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City of Cincinnati

An Ordinance No. _____

- 2019

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.

WHEREAS, Council wishes to expand the pool of those eligible to purchase permits for the Over-the-Rhine Special Parking Permit Area to people who work in Over-the-Rhine who earn no more than \$50,000 per year in wages and salary, instead of only residents who live in Over-the-Rhine; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Cincinnati, State of Ohio:

Section 1. That Section 2 of Ordinance No. 294-2018, as modified by Ordinance No. 380-2018, by which a Special Parking Permit Area (“SPPA”) in Over-the-Rhine was established and modified, is hereby further amended as follows (deletions struck through; additions underlined):

Section 2. That the City Manager or designee shall issue ~~residential~~ parking permits to residents of the SPPA or employees who work for entities located within the SPPA who meet the income requirements established in Section 4 herein for an annual permit fee of \$60 and shall offer permits to qualifying low-income residents of the SPPA at a discounted rate of \$25, with eligibility to purchase a permit for the reduced annual fee to be based on a resident’s provision of proof of any of the following:

- (1) Lease or other documentation from the resident’s landlord showing that the resident lives in subsidized and or tax credit housing under the Low-Income Housing Tax Credit (“LIHTC”) Program or a similar City-administered or City-funded program;
- (2) Ohio Direction Card showing that the resident is eligible for Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (“SNAP”) benefits, also known as food stamps;

- (3) Medicaid managed care plan participation or fee-for-service card showing that the resident is eligible for Medicaid;
- (4) Ohio EPPICard showing that the resident is eligible for Ohio Works First (“OWF”) cash assistance; or
- (5) Supplemental Security Income (“SSI”) award letter or other appropriate documentation showing that the resident is eligible for SSI.

Section 2. That Section 4 of Ordinance No. 294-2018 is hereby amended as follows (additions underlined):

Section 4. That SPPA parking permits shall be sold only to occupants who reside in a dwelling unit on a street, avenue, or other location within the SPPA, or to employees who work for any entity with a physical location within the SPPA and who earn total annual wages and salary of no more than \$50,000, in accordance with verification procedures established by the Department of Transportation and Engineering.

Section 3. That all other provisions of Ordinance No. 294-2018 shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed: _____, 2019

John Cranley, Mayor

Attest: _____
Clerk