RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the establishment of an Overnight Parking District (OPD) is an effective tool to address a variety of public safety and public welfare issues associated with non-resident vehicles that park overnight in residential neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, the residents along North Citrus Avenue and North Mansfield Avenue between Lexington Avenue and Santa Monica Boulevard face the problem of criminal activity and health and safety issues related to non-residents and homeless parking their vehicles overnight in their neighborhood; and

WHEREAS, LADOT received a letter from the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD), requesting the establishment of overnight parking restrictions along this segment of North Citrus Avenue and North Mansfield Avenue to address public safety and quality of life nuisance problems associated with the vehicles of non-residents; and

WHEREAS, the Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 80.54 provides for the establishment of OPDs and California Vehicle Code (CVC) Section 22651 (n) gives the City the authority to tow, where local authorities by ordinance or resolution have prohibited parking and authorized the removal of vehicles;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council, pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) Section 80.54 and California Vehicle Code Section 22651(n), hereby establishes an Overnight Parking District (OPD) with the following on-street parking restriction on both sides of North Citrus Avenue and North Mansfield Avenue between Lexington Avenue and Santa Monica Boulevard:

"Tow Away No Stopping 2 AM to 6 AM"

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that upon approval of this resolution, the Department of Transportation be directed to post the new parking restriction, as noted above, on signs along the street segment noted above; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the establishment of the OPD, pursuant to LAMC Section 80.54, is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) as a Class I Categorical Exemption, under the 2002 City CEQA Guidelines, Article III.1.a.3.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Police Department shall have the primary responsibility for the enforcement of the authorized nightly parking restrictions on this segment of North Citrus Avenue and North Mansfield Avenue once the signs have been posted, with support from LADOT Parking Enforcement; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized to make any technical adjustments deemed necessary to implement the parking signs authorized by this Resolution.

PRESENTED BY

David E. Ryu

Councilmember, 4th District

SECONDED BY:

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LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT

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March 27, 2019

Mr. Bhuvan Bajaj, Transportation Engineer Department of Transportation 6501 Fountain Avenue Los Angeles, California 90028

RE:

Support for Proposed Parking Restriction 1158 through 1120 North Citrus

Avenue and North Mansfield Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90038

Dear Mr. Bajaj:

The Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD), Hollywood Division, has received numerous complaints regarding large recreational vehicles (campers, trailers and buses) parking more than the 72-hour limit and taking up multiple parking spaces on North Citrus Avenue between Lexington Avenue and Santa Monica Boulevard and North Mansfield Avenue between Lexington Avenue and Santa Monica Boulevard. This is occurring throughout the day on the street; further it should be noted that most of those vehicles that park at this location do not have septic tanks installed and the waste is being dumped into the local storm drains.

The local businesses are requesting TOW AWAY NO PARKING 2am to 6am - 7 days a week.

The LAPD fully supports the imposed parking restrictions in an effort to prevent parking and deter nuisance activity in the area.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Officer Paul Jordan, Hollywood Area Community Relations Office, at (323) 871-4068.

Respectfully,

MICHEL R. MOORE Chief of Police

CORY PALKA, Captain Commanding Officer Hollywood Area