

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE REPORT relative to prohibiting the selling, leasing, reserving or facilitating the reserving of public parking spaces.

Recommendation for Council action:

REQUEST the City Attorney to prepare an ordinance prohibiting the selling, leasing, reserving or facilitating the reserving of any street, way, alley, highway, road, parkway, parking space or other public space in the City of Los Angeles without authorization from the City, substantially as presented in Ordinance dated November 3, 2014 (attached to the Council file), as amended to clarify that separate citations will be issued for each parking space used by the violator.

Fiscal Impact Statement: None submitted by the City Attorney. Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

## SUMMARY

Accompanying a report to Council dated November 3, 2014 (attached to the Council file), the City Attorney presents Ordinance adding a new Section 80.73.3 to Chapter VIII, Division N of the Los Angeles Municipal Code to prohibit the selling, leasing, reserving or facilitating the reserving of any street, way, alley, highway, road, parkway, parking space or other public space in the City of Los Angeles without authorization from the City.

The Transportation Committee discussed this matter at its meeting held November 12, 2014. Committee members were critical of the practice also known as monkey parking, stating it is an inappropriate use of public property for private profit. The Committee Chair asked the City Attorney to prepare a revised ordinance, amended to state that separate citations will be issued for each parking space used by the violator.

Respectfully Submitted,

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
BONIN:	YES
KORETZ:	YES
LABONGE:	ABSENT
PARKS:	ABSENT
KREKORIAN:	YES

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