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### CONSENT CALENDAR

January 19, 2010

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council  
From: Councilmember Kriss Worthington  
  
Subject: Referral: Create a Non-Commercial Short-Term Parking Space at 2476 Telegraph Avenue

#### RECOMMENDATION

Refer to the City Manager the creation of a 15 minute loading and unloading zone that would allow non-commercial vehicles at 2476 Telegraph Avenue in front of Moe's Books.

#### BACKGROUND

Since 1959 Moe's Books has been providing customers with fair and accurate valuations of rare and collectible books in a broad and expansive range of subject areas. The parking space in front of Moe's Books is a yellow zone. Currently in Berkeley, the yellow zone is specifically designated for commercial vehicles only. However, non-commercial vehicles may load or unload passengers only for up to three minutes at a yellow curb.

Because Moe's Books relies on non-commercial persons seeking to sell books, the yellow zone is in direct conflict with the operations of the used books business.

#### FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Minimal.

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