

Staff Report

June 17, 2024 Council Workshop Meeting

NE Adams Street 10-Minute Parking

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Time Estimate: 10 minutes

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BACKGROUND: Katie Shelby, Adams Street Bar & Grill representative, requested a 2-Hour parking time limit increase of four on-street parking spaces on NE Adams Street. These spots posted 10-Minute Parking are in front of and serve the Mill Interpretive & Visitor Center. Staff reached out to the Downtown Camas Association and Georgia Pacific Mill for comments. The Parking Advisory Committee reviewed this request and comments during the May 14 meeting.

SUMMARY: Georgia Pacific Mill expressed the need for at least 2 of the 10-Minute spaces to service vendors that use spaces for loading on a regular basis. The Parking Advisory Committee has recommended keeping the 2 most northern spaces as 10-Minute spaces and for the two other spots to be changed to a 2-Hour limit.



Parking Recommendation - Retain northern 10-Minute spaces (Yellow), Change southern spaces to 2-Hour (Red)

BENEFITS TO THE COMMUNITY: 2-hour parking may better serve some downtown businesses and their patrons that seek longer parking time limits.

BUDGET IMPACT: There would be a nominal cost of labor and materials from existing Street Operations budget for sign changes if the requested change is implemented.

RECOMMENDATION: Staff is seeking consensus from Council to have the city attorney prepare a resolution to change the designated spaces, if so desired. Staff would bring the resolution before Council for adoption at an upcoming Council Meeting.