

PLACERVILLE DOWNTOWN ASSOCIATION

Special Parking Meeting Minutes – March 15, 2007

Agenda

Sue Rees, facilitator, went over the agenda for the meeting.

Introductions

Everyone attending introduced themselves.

Meeting Goal

Provide input to the Parking Committee to make recommendations to the City Council regarding parking using the questionnaire.

Mission Statements

PDA

The PDA is a non-profit organization that serves to enhance and promote business on Historic Main Street through special events and activities that attract visitors to the historic downtown business district.

Parking Committee

Manage the existing parking facilities more efficiently for customer, employee and juror parking. The strategy includes:

- Freeing-up the prime parking for customers
- Allowing for long-term customer parking
- Allowing for long-term employee parking
- Provide for juror parking
- Provide a revenue stream for maintenance of facilities

Parking Questionnaire

Saturday Enforcement

1. Should we continue to enforce overtime parking on Saturdays?
Vote of attendees was NO; we must encourage fellow merchants & employees to NOT park in prime parking spots that are there for customers; Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays would be excepted from overtime parking
2. Should all of the permit (leased) parking spaces be open for public parking on Saturday?
Not applicable due to vote on previous question

Permit (Leased) Parking

1. Should permit spaces be unassigned (at a reduced rate, e.g. \$30/month)?
Vote was to have permit spaces unassigned, but no rate change was voted on—it was voted to table this to a later time; for smaller lots, will look at going back to the way it was prior to parking regulations going into effect
2. Should the permit parking be changed to unassigned spaces at \$2/day?
No rate change was voted on; it was voted to table this to a later time

Other Issues:

1. Should users of the parking lots/garage be required to obtain a ticket when first parking (ticket would include 2 hours free parking)?
Vote of attendees was no
2. Should pay stations be installed on Main Street to allow parking on Main Street beyond the 2 free hours?
Vote of attendees was no

Open Forum

N/A