

MEETING DATE: November 10, 2008

AGENDA ITEM: Adoption of a Resolution to Increase the Civil Penalties and Surcharges for Parking Citations.

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PARKING FINE COMPARISON 2008

	Beverly Hills	Santa Monica	West Hollywood	Los Angeles	Average	Culver City	Proposed	% Increase
Street Sweeping	\$50	\$47	\$45	\$55	\$49	\$38	\$45	18%
Meter	\$40	\$35	\$35	\$45	\$39	\$36	\$40	11%
Posted Limits	\$45	\$47	\$40	\$40	\$43	\$38	\$45	18%
Permit Only Parking	\$45	\$47	\$40	\$50	\$46	\$38	\$45	18%
Red Curb	\$70	\$47	\$65	\$75	\$64	\$38	\$65	71%
Disabled Parking	\$335	\$330	\$331	\$340	\$334	\$330	\$335	2%
Alley Parking	\$65	\$35	\$65	\$50	\$54	\$38	\$45	18%
Blocking Driveway	\$45	\$47	\$40	\$50	\$46	\$38	\$40	5%
Blocking Crosswalk	\$70	\$35	\$40	\$50	\$49	\$38	\$40	5%
Fire Lane	\$270	\$47	\$65	\$45	\$107	\$60	\$75	25%
15' Fire Hydrant	\$65	\$35	\$65	\$50	\$54	\$33	\$50	52%
Overweight/Oversize Veh	ns	\$38	\$50	*55/80/110	\$48	\$38	\$45	18%
Parked over 72 hours/Abandoned	\$120	\$35	\$40	unk	\$65	\$33	\$40	21%
Sidewalk Parking	\$120	\$35	\$40	unk	\$65	\$38	\$40	5%
Unattached trailer	ns	\$38	\$40	*60/85/115	\$46	\$33	\$45	36%
Gridlock/Parking Intersection	\$45	\$35	\$40	\$50	\$43	\$38	\$50	32%
Default Fine	\$45	\$35	\$40	\$50	\$43	\$33	\$40	21%
Highlighted area indicates lowest fine								
*1st, 2nd, 3rd offense								

ATTACHMENT "A"

FISCAL YEAR 2007/2008 PARKING CITATIONS - PROPOSAL COMPARISON

VIOLATION	CITES ISSUED	CURRENT FINE	CITE VALUE	NEW FINE	CITE VALUE	INCREASE
STREET SWEEPING	13,495	\$ 38	\$ 512,810	\$ 45	\$ 607,275	\$ 94,465
METER VIOLATION	4,135	\$ 36	\$ 148,860	\$ 40	\$ 165,400	\$ 16,540
PARKING SPECIFIED TIME W/O PERMIT	4,113	\$ 38	\$ 156,294	\$ 45	\$ 185,085	\$ 28,791
NO REG TABS	1,899	\$ 25	\$ 47,475	\$ 25	\$ 47,475	\$ -
RED CURB	1,120	\$ 38	\$ 42,560	\$ 65	\$ 72,800	\$ 30,240
DISABLED PARKING	804	\$ 330	\$ 265,320	\$ 335	\$ 269,340	\$ 4,020
DISABLED HASHMARKS	53	\$ 330	\$ 17,490	\$ 335	\$ 17,755	\$ 265
NO PARKING ANYTIME	766	\$ 38	\$ 29,108	\$ 45	\$ 34,470	\$ 5,362
ANTI GRIDLOCK	607	\$ 38	\$ 23,066	\$ 50	\$ 30,350	\$ 7,284
OUTSIDE LINES/MARKED SPACE	422	\$ 38	\$ 16,036	\$ 40	\$ 16,880	\$ 844
ALLEY PARKING	375	\$ 33	\$ 12,375	\$ 45	\$ 16,875	\$ 4,500
PRIVATE PROP OR PARKWAY	319	\$ 38	\$ 12,122	\$ 40	\$ 12,760	\$ 638
YELLOW, GREEN OR WHITE CURB	291	\$ 33	\$ 9,603	\$ 40	\$ 11,640	\$ 2,037
ONE/NO PLATES	290	\$ 25	\$ 7,250	\$ 25	\$ 7,250	\$ -
BLOCKING DRIVEWAY	182	\$ 38	\$ 6,916	\$ 40	\$ 7,280	\$ 364
PARKED WITHIN 15 FT OF HYDRANT	179	\$ 33	\$ 5,907	\$ 50	\$ 8,950	\$ 3,043
PARKED ON SIDEWALK	168	\$ 38	\$ 6,384	\$ 40	\$ 6,720	\$ 336
CITY PROPERTY	167	\$ 38	\$ 6,346	\$ 40	\$ 6,680	\$ 334
OVRSDZD MTR/NON-MTR VEH	127	\$ 38	\$ 4,826	\$ 45	\$ 5,715	\$ 889
WRONG WAY PARKING	97	\$ 33	\$ 3,201	\$ 40	\$ 3,880	\$ 679
DOUBLE PARKING	90	\$ 38	\$ 3,420	\$ 40	\$ 3,600	\$ 180
UNPAVED SURFACE	72	\$ 38	\$ 2,736	\$ 40	\$ 2,880	\$ 144
BLUE CURB	68	\$ 330	\$ 22,440	\$ 335	\$ 22,780	\$ 340
CURB PARKING 18"	118	\$ 36	\$ 4,248	\$ 40	\$ 4,720	\$ 472
PERMIT PARKING	45	\$ 38	\$ 1,710	\$ 45	\$ 2,025	\$ 315
OBSTRUCTING FIRE HYDRANT	79	\$ 60	\$ 4,740	\$ 75	\$ 5,925	\$ 1,185
PARKED IN INTERSECTION	25	\$ 38	\$ 950	\$ 40	\$ 1,000	\$ 50
PARKED IN CROSSWALK	22	\$ 38	\$ 836	\$ 40	\$ 880	\$ 44
FIRELANE/FIRE ROAD	72	\$ 60	\$ 4,320	\$ 75	\$ 5,400	\$ 1,080
VEH OVER 10,000 LBS PKD 2AM-6AM	35	\$ 38	\$ 1,330	\$ 45	\$ 1,575	\$ 245
VEH 6'+W/IN 45 INTERSECTION	18	\$ 38	\$ 684	\$ 45	\$ 810	\$ 126
VEH PRKD EXCESS 72 HRS	17	\$ 33	\$ 561	\$ 40	\$ 680	\$ 119
DETACHED NON-MOTORIZED VEH	11	\$ 38	\$ 418	\$ 45	\$ 495	\$ 77
PKD W/I 15' FIRE STATION	1	\$ 38	\$ 38	\$ 50	\$ 50	\$ 12
VEH RUNNING W/O DRIVER	1	\$ 38	\$ 38	\$ 40	\$ 40	\$ 2
ADVERTISE/WASH/REPAIR	1	\$ 38	\$ 38	\$ 40	\$ 40	\$ 2
PD/ORIGINAL CITATION NOT RECEIVED	58		\$ -		\$ -	\$ -
DEFAULT FINE		\$ 33		\$ 40		
TOTAL	30,342		\$ 1,382,456		\$1,587,480	\$ 205,024

ATTACHMENT C

RESOLUTION NO. 2008-R____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CULVER CITY, CALIFORNIA, ADOPTING A BAIL SCHEDULE FOR PARKING VIOLATIONS UNDER THE CULVER CITY MUNICIPAL CODE AND THE CALIFORNIA VEHICLE CODE AND RESCINDING RESOLUTION NO. 2005-R070.

WHEREAS, California Vehicle Code § 40203.5 (see also, *Tyler v. County of Alameda* (1995) 34 Cal.App.4th 777) authorizes a local legislative body to establish civil penalties for parking violations within a City's jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, due to increased commercial activity within the City, and an increase in permit parking zones and time-specific parking zones, calls for service and complaints pertaining to parking violations the City are increasing; and

WHEREAS, current penalties are becoming increasingly ineffective in reducing violations or in educating the motorists as part of the City's parking management plan; and

WHEREAS, the City has not increased the majority of its parking fines since in or around 1993, and the cost of enforcement has increased due to rising fuel prices, employee salaries and administrative costs; and

WHEREAS, in order to assure that the City's parking violation penalties act as an effective deterrent to illegal parking, the City's parking violation penalties should be increased to be comparable to the parking violation penalties of surrounding communities.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Culver City, California, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE as follows:

1. The Civil Penalty Bail Schedule attached hereto as Exhibit "A" is hereby adopted; and

2. Bail forfeiture is hereby established for violations of the City's parking regulations set forth in Exhibit A;

1 3. The \$3.00 administrative fee charged by the Department of
2 Motor Vehicles to place a vehicle registration on hold for non-payment of a violation
3 shall e the responsibility of the violator and the violator's fine will be increased
4 accordingly.

5 4. Resolution No. 2005-R070 is hereby rescinded.

6 5. This resolution shall become effective as of November 10, 2008.

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8 APPROVED and ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2008.
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12 D. SCOTT MALSIN, MAYOR
13 City of Culver City, California

14 ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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17 MARTIN COLE, City Clerk

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19 CAROL A. SCHWAB, City Attorney
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EXHIBIT "A"
TO RESOLUTION 2008-R_____

CIVIL PENALTY BAIL SCHEDULE

CCMC Section	Description	Amount
7.01.220	Removal of Marks	\$50.00
7.01.240	Yellow/green/white curb	\$40.00
7.01.240(A)	Red Curb	\$65.00
7.01.240(E)	Blue Curb [disabled persons parking]	\$335.00
7.03.025	Parking Outside of Marked Spaces	\$40.00
7.03.040	Parking Over a Specified Time	\$45.00
7.03.205	Private Property or Parkway	\$40.00
7.03.215	No Parking Anytime	\$45.00
7.03.215(E)	Street Sweeping	\$45.00
7.03.220(A)	Parking in Excess of 72 Consecutive Hours	\$40.00
7.03.225	Advertising/Washing/Repairing	\$40.00
7.03.235	Illegal City Property Parking	\$40.00
7.03.240	Alley Parking	\$45.00
7.03.245	Unpaved Surface	\$40.00
7.03.420	Bus Stop or Taxi Cab Stand	\$40.00
7.03.525	Meter Violation	\$40.00
7.03.610 (A)	Parking of Large and Non-motorized Vehicles	\$45.00
7.03.610 (C)	Parking of Commercial Vehicles	\$45.00
7.03.610 (D)	Parking Within 45 Feet of Intersection	\$45.00

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1 Fire Code Violations

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3	508.5.4	Obstruction or Impairment of Fire Hydrants, Standpipes, PIV, Etc.	75.00
4	1028.3	Obstruction of Interior Fire Exit	75.00
5	1028.3	Obstructing Emergency Exit, exterior	75.00
6	504.1	Blocking Access to Exterior Doors	75.00
7	503.4	Obstruction of Access Road	75.00

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9 California Vehicle Code Sections

10	4000A	Invalid Registration	\$ 25.00
11	5200	One Plate Only	25.00
12	5202	No License Plates	25.00
13	5204	License Plate Tabs	25.00
14	22500(a)	Parked within Intersection	40.00
15	22500(b)	Parked within Crosswalk	40.00
16	22500(d)	Parked within 15' of Fire Station	50.00
17	22500(e)	In/Blocking Driveway	40.00
18	22500(f)	On or Across Sidewalk	40.00
19	22500(h)	Double Parking	40.00
20	22500(k)	Parking on a Bridge	40.00
21	22502(a)	Curb Parking/18"	40.00
22	22502(b)	Wrong Way Parking	40.00
23	22514	By Fire Hydrant w/o Driver	50.00
24	22507.8	Restricted/Handicap	330.00
25	22514	Parked within 15' of Fire Hydrant	50.00
26	22515	Vehicle Running without Driver	40.00
27	21113(a)	Parked on Public Grounds	40.00



1	22526(a)	Anti-Gridlock	50.00
2	27155	Fuel Cap Required	40.00

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4 **Default Penalty**

5 Any other parking violation not listed 40.00

6 **Delinquent Penalties**

7 If not paid within 21 days of issuance, 100% penalty shall apply. California Vehicle
8 Code § 40203.5(a) & (b).

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10 **DMV Administrative Fee**

11 A \$3.00 administrative fee charged by the California Department of Motor Vehicles to
12 place a vehicle registration on hold for non-payment of a violation will be the
13 responsibility of the violator and will increase the violator's fine accordingly.