

1 [Residential Parking Permit Fees - Exemption.]

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3 **Ordinance amending San Francisco Traffic Code Section 314 exempting owners of**
4 **electric or other clean air vehicles from residential parking permit fees.**

5 Note: Additions are *single-underline italics Times New Roman*;
6 deletions are *strikethrough italics Times New Roman*.
7 Board amendment additions are double underlined.
8 Board amendment deletions are ~~strikethrough normal~~.

8 Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

9 Section 1. The San Francisco Traffic Code is hereby amended by amending Section 314, to
10 read as follows:

11 **SEC. 314. PERMIT FEES.**

12 (a) A “new area” shall be defined as any residential parking permit area not approved
13 by the Board of Supervisors prior to the approval of this ordinance.

14 (b) A “continuing area” shall be defined as any residential parking permit area already
15 approved by the Board of Supervisors prior to the approval of this ordinance.

16 (c) For the purposes of this Section, an extension of a continuing area shall be treated
17 as a new area.

18 (d) The initial fee for the issuance of a permit for a new area shall be \$27 for each
19 permit if purchased in the first six months of the permit year or \$13.50 if purchased in the last
20 six months of the permit year. The fee for issuance of a permit purchased in the first six
21 months of all subsequent permit years shall be \$27 or \$13.50 if purchased in the last six
22 months of the permit year.

23 (e) The fee for the issuance of a permit for continuing area shall be \$27 for each
24 permit if purchased in the first six months of the permit year or \$13.50 if purchased in the last
25 six months of the permit year.

1 (f) The fee for a rental car permit shall be \$10. The fee for a visitor's permit, which may
2 be issued for a maximum period of eight weeks, shall be \$10 for each consecutive two-week
3 period. There shall be a \$3.00 transfer charge for those applicants with permits in one
4 residential parking permit area who move to another residential parking permit area and apply
5 for a permit in the new area of residence. In such cases the new permit shall expire at the
6 time designated for the new zone.

7 (g) The annual fee for commercial permits as provided in Section 308(b)(3) shall be
8 \$35 for each permit if purchased during the first six months of the permit year and \$17.50 if
9 purchased during the last six months of the permit year.

10 (h) Five dollars (\$5.00) of the fee for each permit purchased in the first six months of
11 the permit year and \$2.00 of the fee for each permit purchased in the last six months of the
12 permit year, for those permits issued under Subsections (d), (e) and (g) of this Section shall
13 be deposited in the Road Fund. All deposits to the Road Fund from the residential parking
14 permit fee shall be used to offset the costs related to the engineering studies, sign
15 installations and sign maintenance associated with the Residential Permit Parking Program.

16 (g) Notwithstanding the above provisions of this section, the fees set forth above shall not apply
17 to permits issued to resident-owners of electric or clean air vehicles. For purposes of this section
18 electric or clean air vehicles are defined as vehicles that are operated by electricity, compressed
19 natural gas, or other alternative fuels that meet federal inherently low emissions vehicle standards and
20 California emission standards for ultra low emissions, super ultra-low emissions or zero emissions, or
21 any motor vehicle displaying a valid ULEV or SULEV decal, label or other identifier issued for such
22 vehicles pursuant to California Vehicle Code Section 5205.5, or any ultra high mileage motor vehicle.
23 “Ultra high mileage motor vehicle” is defined as a registered vehicle that achieves 40 or more city
24 miles per gallon based upon the mileage estimates for the vehicles list produced by the Federal
25 Environmental Protection Agency

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