

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA ROSA AMENDING SECTION 11-24.020 OF THE SANTA ROSA CITY CODE, ILLEGAL PARKING – METERS TO EXEMPT VETERANS DISPLAYING SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF SANTA ROSA DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Chapter 11-24.020, Illegal parking – Meters is amended in full to read as follows:

“11-24.020 Illegal parking – Meters.

(A) It is unlawful for any person to park or leave standing any vehicle registered in his or her name or operated or controlled by him or her in a space controlled by a parking meter when the meter or receipt issued by the meter indicates the time paid is expired.

(B) Notwithstanding subsection (A), any person may park or leave standing any vehicle in a space controlled by a parking meter as follows:

- (1) Between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m. on any day;
- (2) Sundays;
- (3) Holidays designated by resolution of the City Council;
- (4) During such time as is reasonably necessary to make payment and, when instructed by the meter to do so, display the receipt; or
- (5) Pursuant to California Vehicle Code Section 22511.3 a veteran displaying special license plates issued under Section 5101.3, 5101.4, 5101.5, 5101.6, or 5101.8 may park his or her motor vehicle, weighing not more than 6,000 pounds gross weight, without charge, in a metered parking space.”

Section 2. Environmental Determination. The Council finds that the adoption and implementation of this ordinance, according to the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act under section 15061(b)(3), there is no possibility that the implementation of this ordinance may have significant effects on the environment.

Section 3. Severability. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid and/or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance.

Section 4. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect on the 31st day following its adoption.

IN COUNCIL DULY PASSED AND ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2013.

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_ APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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City Attorney