

MOTION

On July 10, 2014, the Council approved an ordinance (No. 183135) amending Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 41.20 to authorize the Bureau of Street Services to issue an annual recurring Special Event Permit; amending Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 80.08.6 to authorize the use of temporary "Parking Permitted" regulations in the City of Los Angeles; and amending Division L of Chapter VIII of the Los Angeles Municipal Code to add Section 80.58.2 to authorize the designation of certain streets in a Special Event Permit for the exclusive parking privilege of motor vehicles participating in the special event.

These changes were necessary because the existing ordinance regulating special events did not allow a sponsor of a recurring special event, other than a farmer's market, to obtain an annual permit. Allowing a recurring special event to obtain an annual permit, as well as amending the other listed sections of the Los Angeles Municipal Code, was expected to result in better planning and coordination among the various City agencies, better and more efficient traffic control, and better enforcement to alleviate any impacts to surrounding residents and businesses. At the direction of Council, the ordinance includes a sunset provision in section 41.20(b).

Special event permits have been issued over the past 18 months for recurring special events with great success. Therefore, a sunset provision is no longer necessary.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the Council request the City Attorney to prepare and present an ordinance amending Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 41.20(b) relative to special event permits issued for recurring special events to remove the sunset clause.

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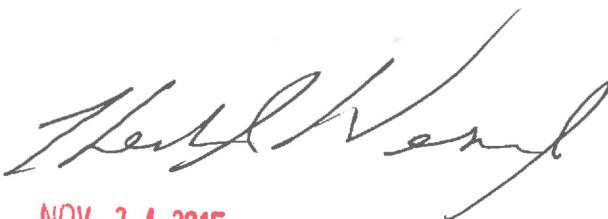


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