

**RESOLUTION NO. 2021-45-CC**

**CITY OF SOUTH GATE  
LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA**

**RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
SOUTH GATE, CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING THE  
MODIFICATION TO THE CALIFORNIA VEHICLE CODE  
SECTION 22514 TO INCREASE PARKING CAPACITY**

**WHEREAS**, California Vehicle Code Section 22514 provides, in part, that no person shall stop, park, or leave standing any vehicle within 15 feet of a fire hydrant except under certain limited exceptions, including where the local authority adopts an ordinance or resolution reducing that distance;

**WHEREAS**, in such instances where the distance is less than 10 feet total length when measured along the curb or edge of the street, the distance shall be indicated by signs or markings; and

**WHEREAS**, the City desires to reduce the 15-foot parking restriction adjacent to fire hydrants to a minimum of 5 feet on both sides of a fire hydrant, on a case-by-case and on an as-needed basis as determined by the Director of Public Works to create additional parking spaces.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH GATE DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1.** The City Council does hereby declare that the above recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein by reference.

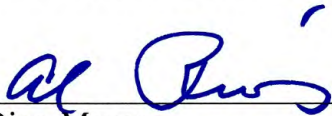
**SECTION 2.** The City Council, acting in its capacity as a local authority within the meaning of California Vehicle Code Section 22514 does hereby authorize this adoption of this resolution reducing the distance that a vehicle is prohibited from stopping, parking, or being left standing, from 15 feet to a minimum distance of 5 feet on both sides of a fire hydrant when measured along the curb or edge of the street.

**SECTION 3.** The City Council does hereby authorize the Director of Public Works to reduce the distance that a vehicle is prohibited from stopping, parking, or being left standing from 15 feet to a minimum distance of 5 feet on both sides of a fire hydrant, on a case-by-case and on an as-needed basis, to create additional parking spaces, with such signs or markings as may be required by California Vehicle Section 22514. Nothing in this Resolution shall be interpreted as eliminating all such existing distance requirements for other hydrants.

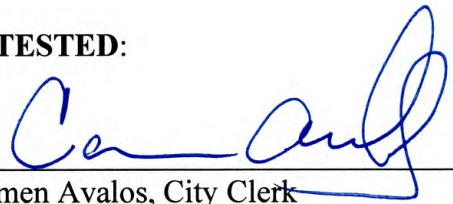
**SECTION 4.** The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this Resolution which shall be effective upon its adoption.

**PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED** this 28<sup>th</sup> day of September 2021.

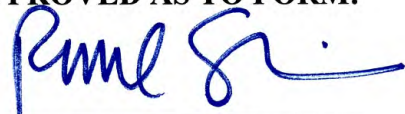
**CITY OF SOUTH GATE:**

By:   
Al Rios, Mayor

**ATTESTED:**

  
Carmen Avalos, City Clerk  
(SEAL)

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

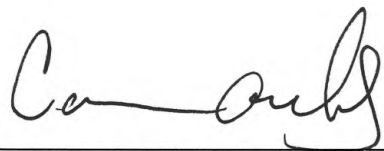
  
Raul F. Salinas, City Attorney

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA** )  
**COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES** ) **SS**  
**CITY OF SOUTH GATE** )

I, Carmen Avalos, City Clerk of the City of South Gate, California, hereby certify that the whole number of Members of the City Council of said City is five; that Resolution No. 2021-45-CC was adopted by the City Council at their Regular Meeting held on September 28, 2021, by the following vote:

Ayes: Council Members: Rios, Avalos, Diaz and Hurtado  
Noes: Council Members: None  
Absent: Council Members: Davila  
Abstain: Council Members: None  
Recused: Council Member: None

Witness my hand and the seal of said City on October 5, 2021.



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Carmen Avalos, City Clerk  
City of South Gate, California