

City of Garden Grove

INTER-DEPARTMENT MEMORANDUM

To: Matthew Fertal
Dept.: City Manager
Subject: PARKING ENFORCEMENT AGREEMENT
WITH THE CITY OF ANAHEIM

From: Keith G. Jones
Dept.: Public Works
Date: July 8, 2008

OBJECTIVE

To secure City Council approval of a Parking Enforcement Agreement between the City of Anaheim and the City of Garden Grove.

BACKGROUND

On May 2, 2000 the City of Garden Grove entered into an agreement with the City of Anaheim to address spill over parking from the Anaheim Convention Center onto adjacent local streets in Garden Grove.

The agreement outlines the City of Anaheim's responsibilities in providing parking enforcement within Garden Grove. Currently, Garden Grove residents adjacent to the convention center can obtain parking permits (at no cost) from the City of Anaheim to help ensure that they can park on street in front of their homes. The affected streets include Ricky Avenue and portions of West Street and Orangewood Avenue.

DISCUSSION

The current agreement is set to expire August 5, 2008. The new proposed agreement will be from August 6, 2008 through August 5, 2011 unless terminated by either party. The agreement can then be renewed for two (2) successive three-year periods (thus making the total term a potential of nine years).

The new proposed agreement is essentially identical to the current agreement. Traffic Engineering together with the Police Department have had no problems with the current agreement and are supportive of continuing this arrangement with the City of Anaheim. Also, staff has not received any complaints from Garden Grove residents in the area of the Anaheim Convention Center concerning the permit parking nor its enforcement.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

The agreement calls for Garden Grove to pay Anaheim ten dollars (\$10.00) for each citation issued. Over the last three years, the annual amount paid by Garden Grove has averaged approximately two hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$275.00).


COMMUNITY VISION IMPLEMENTATION


This project is consistent with the community vision for a family-oriented community in providing safe, well-kept neighborhoods where all segments of the community feel secure and comfortable.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the City Council:

- Approve the Parking Enforcement Agreement between the City of Anaheim and the City of Garden Grove.
- Authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to execute the agreement on behalf of the City of Garden Grove


KEITH G. JONES
Director of Public Works


By: Dan Candelaria, P.E., T.E.
City Traffic Engineer

Attachments: No. 1 – Copy of Expiring Agreement
No. 2 – New Parking Enforcement Agreement (3)

Recommended for Approval


Matthew Feral
City Manager