



Office of the City Manager

CONSENT CALENDAR
March 12, 2019

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council
 From: Dee Williams-Ridley, City Manager
 Submitted by: Phillip L. Harrington, Director, Public Works
 Subject: Authorizing the Addition of 2700 block of Belrose Avenue to the Street Sweeping Program

RECOMMENDATION

Adopt a Resolution adding the 2700 block of Belrose Avenue to the mechanical street sweeping program.

FISCAL IMPACTS OF RECOMMENDATION

There is minimal impact to the current sweeping schedule as it will be added to existing routes in the area.

CURRENT SITUATION AND ITS EFFECTS

Residential street sweeping is a City service that helps to beautify our community and protect wildlife and the environment by removing litter and debris from our streets. The program includes monthly mechanical sweeping of city streets in residential neighborhoods. Local parking restrictions are established to maximize the sweeper's access to the curb/gutter area where pollutants and debris accumulate.

At the January 10, 2019 the Public Works Commission meeting, adding the 2700 block of Belrose Avenue to a mechanical street sweeping route was approved by a unanimous vote.

BACKGROUND

The Mechanical Street Sweeping became part of the Clean City Program in 1987. The program was developed to clean the streets and improve the quality of life. The goal of the City of Berkeley street sweeping program, which covers residential, commercial, and industrial areas, is to remove debris from streets that might otherwise be transported to receiving waters.

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

Adding this block to the street sweeping program supports the City's compliance with the Municipal Regional Stormwater Permit and removes pollutants and trash that flow into local waterways and the San Francisco Bay via the City's storm drain system.

RATIONALE FOR RECOMMENDATION

The residents of the 2700 block of Belrose Avenue support to institute monthly street sweeping. The Public Works Commission approved the change (Hitchen/McGrath 5/0/1 abstain: Schueler).

The Public Works Department and the Public Works Commission are in support of adding this additional block to the program. There are minimal costs associated and it provides additional stormwater protection.

ALTERNATIVE ACTIONS CONSIDERED

None.

CONTACT PERSON

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Attachments:

- 1: Resolution
- 2: Map of Street Sweeping Route

RESOLUTION NO. ##,###-N.S.

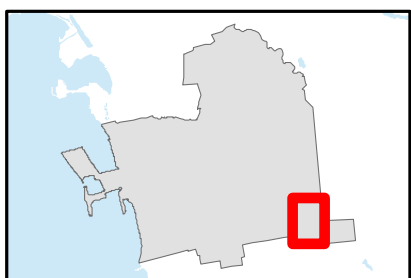
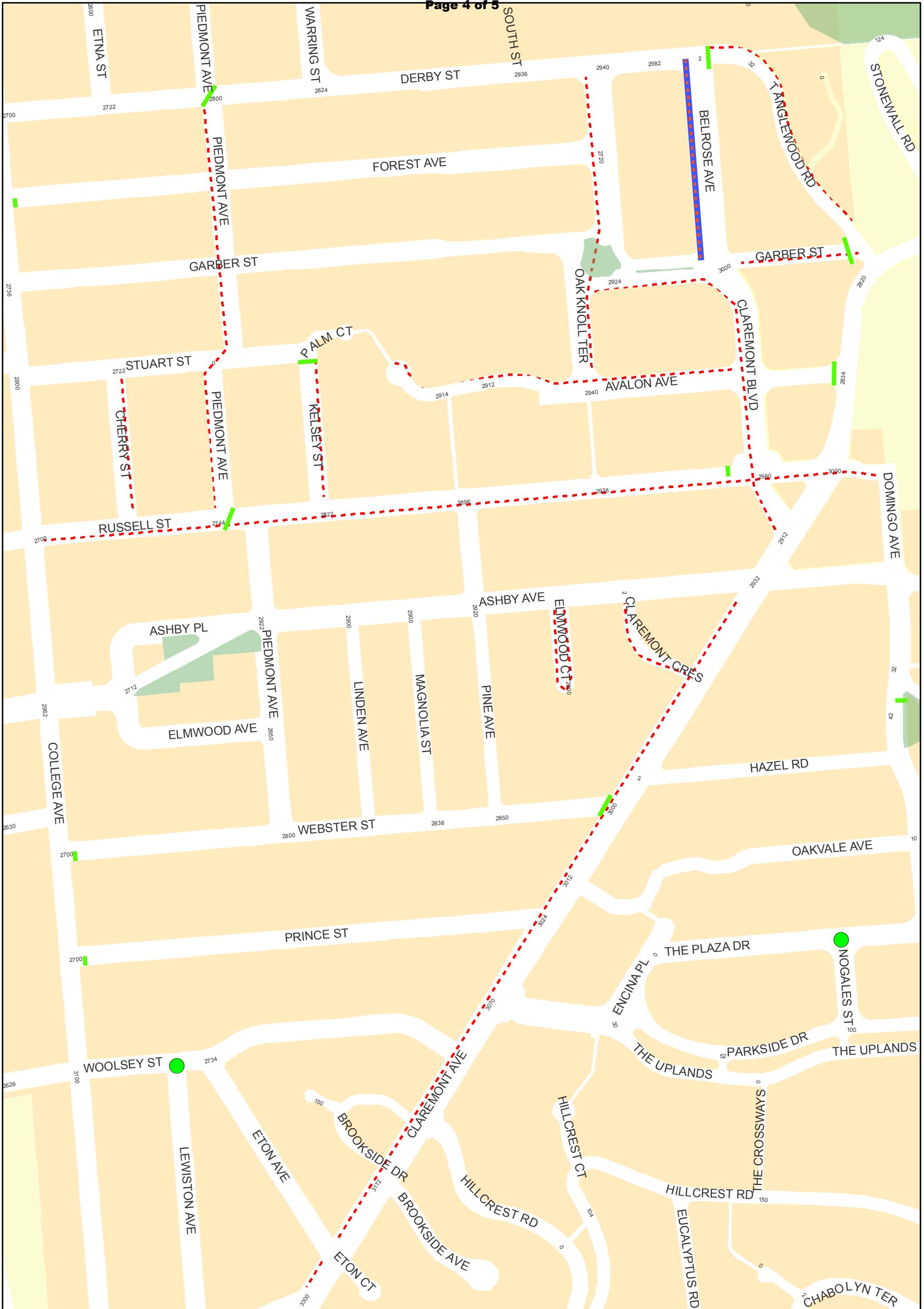
AUTHORIZING THE ADDITION OF 2700 BLOCK OF BELROSE AVENUE TO THE
STREET SWEEPING PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the residents of the 2700 block of Belrose Avenue, the Public Works Commission and the Public Works Department support the addition of the 2700 block of Belrose Avenue to the street sweeping program; and

WHEREAS, there are minimal costs associated with including one block to the program;
and

WHEREAS, additional street sweeping provides further stormwater protection.

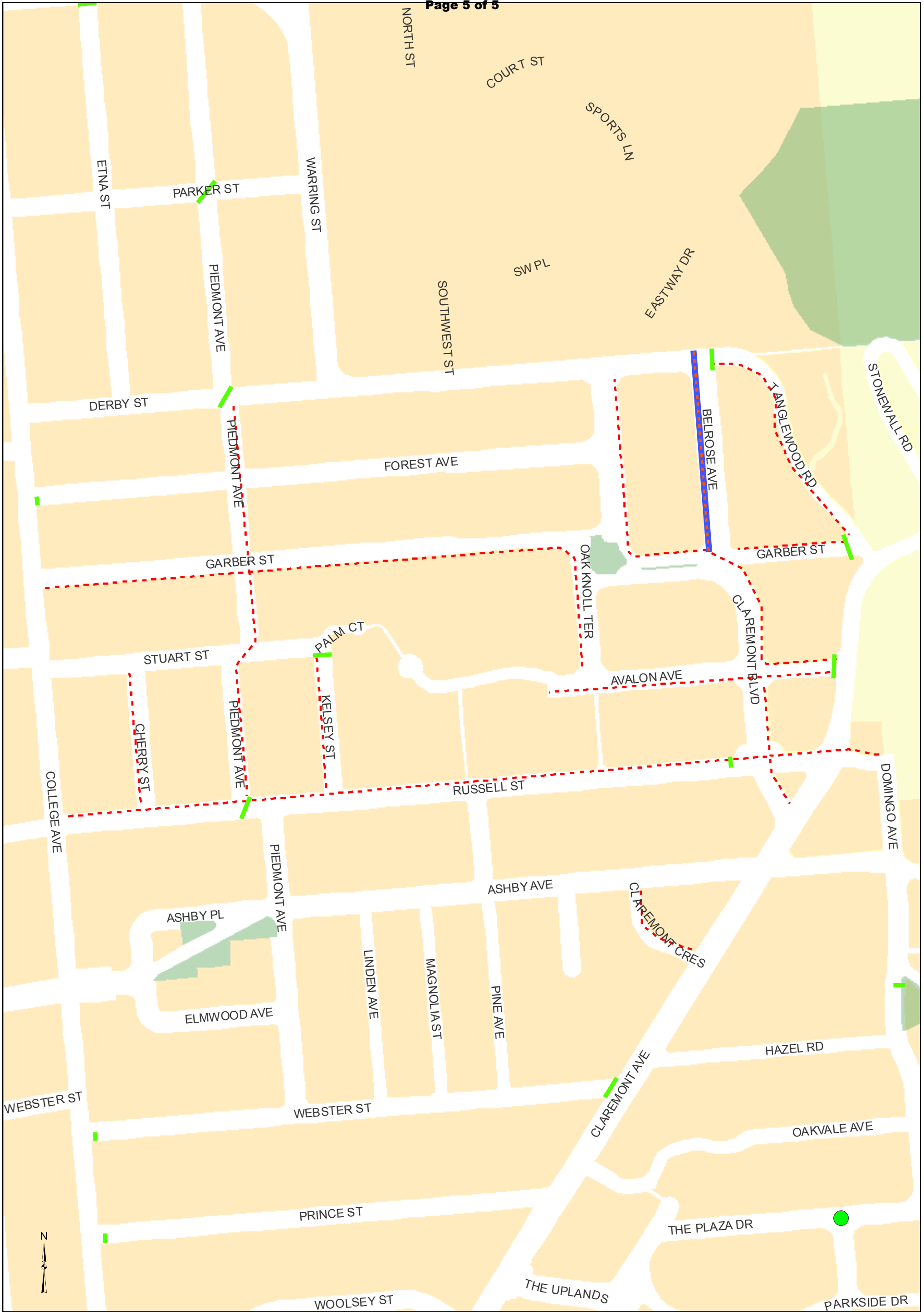
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Berkeley that the 2700 Block of Belrose Avenue be added to the City's mechanical street sweeping program.



- Traffic Circles
- ▬ Traffic Diversions
- ▬ Block added to sweeping program



24 - Fourth Monday AM



44 - Fourth Wednesday AM



- Traffic Circles
- Traffic Diverters
- Block added to sweeping program



Date: 12/18/2013

