

# SANTA BARBARA COUNTY BOARD AGENDA LETTER



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**TO:** Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** Michael F. Brown, County Administrator

**STAFF CONTACT:** Jason Stilwell  
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**SUBJECT:** Temporary Dwelling Vehicle Parking (First Supervisorial District)

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## Recommendations:

That the Board of Supervisors consider the adoption (second reading) of an ordinance extending Ordinance No. 4514 for one year to enable dwelling vehicle parking at the County Administration Building parking lot in Santa Barbara to August 31, 2005 (Attachment A).

## Alignment with Board Strategic Plan:

The recommendations are primarily aligned with goals as follows:

Goal No. 2 A Safe and Healthy Community in Which to Live, Work, and Visit.

Goal No. 5.A High Quality of Life for All Residents.

Goal No. 7 A Community that Fosters the Safety and Well-Being of Families and Children.

## Executive Summary and Discussion:

On August 17, 2004 the Board of Supervisors received a report from Michele Wakin about the state of the dwelling vehicle population on the South Coast. In summary, her report found that dwelling vehicles continue to park on the South Coast. The Board also received a report from New Beginnings about the state of the Safe Parking Program. The Safe Parking Program enables up to five dwelling vehicles to park overnight in certain parking lots of religious, non-profit, or philanthropic institutions.

The Board also introduced an ordinance extending an ordinance that enables dwelling vehicle parking at the County Administration Building parking lot in Santa Barbara to August 31, 2005. Finally, the Board of Supervisors directed the County Administrator to enter into a service and license agreement with New Beginnings to operate the Safe Parking Program at the County Administration Building site.

Ordinance Extension

The ordinance enabling dwelling vehicle parking at the County Administration Building parking lot was set to expire August 31, 2004. In order for the County to use the County Administration Building's parking lot in Santa Barbara for the Safe Parking Program, the ordinance enabling such a use needed to be extended. The ordinance extending the expiration date to August 31, 2005 is attached (Attachment A). This one year extension will provide the opportunity to evaluate the Safe Parking Program's viability at this site.

Staff is in the process of finalizing with New Beginnings the terms of the Service and License Agreement. The agreement is anticipated to be completed within the next two weeks. This will then enable New Beginnings to be able to make the parking lot available to participants of the Safe Parking Program in approximately mid-September.

**Mandates and Service Levels:**

Operation of an emergency dwelling vehicle parking area is not mandated by any local, state or federal law or regulations.

**Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:** None from the recommended action.

**Special Instructions:** Clerk of the Board will provide all required public noticing and posting.

**Concurrence:** General Services

**cc:** none

**Attachments:** Ordinance temporarily amending overnight parking regulations.

Attachment A – Ordinance temporarily amending overnight parking regulations

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE EXTENDING THE EXPIRATION DATE OF ORDINANCE 4514 WHICH AMENDED CHAPTER 24, OFFENSES MISCELLANEOUS, OF THE COUNTY CODE OF THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA TO AMEND SECTION 24-5.3 SLEEPING OR CAMPING IN CERTAIN AREAS PROHIBITED-GENERALLY-EXCEPTION

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara ordains as follows:

SECTION 1.

Section 2 of Ordinance 4514 adopted by the Board of Supervisors on November 4, 2003 and amended by Ordinance 4531 on April 27<sup>th</sup> 2004 is hereby amended as follows:

This ordinance shall expire, and Sec. 24-5.3 shall revert to its previous form, on August 31, 2005, unless extended or made permanent by the Board of Supervisors prior to that date.

SECTION 2.

This ordinance shall be shall take effect and be in force thirty (30) days from the date of its passage and before the expiration of fifteen (15) days after its passage it, or a summary of it, shall be published once, together with the names of the members of the Board of Supervisors voting for and against the same in the Santa Barbara News Press, a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Santa Barbara.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2004, by the following votes:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAINING:

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Joseph Centeno, Chair of the Board of Supervisors.  
County of Santa Barbara

ATTEST:  
Michael F. Brown  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk

Approved as to form:  
Stephen Shane Stark  
County Counsel

By: \_\_\_\_\_