

RESOLUTION NO. 6575(23)

A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Lompoc, County of Santa Barbara, State of California, Creating a Permit Parking Program on the 300 Block of North Ninth Street, Industrial Way, Chestnut Court, the 1400 and 1500 Blocks of North L Street, Commerce Court, and the 1600 Block of North O Street

WHEREAS, Lompoc Municipal Code section 10.28.040(B) prohibits parking on North Ninth Street (300 block), Industrial Way, Chestnut Court between the hours of 9:00 p.m. on any one day and 6:00 a.m. on the next day; North L Street (1400 and 1500 blocks), Commerce Court, between the hours of 11:00 p.m. on any one day and 5:00 a.m. on the next day; and North O Street (1600 block) between the hours of 11:00 p.m. on any one day and 6:00 a.m. on the next day; and

WHEREAS, Lompoc Municipal Code section 10.28.230 authorizes the City Council, by resolution, to establish a parking permit program, pursuant to Vehicle Code section 22507, which allows designated individuals to park in restricted parking zones when in possession of a City-issued permit; and

WHEREAS, the City is informed that employees, patrons, and guests of adjacent businesses may need to park on North Ninth Street (300 block), Industrial Way, Chestnut Court, North L Street (1400 and 1500 blocks), Commerce Court, and North O Street (1600 block) for legitimate business purposes; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that allowing employees, patrons, and guests of adjacent businesses to park on North Ninth Street (300 block), Industrial Way, Chestnut Court, North L Street (1400 and 1500 blocks), Commerce Court, and North O Street (1600 block) would benefit the businesses, would not be inconsistent with the purpose of the overnight parking ban on those streets, and will not adversely affect parking conditions for residents and merchants in the area.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOMPOC, CALIFORNIA, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The overnight parking restrictions on North Ninth Street (300 block), Industrial Way, Chestnut Court, North L Street (1400 and 1500 blocks), Commerce Court, and North O Street (1600 block), established in Lompoc Municipal Code section 10.28.040(B)(1-3), shall not apply to any vehicle displaying a valid parking permit, issued by the City, on the dashboard on the driver's side of the vehicle, or otherwise made clearly visible; provided, such vehicle is in compliance with the other provisions of this resolution and the provisions of the Lompoc Municipal Code.

SECTION 2. Any business operating, or owning property, immediately adjacent to North Ninth Street (300 block), Industrial Way, Chestnut Court, North L Street (1400 and 1500 blocks), Commerce Court, and North O Street (1600 block) may request and shall receive

from the City, upon payment of the fee set by the City Council, as many parking permits as may be reasonably necessary for its business needs.

SECTION 3. Each parking permit issued pursuant to this resolution shall clearly state it is only valid for parking on North Ninth Street (300 block), Industrial Way, Chestnut Court, North L Street (1400 and 1500 blocks), Commerce Court, and North O Street (1600 block), and shall clearly state the name of the business to which it was issued.

SECTION 4. Business owners may distribute their permits in accordance with their business needs, provided that permits shall only be given to employees, patrons, and guests of the business. Business owners shall not exchange or share their permits with any other business.

SECTION 5. This Resolution shall be effective immediately, but shall not be enforced until the effective date of Ordinance No. 1704(23).

The above and foregoing Resolution, proposed by Council Member _____, and seconded by Council Member _____, was duly passed and adopted by the Council of the City of Lompoc, at a regular meeting on May 2, 2023, by the following electronic vote:

AYES: Council Member(s):

NOES: Council Member(s):

ABSENT: Council Member(s):

Jenelle Osborne, Mayor
City of Lompoc

ATTEST:

Stacey Haddon, City Clerk
City of Lompoc