

City of Cincinnati



April 15, 2019

To: Mayor and Members of City Council
From: Patrick A. Duhaney, City Manager
Subject: Over-The-Rhine Special Parking Permit Area (OTR SPPA) – Worker Parking Permit

REFERENCE DOCUMENT #201900418

On March 13, 2019, the Budget & Finance Committee referred the following for a report:

ORDINANCE, submitted by Mayor John Cranley, AMENDING certain provisions of Ordinance No. 294-2018 that established the Special Parking Permit Area ("SPPA") in Over-the-Rhine, to authorize people who work in Over-the-Rhine who earn no more than \$50,000 per year to be eligible to obtain SPPA permits rather than only residents of the neighborhood. (VERSION B).

This report is to provide City Council information that describes the possibility of implementing an OTR worker parking permit program. The Department of Transportation and Engineering and the Department of Community and Economic Development are currently researching Employee Parking Permit Programs (EPPP).

A worker parking permit program is plausible. The program could be in similar fashion as the OTR residential parking permit program. On an annual basis, the employee would be required to show proof of employment at a business within the OTR SPPA, proof of ownership of a car registered to them, and proof of salary eligibility (no more than \$50,000).

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