



# **Agenda Report**

## **Fullerton City Council**

**MEETING DATE:** NOVEMBER 6, 2018

**TO:** CITY COUNCIL / CITY MANAGER

**SUBMITTED BY:** KENNETH A. DOMER, CITY MANAGER

**PREPARED BY:** YELENA VORONEL, ACTING DIRECTOR OF ENGINEERING  
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**SUBJECT:** DISABLED PERSONS PARKING – 1424 WEST VALENCIA DRIVE

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### **SUMMARY**

Consideration of a Transportation & Circulation Commission (T&CC) recommendation to install a Disabled Persons parking zone in front of 1424 West Valencia Drive.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

Adopt Resolution No. 2018-XX.

**RESOLUTION NO. 2018-XX – A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FULLERTON, CALIFORNIA, ESTABLISHING A DISABLED PERSONS PARKING ZONE IN FRONT OF 1424 WEST VALENCIA DRIVE**

### **PRIORITY POLICY STATEMENT**

This item matches the following Priority Policy Statement:

- Infrastructure and City Assets.

### **FISCAL IMPACT**

Minimal costs associated with the installation of necessary signing.

### **DISCUSSION**

The request for a Disabled Persons Parking space was made in an effort to secure close proximity parking near the front of 1424 West Valencia Drive. On-street parking in the immediate area is often unavailable during long portions of the day and early

evenings because of use by Pacific Drive Elementary School parents and evening classroom events. Regrettably, this prevents medical transportation from safely loading / unloading the resident's son, who is restricted to a wheelchair, without having to park some distance away or double-parking, which creates an unsafe condition as it blocks the bike lane.

Valencia Drive is a 64-foot wide, east / west secondary arterial street with a posted speed limit of 35 miles per hour and an average daily traffic volume of 16,700 vehicles. There is one lane of traffic in each direction with bike lanes and on-street parking. The immediate area is comprised of single-family properties with improved curb, gutter and sidewalk. "Early Morning Parking" between 2:00 a.m. to 5:00 a.m. is prohibited within the 1400 block of West Valencia Drive.

This particular residence has a 2-car garage and parking is permitted in the alley at the rear of the property. However, neither location is conducive to loading / unloading a wheelchair. The property owner has been notified that approval of the request would not exempt them from the Early Morning Parking restriction.

The property is ADA compliant for non-ambulatory limitations, as is required of this type of request.

A copy of the T&CC Staff Report (Attachment 2) is included for City Council's reference.

Attachments:

- Attachment 1 - Resolution No. 2018-XX with Exhibit
- Attachment 2 - T&CC Staff Report