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**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**



FROM: Economic Development Agency

SUBMITTAL DATE:
September 25, 2009

SUBJECT: Receive and File Report on EDA Provided Secure Parking for District Attorney Fleet Vehicles in Downtown Riverside

RECOMMENDED MOTION: Move that the Board of Supervisors receive and file the report on EDA provided secure parking for District Attorney fleet vehicles in Downtown Riverside.

BACKGROUND:

The Economic Development Agency (EDA) has been working cooperatively with the District Attorney's Office (DA) to provide secured fleet parking for 80 additional carpool vehicles (for a total of 123 reserved parking stalls) to be located within the Orange Street Parking Structure. In order to accomplish this task and ensure that adequate parking was available to the DA within the Orange Street Parking Structure, EDA revamped its existing parking system to clearly designate this structure as a strictly permitted county fleet vehicle only facility. This was accomplished by resigning the structure to indicate it is strictly for county fleet vehicle use only. Also, EDA provided parking permit hang tags for county fleet vehicles assigned to park within the structure. The (Continued)

Dan Martinez for

Robert Field
Assistant County Executive Officer/EDA

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| FINANCIAL DATA | Current F.Y. Total Cost: | \$ 0 | In Current Year Budget: | N/A |
| | Current F.Y. Net County Cost: | \$ 0 | Budget Adjustment: | N/A |
| | Annual Net County Cost: | \$ 0 | For Fiscal Year: | 2009/10 |

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| SOURCE OF FUNDS: N/A | Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | Requires 4/5 Vote | <input type="checkbox"/> |

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: APPROVE

BY: Jennifer L. Sargent

County Executive Office Signature

Dept. Recomm.: Consent Policy

Per Exec. Ofc.: Consent Policy

Prev. Agn. Ref.: | **District:** All | **Agenda Number:**

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Background: (Continued)

parking permit hang tags were distributed to all county departments assigned to park their fleet vehicles in this structure. Parking enforcement is scheduled to be implemented effective October 13, 2009, for non permitted violators discovered parking within the structure.

EDA delivered the DA's parking permit hang tags on Thursday, October 1 and advised DA staff that over 80 additional parking stalls within the structure (in addition to their existing 43 reserved fleet parking stalls) had been reserved for their use. The 80 additional reserved DA fleet parking stalls within the Orange Street Parking Structure were made available to the DA for immediate use on Monday, October 5.

Finally, EDA has identified the following issues regarding the current Board-approved parking ordinance which will require Board direction and clarification:

1. Should the current Board-approved monthly parking fee of \$35 per vehicle per month for parking access within the county's downtown Riverside parking structures apply to county-owned fleet vehicles?
2. Currently, county employees park their personal vehicles in the Orange Street Parking Structure while using the county fleet vehicle on county business (at no cost to the employee). Should private vehicles owned by county employees be allowed to park in the Orange Street Parking Structure or should it be a county fleet vehicle facility only?
3. Should the current Board-approved reserved parking fee of \$500 per year apply to county-owned fleet vehicles parking within the Orange Street Parking Structure?

EDA shall return to the Board under separate cover on October 27th to make formal recommendations and seek Board action regarding the above issues.