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New Sunset Beach parking regulations in effect

New on-street parking regulations go into effect today, April 16, 2010, for Treasure Island's Sunset Beach neighborhood. The new rules restrict parking to one side of the street between the hours of 8am and 6pm on Saturdays, Sundays, Memorial Day, Independence Day and Labor Day. Outside of that timeframe, parking is allowed anywhere it is legally permitted.

Residents' concerns about heavy traffic, blocked streets and driveways, and emergency vehicle access to narrow Sunset Beach streets prompted the city commission to approve the one-side-of-the-street parking plan March 16th.

"This is our best recommendation for Sunset Beach," Treasure Island Police Chief Tim Casey told the commission. "We decided the best method is to keep one side of the streets open to parking. We believe that this plan has the least amount of impact to residents and provides one of the more effective means of providing room for emergency vehicle travel."

Fifteen streets at the northern end of Sunset Beach are affected. The streets with **no parking on the north side** are **95th Avenue, 93rd Avenue, 88th Avenue, 86th Avenue and Bay Plaza (to East Bay)**. The streets with **no parking on the south side** are: **94th Avenue, 92nd Avenue, 91st Avenue, 90th Avenue, 89th Avenue, East Bay Drive (north part only), 87th Avenue, 86th Terrace, 85th Avenue (to East Bay) and Blind Pass Drive (off West Gulf Boulevard only)**.

A downloadable map of the new parking regulations is online at www.mytreasureisland.org.

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