

RESOLUTION NO.: R-2014-068

*Designating Martin Luther King Neighborhood a Residential Parking Permit District*

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WHEREAS, upon receipt of a petition signed by more than fifty (50%) percent of the resident property owners of the Martin Luther King Neighborhood and after a public hearing as provided for by Chapter 12, Motor Vehicles and Traffic, Article II, Stopping, Standing and Parking, Division 3, Residential Permit Parking Districts of the 1998 Code of Ordinances of the City of Columbia, and considering the recommendations of Parking Services, it appears that said area as adjusted to conform to the engineering survey and contiguity requirements of the City Code is severely impacted by non-residential on-street parking by reason of nearby commercial, recreational and institutional uses, and that such area should be designated as a permit-parking district; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Columbia this 16th day of September, 2014, that the Martin Luther King Neighborhood is hereby designated a permit parking district in which the parking shall be regulated and restricted at all hours, Monday through Saturday by parking permits pursuant to Sec. 12-104 of the 1998 Code of Ordinances of the City of Columbia.

Requested by:

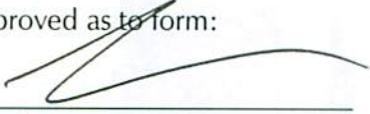
Parking Services \_\_\_\_\_

  
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Mayor

Approved by:

  
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City Manager

Approved as to form:

  
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City Attorney

ATTEST:

  
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City Clerk

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# **RESIDENTIAL PARKING PERMIT DISTRICTS**

## **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

**1. Who can sign a petition to establish a residential parking district?**

Only property owners who own the homes and live in those homes can sign. If property is owned in the name of a husband and wife, both may sign.

**2. What happens after the majority of resident homeowners sign the petition?**

The Parking Services Department will certify the signatures on the petitions and conduct a survey of the neighborhood parking to insure the area meets the standards set forth in the City Codes. Once the requirements of the codes are certified, Parking Services will request that City Council conduct a public hearing on the petition. After the public hearing, Council will be asked to approve a resolution establishing the parking district. If approved, the Parking Services Department will work with the neighborhood to determine which parking areas will need to be designated as parking only for those with valid permits. Not every parking space in the district needs to be restricted.

**3. How would I obtain a permit?**

Before signage is installed, Parking Services will have permits available in the neighborhood. Owner occupants will need proof of ownership, such as a tax receipt. Owner occupants can obtain two resident permits (\$5 each good for two years) and up to three visitor passes (\$1 each good for two years). Renters may obtain two tenant permits per living unit (\$10 for six months) and one visitor permit (\$5 for six months). Renters will need to provide a copy of a current lease in order to obtain a permit. Permits are always available at Parking Services Customer Center at 820 Washington Street during normal business hours.

**4. Will all the parking in the area be restricted to permit parking?**

No. Permit Only parking spaces will be added as needed. Not all spaces need to be Permit Only. Parking Services will work with the neighborhood to determine how many Permit Parking spaces are needed.

**5. Who do I call if I have questions?**

Call the Parking Services office at 545-4015.