

1 [Urging Department of Parking & Traffic]

2 URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKING AND TRAFFIC (DPT) TO EXPEDITE THE
3 PROCESS OF CREATING DIAGONAL PARKING ON BOTH SIDES OF THE 1300 AND
4 1400 BLOCKS OF CASTRO STREET AND THE EASTERN SIDE OF THE 1500 BLOCK OF
5 CASTRO STREET.

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7 WHEREAS, Diagonal parking previously existed on the 1300, 1400 and 1500 blocks of
8 Castro Street in Noe Valley; and,

9 WHEREAS, The Federal Government widened Castro Street during the Depression
10 era by approximately 10 feet for the purpose of facilitating diagonal parking; and,

11 WHEREAS, Current parking within the Noe Valley Neighborhood Commercial District
12 and the adjacent Noe Valley neighborhood inadequately meets the needs of residents and
13 businesses; and,

14 WHEREAS, Diagonal parking along the 1300, 1400, and 1500 blocks of Castro Street
15 would satisfy the need for additional parking, reduce parking congestion for residents and
16 businesses, and generate additional revenue for the City; and,

17 WHEREAS, Diagonal parking would increase the safety, ease and convenience of
18 parking in the neighborhood and help sustain the economic vitality of the area; and,

19 WHEREAS, Diagonal Parking on the Eastern side of the 1500 block of Castro Street
20 would allow more teachers and staff of James Lick Middle School to park during the day; and,

21 WHEREAS, Diagonal parking is pedestrian- and bicyclist-friendly, reducing the need
22 for cars to parallel park as well as the likelihood that bicyclists would collide with open car
23 doors; and,

24 WHEREAS, DPT has conducted a survey demonstrating the value of diagonal parking
25 in Noe Valley; and,

1 WHEREAS, More than 51% the residents and merchants on Castro Street between
2 24th and Clipper have signed a petition asking DPT to create diagonal parking; now, therefore
3 be it,

4 RESOLVED, That the City and County of San Francisco Board of Supervisors hereby
5 urges the Department of Parking and Traffic (DPT) to expedite the process of creating
6 diagonal parking on both sides of the 1300 and 1400 blocks of Castro street and the Eastern
7 side of the 1500 block of Castro Street; and, be it

8 FURTHER RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Director of
9 the Department of Parking & Traffic.

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Resolution

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Date Passed:

Resolution urging the Department of Parking and Traffic (DPT) to expedite the process of creating diagonal parking on both sides of the 1300 and 1400 blocks of Castro Street and the Eastern side of the 1500 block of Castro Street.

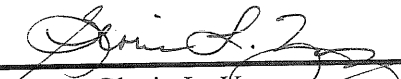
June 12, 2000 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 8 - Ammiano, Brown, Kaufman, Leno, Newsom, Teng, Yaki, Yee

Absent: 3 - Becerril, Bierman, Katz

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on June 12, 2000 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.



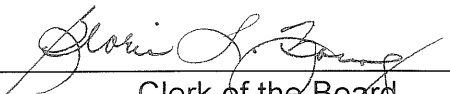
Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

Date Approved

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.

Date: June 23, 2000

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, not being signed by the Mayor within the time limit as set forth in Section 3.103 of the Charter, became effective without his approval in accordance with the provision of said Section 3.103 of the Charter.



Clerk of the Board

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