



SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

Legislative Summary

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Title: AN ORDINANCE relating to Seattle Center parking charges; amending Section 17.19.010 of the Seattle Municipal Code.

Date

Notes:

Filed with City Clerk:

Mayor's Signature:

Sponsors: Bagshaw

Vetoed by Mayor:

Veto Overridden:

Veto Sustained:

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Version:	Acting Body:	Date:	Action:	Sent To:	Due Date:	Return Date:	Result:
1	Mayor	09/24/2018	Mayor's leg transmitted to Council	City Clerk			
1	City Clerk	10/22/2018	sent for review	Council President's Office			
1	Council President's Office	10/24/2018	sent for review	Select Budget Committee			
1	City Council	10/29/2018	referred	Select Budget Committee			
Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was referred. to the Select Budget Committee							
Notes:							
1	Select Budget Committee	10/30/2018					
1	Select Budget Committee	11/07/2018					
1	Select Budget Committee	11/14/2018	pass				Pass
Action Text: The Committee recommends that City Council pass the Council Bill (CB).							
Notes:							

In Favor: 9 Chair Bagshaw, Member González , Member Harrell, Member Herbold,
Member Johnson, Member Juarez, Member Mosqueda, Member O'Brien,
Member Sawant
Opposed: 0

1 City Council 11/19/2018 passed Pass

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

Notes:

In Favor: 9 Councilmember Bagshaw, Councilmember González , Council
President Harrell, Councilmember Herbold, Councilmember Johnson,
Councilmember Juarez, Councilmember Mosqueda, Councilmember
O'Brien, Councilmember Sawant
Opposed: 0

1 City Clerk 11/21/2018 submitted for Mayor
Mayor's signature

1 Mayor 11/26/2018 Signed

1 Mayor 11/26/2018 returned City Clerk

1 City Clerk 11/26/2018 attested by City Clerk

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

Notes:

CITY OF SEATTLE

ORDINANCE 125700

COUNCIL BILL 119381

AN ORDINANCE relating to Seattle Center parking charges; amending Section 17.19.010 of the Seattle Municipal Code.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SEATTLE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 17.19.010 of the Seattle Municipal Code, last amended by Ordinance 124041, is amended as follows:

17.19.010 Seattle Center parking charges ((:))

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B. Regular ~~((Charges))~~ charges. The ~~((Regular))~~ regular Seattle Center parking ~~((charges))~~ (“Regular Parking”) charges shall be composed of two types of charges: ~~((Daily))~~ daily charges and ~~((Monthly))~~ monthly charges. Regular Parking charges shall apply to all vehicles (including vehicles displaying disabled permits) unless the vehicle qualifies for a Special Parking charge pursuant to this Section 17.19.010 or rules adopted under this Section 17.19.010. The Regular Parking charge shall be prorated commensurate with the size and number of parking space(s) required by vehicles, such as motorcycles, mopeds, buses, and other over- or undersized vehicles.

1. Daily ~~((Parking))~~ parking. Daily charges shall be determined by the Director with consideration for demand and shall not be less than \$1 for the first hour of parking nor greater than ~~((30))~~ \$45 for any ~~((ten))~~ 12-hour period.

2. Monthly ~~((Parking))~~ parking. Monthly ~~((Parking))~~ parking charges shall be not less than ~~((30))~~ \$85 nor greater than ~~((140))~~ \$250 for a ~~((Monthly Parking))~~ monthly parking permit valid on a space available basis. The ~~((Monthly Parking))~~ monthly parking charge

1 may be prorated when a ~~((Monthly Parking))~~ monthly parking permit is purchased for only a
2 portion of a month, in accordance with rules adopted under this Section 17.19.010.

3 C. Special Parking ~~((Charges))~~ charges. At the discretion of the Seattle Center
4 Director or ~~((such official's))~~ the Director's designee, ~~((Special Parking))~~ special Seattle Center
5 parking ("Special Parking") charges may be established as follows:

6 1. Monthly ~~((Parking Discounts))~~ parking discounts. For the simultaneous
7 purchase, not for resale at a profit, of ten ~~((10))~~ or more ~~((Monthly Parking))~~ monthly parking
8 permits for a given month, a discounted charge equal to not less than ~~((seventy-five (75)))~~ 75
9 percent of the ~~((Monthly Parking))~~ monthly parking charge.

10 2. Parking ~~((Scrip))~~ scrip. For the simultaneous purchase, not for resale at a
11 profit, ~~((of one (1) or more books of Seattle Center parking scrip or the simultaneous purchase,~~
12 ~~not for resale at a profit, of one hundred (100) or more Daily Parking tickets,))~~ a discounted
13 charge equal to not less than ~~((seventy-five (75)))~~ 75 percent of the Regular Parking charge
14 therefor.

15 ~~((3. Park and Ride Program. For the purchase, not for resale at a profit, of a~~
16 ~~parking permit for a given month by a participant in a Seattle Center Park and Ride program, a~~
17 ~~discounted charge equal to not less than fifty (50) percent of the Monthly Parking charge.))~~

18 ~~((4))~~ 3. ~~((Reserved Parking Program))~~ Premium parking program. For the
19 privilege of participating in ~~((the Mercer Street Garage or))~~ the Seattle Center Facility
20 ~~((Reserved Area Parking Program))~~ premium parking program (under which a non-designated
21 parking space in such garage ~~((/or))~~ is reserved for the participant), a charge of not more than
22 ~~((Thirty Dollars (\$30.00)))~~ \$75 for the period of time coinciding with the event reservation plus a

1 service charge of ~~not less than the greater of ((One Dollar and Fifty Cents (\$1.50)))~~ \$25 nor
2 ~~more than or ((Three Dollars (\$3.00) for))~~ one percent of each parking order.

3 ~~((5. Vehicle In and Out Privileges. For the privilege of moving a vehicle in
4 and out of a Seattle Center parking facility when a Daily Parking ticket is purchased, a surcharge
5 of not more than Two Dollars (\$2.00).~~

6 ~~6. Event Carpool. To encourage carpooling during Seattle Center festivals
7 and events as designated by the Director, Event Carpool charges may be established based on
8 vehicle occupancy, shall not exceed a rate of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) and shall be implemented
9 at parking locations as designated by the Director. During designated Seattle Center festivals and
10 events, the Event Carpool charge for vehicles displaying valid disabled permits shall not exceed
11 Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00) regardless of vehicle occupancy. Seattle Center employees on paid
12 status during designated Seattle Center festivals will pay the lowest festival carpool rate
13 regardless of vehicle occupancy.)~~

14 ~~((7))~~ 4. In ((Excess of Ten (10) Hours)) excess of 12 hours. For parking in excess
15 of ~~((ten (10)))~~ 12 hours up to a total of ~~((twenty four (24)))~~ 24 hours, a fee equal to ~~((twice the))~~
16 each 12-hour applicable ~~((Event or Nonevent Parking))~~ event or non-event parking charge for the
17 designated location.

18 ~~((8))~~ 5. Parking ((Coupons)) coupons. For the privilege of having the Seattle
19 Center Department honor parking coupons, a charge per event as follows: ~~((a.))~~ If the Seattle
20 Center Department incurs any costs for the production of the parking coupons or any incremental
21 staffing costs due to their use, then the greater of ~~((i))~~ the Regular Parking charges that would
22 apply to the parking of all vehicles for which the parking coupons are used plus the incremental
23 staffing costs and actual production costs incurred by the Seattle Center Department, ~~((or (ii))~~

1 ~~One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00))~~ or a charge of not more than \$45 for the period of time
2 coinciding with the event plus a service charge of the greater of \$25 or one percent of each
3 parking order.

4 ~~((b. If the Seattle Center Department incurs neither costs for the~~
5 ~~production of the parking coupons nor incremental staffing costs due to their use, then the greater~~
6 ~~of (i) the Regular Parking charges that would apply to the parking of all vehicles for which the~~
7 ~~parking coupons are used, or (ii) Fifty Dollars (\$50.00).))~~

8 For purposes of this subsection 17.19.010.C.5, a “parking coupon” is a coupon
9 authorized in advance by the Seattle Center Director or ~~((his or her))~~ the Director’s designee,
10 containing at a minimum the limitations, ~~((and))~~ conditions, and instructions specified by the
11 Director or ~~((his or her))~~ the Director’s designee, that is distributed by the sponsor of an event or
12 activity expected to require the use of parking facilities operated by the Seattle Center
13 Department, and that is surrendered by the driver of a vehicle at a parking facility operated by
14 the Seattle Center Department in lieu of payment at the time of parking there.

15 ~~((9))~~ 6. Short-term ~~((Premises Licensees))~~ premises licensees. For the purchase of
16 a permit issued to short-term premises licensees for use of Seattle Center parking facilities for a
17 specified duration, ~~((with in-and-out privileges,))~~ a charge of not less than ~~((Six Dollars (\$6.00)))~~
18 \$15 and not more than ~~((Thirty Dollars (\$30.00)))~~ \$45 per day.

19 7. Other parking charges

20 a. For the replacement of a lost monthly parking access card, a charge
21 of not less than \$5 and not more than \$15.

22 b. For a purchase of monthly parking after the close of the announced
23 monthly parking sales period, a charge of \$15.

1 c. For the online customer transaction fee for the purchase of monthly
2 parking, a charge of not more than \$5 and not less than \$3.

3 d. For a lost parking facility entry ticket an amount of not more than
4 twice the 12-hour fee in place at time of entry.

5 D. Permits for ~~((Parking Without Charge))~~ parking without charge. At the discretion
6 of the Seattle Center Director, parking permits may be issued, without charge, to individuals
7 providing uncompensated service to the Seattle Center Department or to the Seattle Center
8 Advisory Commission, to any officer or employee of The City of Seattle or other governmental
9 entity, or to any person in order to facilitate any contractor engaged in a construction or
10 demolition project at Seattle Center, to enhance public safety or to align with the Department's
11 race and social justice goals.

12 E. When ~~((Parking Charges Due and Payable))~~ parking charges due and payable. All
13 parking charges imposed pursuant to this ~~((section))~~ Section 17.19.010 shall be due and payable
14 in advance or as of the commencement of the use of the subject parking area except when 1) a
15 short-term premises licensee has contracted to pay for parking fees as part of the Seattle Center
16 Licensing Agreement, 2) a parking coupon is used, pursuant to subsection ~~((C.8.))~~
17 17.19.010.C.5, 3) a client is invoiced for parking charges and pays according to standard Seattle
18 Center invoicing provisions, or ~~((3))~~ 4) automated parking equipment ~~((is))~~ installed in the
19 parking facility ~~((which))~~ prohibits exiting the facility unless proof of payment is provided.

20 F. Enforcement of ~~((Parking Charges))~~ parking charges. A parking surcharge equal
21 to no more than Five Dollars (\$5.00) shall be due and payable whenever the applicable parking
22 charge has not been paid at or before the time such parking charge became due and payable. An
23 additional parking surcharge equal to no more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) shall be due and

1 payable whenever the applicable parking charge or the first surcharge has not been paid within
2 fourteen (14) days after the time the parking charge became due and payable. At the discretion of
3 the Director, the Department may allow all or a portion of the parking surcharges collected by an
4 agent to be retained by the agent in exchange for said agent's collection and remittance of the
5 parking charge to the Seattle Center.

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1 Section 2. Section 1 of this ordinance shall take effect January 1, 2019.

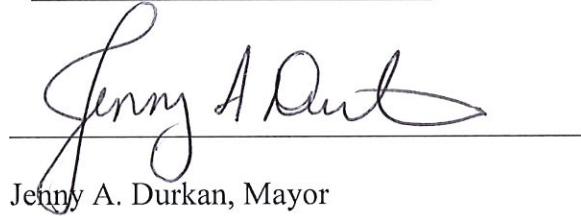
2 Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force 30 days after its approval by
3 the Mayor, but if not approved and returned by the Mayor within ten days after presentation, it
4 shall take effect as provided by Seattle Municipal Code Section 1.04.020.

5 Passed by the City Council the 19th day of November, 2018,
6 and signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this 19th day of
7 November, 2018.

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9 President _____ of the City Council

10 Approved by me this 26th day of November, 2018.

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12 Jenny A. Durkan, Mayor

13 Filed by me this 26th day of NOVEMBER, 2018.

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15 Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk

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