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**AN ORDINANCE**

**AUTHORIZING THE CONTINUATION OF THE RESIDENTIAL PERMIT PARKING PROGRAM ZONE IN THE LAVACA NEIGHBORHOOD AND SUSPENDING THE EVENT DECAL PROGRAM FOR AREAS IN THE LAVACA NEIGHBORHOOD IN CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 1.**

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**WHEREAS**, the City of San Antonio (“City”) through Ordinance 2015-04-30-0359 created a Resident-Only Parking Permit (“RPP”) Program to protect neighborhoods from the influx of commuter parking, unnecessary noise, pollution and increase the safety, tranquility, aesthetics, and other values available in residential environments; and

**WHEREAS**, the City through Ordinance 2018-03-29-0205 authorized a Temporary Residential Permit Parking Zone, suspended the Event Decal Program for a 14-Month Period in areas of the Lavaca Neighborhood and waived certain provisions of Chapter 19 of the City in order to address parking-related issues from various residents in the Lavaca and King William Neighborhoods; and

**WHEREAS**, the Lavaca Neighborhood has been subject to the Event Decal Program, which restricts parking near the Alamodome and Lavaca to residents during special events at the Alamodome, Convention Center, Hemisfair, and La Villita; and

**WHEREAS**, the City retained a consultant to evaluate existing parking conditions in these areas and at least 60% of the residents on the proposed streets to be restricted supported the RPP zone through a petition; and

**WHEREAS**, the increased re-development of the urban core continues to place parking pressure on adjacent neighborhoods, including the Lavaca Neighborhood; and

**WHEREAS**, based on feedback, from area residents, City staff recommends the continuance of the RPP Program Zone in the Lavaca Neighborhood as a Permanent Zone to provide permit parking on one side of the street and public parking (non-permit) on the opposite side from 7 am to 2 am, Monday through Sunday, and allowing residents the opportunity to purchase up to four permits per address annually for parking during the effective hours at a cost of \$10 per permits;  
**NOW THEREFORE:**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:**

**SECTION 1.** A Permanent Residential Permit Parking Zone for the areas identified on **Exhibit I** the along the along 100, 200 and 300 blocks of Lavaca Street; 100, 200, 300 and 500 blocks of

Refugio Street; 100, 200 and 300 blocks of Barrera Street; 100 and 200 blocks of Camargo Street; 100 block of Canal Street; 100, 200 and 300 blocks of Callaghan Avenue; 400, 500 and 600 blocks of Labor Street; the 400 block of Santa Clara Place; and the 700 block of Matagorda Street. Permit parking hours shall be 7 am to 2 am, Monday through Sunday. A permit is not required at any other time.

**SECTION 2.** The Event Decal Program for areas impacted by the Permanent Residential Permit Parking Zone shall be suspended.

**SECTION 3.** For purposes of the Permanent Residential Permit Parking Zone, the requirements of Chapter 19, Section 19-435 and Section 19-437, are hereby waived.

**SECTION 4.** Funds generated by this ordinance will be deposited into Fund 53001000 Internal Order 219000000129 and General Ledger Account 4403138.

**SECTION 5.** The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Deputy Chief Financial Officer, City of San Antonio. The Deputy Chief Financial Officer may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager's designee, correct allocations to specific Cost Centers, WBS Elements, Internal Orders, General Ledger Accounts, and Fund Numbers as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

**SECTION 6.** This Ordinance becomes effective 10 days after passage, unless it receives the eight votes requisite to immediate effectiveness under San Antonio Municipal Code § 1-15, in which case it becomes effective immediately.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this \_\_\_\_ day of September, 2019.

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Ron Nirenberg

**ATTEST:**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

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Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

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Andrew Segovia, City Attorney