

RESOLUTION NO. RES-2020-059

RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA ROSA AUTHORIZING A TEMPORARY WAIVER OF PARKING PERMIT FEES IN THE PARKING GARAGES AND LOTS RETROACTIVELY EFFECTIVE APRIL 1, 2020, A TEMPORARY WAIVER OF HOURLY PARKING FEES AT ALL FIVE CITY OWNED PARKING GARAGES EFFECTIVE APRIL 15, 2020, AND A TEMPORARY WAIVER OF ALL PARKING METER FEES EFFECTIVE APRIL 15, 2020, WITH ALL SUCH WAIVERS TO REMAIN IN EFFECT UNTIL THE COVID-19 SHELTER IN PLACE ORDER IS LIFTED IN SANTA ROSA

WHEREAS, the COVID-19 virus and corresponding shelter in place order in Sonoma County is creating tremendous hardship to the community and downtown businesses; and

WHEREAS, the Sonoma County Health Officer has issued a Shelter in Place order to Sonoma County residents that currently extends to May 3, 2020; and

WHEREAS, City wishes to waive parking user fees in its five garage, nine parking lots and all parking meters while the shelter in place order is in effect; and

WHEREAS, City wishes to retroactively waive parking permit fees in both the parking garage and lots effective April 1, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to waive hourly parking fees and parking meter fees effective April 15, 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Santa Rosa temporarily waive parking permit fees in the City owned parking garages lots retroactive to April 1, 2020.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council temporarily waives hourly parking fees at its five public garages effective April 15, 2020.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council temporarily waives all parking meter fees effective April 15, 2020.

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that each of the above temporary waivers of parking user fees are to remain in effect until the COVID-19 Shelter in Place order is lifted in the City of Santa Rosa.

IN COUNCIL DULY PASSED this 14th day of April, 2020.

AYES: (7) Mayor Schwedhelm, Vice Mayor Fleming, Council Members Dowd, Olivares, Rogers, Sawyer, Tibbetts

NOES: (0)

ABSENT: (0)

ABSTAIN: (0)

ATTEST: _____
City Clerk

APPROVED: _____
Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney