

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-01

A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE RESIDENT PARKING PASS PROGRAM PROVIDING CLAIRITY TO REITERATE THE CURRENT POLICIES; UPDATING THE DISALLOWED PARKING LOTS; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, since 1999 the City has sold parking passes for beach parking lots limited only to City residents and property owners, commonly known as the Resident Parking Pass Program (RPPP); and

WHEREAS, the public parking lots located in Sunset Beach and Sunshine Beach have been counted for eligibility for State cost sharing for beach renourishment projects; and

WHEREAS, the City in 2013 adjusted its RPPP to exclude those lots whose inclusion would negatively affect the City's eligibility for external renourishment funds via resolution no. 13-05; and

WHEREAS, the City has expanded and added more metered parking in the intervening years; and

WHEREAS, the City added provisions to allow for up to 2 Resident Parking Passes to be purchased per household; and

WHEREAS, the RPPP's existing language lacks clarity in determining whether certain parking pass petitioners are eligible for the resident parking pass; and

WHEREAS, this resolution upon approval will amend the RPPP and replace resolution no. 13-05; and

WHEREAS, the City of Treasure Island Commission, after due consideration, has determined modifying its RPPP to add necessary clarity and update the program to reflect the additional metered parking areas added since 2013 will be in the best interests of the City of Treasure Island.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Commission of the City of Treasure Island does resolve that the parking pass program for city residents and property owners is to be amended as follows.

1. Parking passes shall only be sold to residents or property owners who present personal identification and can prove residency or residential property ownership in the City by providing any of the following:
 - Vehicle registration
 - Valid driver's license (or any other valid government-issued photo ID)

- Current voter ID
- Residential rental or lease agreement (6-month minimum)
- Property deed
- Current Pinellas County property tax receipt
- Or any other documents which demonstrate legal ownership of the property

The property owner, resident or legal guardian must come in for the pass; not an agent, management company representative, or other entity.

2. Each household may purchase up to two passes annually. Households purchasing two passes must provide proof of at least two vehicles registered at their Treasure Island address, in addition to the other requirements listed above. Households only purchasing one pass are exempt from this requirement.
3. Property owners who own multiple properties in Treasure Island are considered one household.
4. Parking passes shall be plastic hangars to be hung on the rear view mirror and may be used by residents, property owners and their friends or guests. There is no provision for replacement of a parking pass. Parking Pass mediums may change overtime as determine by City Staff to best administrator this program.
5. The parking pass shall not be used to provide offsite parking spaces for residences or for employees or customers of businesses. (Passes will not be sold to business owners/operators or their employees or tenants.)
6. The parking pass shall not be valid for free parking in:
 - City of St. Petersburg Municipal Beach – Gulf Blvd. and 112th Ave.
 - Ring Billed Gull – West Gulf Blvd between 82nd and 81st Ave.;
 - Brown Pelican – 8700 Block of W. Gulf Blvd.;
 - Black Skimmer - West Gulf Blvd between 80th Ter. and 80th Ave.;
 - Sunset Inn – W. Gulf between 80th Ave. and 79th Ter.; and
 - Street end parking areas at the following: 127th Ave., 102nd Ave., 101st Ave. (East and West), and 99th Ave.


7. The parking pass shall be valid for free parking in all other City metered or pay station parking lots or parking areas unless a sign specifically prohibits the use of the parking pass in designated parking spaces.
8. Passes shall be available on or before January 1 of each year and shall be valid for the calendar year indicated on the pass at an annual cost approved by the City Commission in the City's annual fee schedule.
9. City employees shall receive a free parking pass annually

The foregoing Resolution was offered during Regular Session of the City Commission of the City of Treasure Island, Florida, sitting on the 18th day of February 2020 by Commissioner Horak who moved its adoption; was seconded by Commissioner Partridge and upon roll call the vote was:

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Lawrence Lunn, Mayor

ATTEST:


Ruth Nickerson, City Clerk