



SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

Legislative Summary

CB 118828

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Title: AN ORDINANCE relating to street and sidewalk use; amending Section 11.23.440 of the Seattle Municipal Code, to establish a formal parklet program in the public place.

Date

Notes:

Filed with City Clerk:

Mayor's Signature:

Sponsors: Burgess

Vetoed by Mayor:

Veto Overridden:

Veto Sustained:

Attachments:

Drafter: amy.gray@seattle.gov

Filing Requirements/Dept Action:

History of Legislative File

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☐ Yes

☐ No

Ver- sion:	Acting Body:	Date:	Action:	Sent To:	Due Date:	Return Date:	Result:
1	Mayor	09/26/2016	Mayor's leg transmitted to Council	City Clerk			
1	City Clerk	10/07/2016	sent for review	Council President's Office			
	Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was sent for review. to the Council President's Office						
	Notes:						
1	Council President's Office	10/27/2016	sent for review	Select Budget Committee			
	Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was sent for review. to the Select Budget Committee						
	Notes:						
1	Full Council	11/07/2016	referred	Select Budget Committee			
1	Select Budget Committee	11/16/2016	pass				Pass
	Action Text: The Committee recommends that Full Council pass the Council Bill (CB).						
	Notes:						

In Favor: 9 Chair Burgess, Member Bagshaw, Member Harrell, Member Herbold,
Member Juarez, Member Johnson, Member González , Member O'Brien,
Member Sawant

Opposed: 0

1 Full Council 11/21/2016 passed Pass

Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was passed by the following vote, and the President signed the Bill:

In Favor: 9 Councilmember Bagshaw, Councilmember Burgess, Councilmember
González , Council President Harrell, Councilmember Herbold,
Councilmember Johnson, Councilmember Juarez, Councilmember
O'Brien, Councilmember Sawant

Opposed: 0

1 City Clerk 11/22/2016 submitted for Mayor
Mayor's signature

1 Mayor 11/28/2016 Signed

1 Mayor 11/28/2016 returned City Clerk

Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was returned. to the City Clerk

Notes:

1 City Clerk 11/28/2016 attested by City
Clerk

Action Text: The Ordinance (Ord) was attested by City Clerk.

Notes:

CITY OF SEATTLE
ORDINANCE 125186
COUNCIL BILL 118828

AN ORDINANCE relating to street and sidewalk use; amending Section 11.23.440 of the Seattle Municipal Code, to establish a formal parklet program in the public place.

WHEREAS, the Pedestrian Master Plan, adopted by Resolution 31157, establishes an objective to promote vibrant public spaces that encourage walking, including public spaces integrated with adjacent businesses; and

WHEREAS, the ten-year Move Seattle Strategy, developed in 2015, identifies the need to transform Seattle's streets and sidewalks into vibrant social spaces and calls for formalizing a parklet program; and

WHEREAS, the Pilot Parklet Program, launched in 2013, demonstrated the ability of parklets to provide active neighborhood gathering spaces that are well supported by businesses and residents; and

WHEREAS, the Seattle Department of Transportation supports adopting a parklet program to increase vibrancy in neighborhood business districts, create a more attractive pedestrian environment, improve sidewalk mobility, and support local business needs; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SEATTLE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 11.23.440 of the Seattle Municipal Code, last amended by Ordinance 124261, is amended as follows:

11.23.440 Parking privileges

1 No person shall be granted a franchise, special privilege, or permit to the exclusion of any other
2 person for parking vehicles on any roadway, except for the following uses:

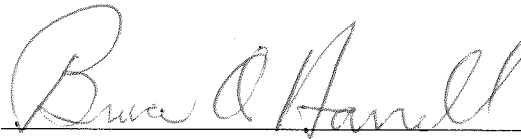
3 A. Zones may be granted for taxicabs, official career consul vehicles, moving or loading,
4 disabled persons, curb space parking including no parking zones, service parking, carpool
5 parking, car share parking, food vehicles, or similar uses, or for any restricted parking zone
6 program that may be developed. Establishment of a zone does not constitute a grant of franchise.

7 B. The Director may issue a permit to authorize the use of curb space or other parking
8 spaces for amenities that facilitate useable open space, landscaping, public sanitation, or active
9 recreation, including but not limited to bike-share stations and other bike-share-related facilities
10 that are made available for general public use.

11 Section 2. The Director of Transportation may promulgate rules to aid in the
12 administration of a parklet program, as authorized in Section 3.12.020 of the Seattle Municipal
13 Code.

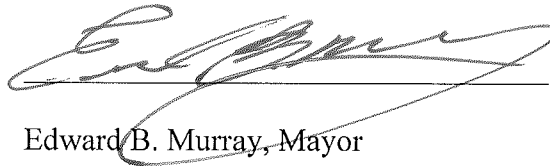
Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect on January 1, 2017.

Passed by the City Council the 21st day of November, 2016, and
signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this
21st day of November, 2016.



President _____ of the City Council

Approved by me this 28th day of November, 2016.


Edward B. Murray, Mayor

Filed by me this 28th day of NOVEMBER, 2016.



Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk

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