## ORDINANCE NO. 2999

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WHITTIER, CALIFORNIA, AMENDING CHAPTER 10.18 (PREFERENTIAL PARKING PROGRAM) OF TITLE 10 OF THE WHITTIER MUNICIPAL CODE

WHEREAS, California Vehicle Code Section 22507 provides that cities may establish preferential parking programs; and

WHEREAS, since the enactment of the Preferential Parking Program it has come to light that a few revisions to the ordinance for clarification purposes are indicated.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WHITTIER, CALIFORNIA, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Subsection "a" of Section 10.18.080 (Prohibited Activities) of Chapter 10.18 (Preferential Parking Program) of Title 10 of the Whittier Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

## 10.18.080 Prohibited activities.

(a) Unless exempted by provisions of this chapter, no person shall park a motor vehicle in any preferential parking district in violation of any parking restrictions set forth in this chapter or resolution establishing a preferential parking district.

SECTION 2. Subsection "a" of Section 10.18.120 (Penalties) of Chapter 10.18 (Preferential Parking Program) of Title 10 of the Whittier Municipal Code is hereby amended as follows:

## 10.18.120 Penalties.

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person to violate any provision, or fail to comply with any of the requirements of subsections (a) through (e) of Section 10.18.080. Any person violating any said subsections or failing to comply with any of their requirements shall be deemed guilty of an infraction, and upon conviction thereof shall be punishable by: (a) a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars for a first violation; (b) a fine not exceeding two hundred dollars for a second violation within one year; or (c) a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars for each additional violation within one year.

SECTION 3. Any provision of the Whittier Municipal Code or appendices thereto inconsistent with the provisions of the Ordinance, to the extent of such inconsistencies and no further, are repealed or modified to that extent necessary to affect the provisions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance. The City Council of the City of Whittier hereby declares that it would have adopted this Ordinance and each section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses, phrases, or portions be declared invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 5. The Mayor shall sign and the City Clerk-Treasurer shall attest to the passage of this Ordinance. The City Clerk-Treasurer shall cause the same to be published once in the official newspaper within 15 days after its adoption. This Ordinance shall become effective 30 days from its adoption.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 11th day of June 2013.

BOB HENDERSON, Mayor

ATTEST:

KATHRYN A. MARSHALL

City Clerk-Treasurer

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