



TOWN OF FAIRFAX

STAFF REPORT

May 6, 2015

TO: Mayor and Town Council

FROM: Garrett Toy, Town Manager

SUBJECT: Introduction and first reading by title only of an Ordinance of the Town Council of the Town of Fairfax amending Chapter 10.04 of the Town Code ("Uniform Traffic Ordinance Adopted") to allow overnight parking in Downtown by Town Council Resolution.

RECOMMENDATION

Introduce and waive first reading and read by title only of an Ordinance of the Town Council of the Town of Fairfax amending Chapter 10.04 of the Town Code ("Uniform Traffic Ordinance Adopted") to allow overnight parking in Downtown by Town Council Resolution.

DISCUSSION

At its April 2015 meeting to discuss a pilot residential parking system, the Council indicated it would like to allow overnight parking along Center Blvd. from Pacheco to Pastori. However, current Town Code prohibits overnight street parking in the downtown. This section of the Code was last amended in 1987.

The proposed amendment will allow the Council the flexibility to permit overnight parking in the downtown by resolution. The resolution to permit overnight parking along Center Blvd. will be brought to the Council in June along with the second reading of the ordinance if it is introduced this evening

FISCAL IMPACT

None at this time

ATTACHMENTS

Redline of Town Code

Ordinance (to be distributed in a supplement prior to the Council meeting)

§ 10.04.120 U.T.O. § 11.8 ADOPTED; ALL-NIGHT PARKING IN DOWNTOWN BUSINESS DISTRICT.

The Uniform Traffic Ordinance as adopted by § 10.04.010 is amended by adoption of § 11.8, to read as follows:

Section 11.8. ALL NIGHT PARKING IN DOWNTOWN BUSINESS DISTRICT PROHIBITED.

No person shall stop, stand or park a vehicle on any street in the downtown business district: for a period of time longer than 30 minutes between the hours of 2:00 A.M. to 6:00 A.M. on any day, except as amended by Town Council Resolution in designated areas.

(Prior Code, § 10.04.110) (Ord. 559, passed - -1987)