between Bundy Avenue and Centinela Avenue and on both sides of Mississippi Avenue between Corinth Avenue and Beloit Avenue.

PRESENTED BY:


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