



# Residential Preferential Parking (RPP) Program Reform & Expansion – Part II

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# Current Situation

- RPP Program Runs Yearly Deficit
  - FY 2017 Deficit: \$195,800
- Established City Policies Support a Cost-Neutral RPP Program via Increase in User Fees
  - City Council Budget Policies
  - Berkeley Climate Action Plan

# Recommendation

- Increase RPP Permit Fees for Program Cost Neutrality
  - Increase of 20% for Most Permits
  - New Annual Permit Fee: \$66
- Create Surcharge for Additional Permits over Maximum of Three (3), if Waiver Approved
  - Surcharge of \$100 per Permit  
Disincentivizes Unnecessary Waiver Requests

# Fiscal Impacts & Next Steps

- Permit Fee Increase Expected to Generate Additional \$196,400 of Revenue, Rendering Program Effectively Cost Neutral
- If Resolution Approved, Fees Effective March 1, 2018 for New Permits and Renewals
  - Staff Developing Notification Materials
  - Staff Will Provide Direction to Permit Vendor Immediately