

RESOLUTION 10-05-2026-A

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SONORA, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING THE
TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF HIGHWAY 49 AND CERTAIN CITY STREETS AND PARKING LOTS TO
ACCOMMODATE THE HISTORIC DOWNTOWN SONORA CHRISTMAS PARADE AND OTHER RELATED
HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES**

WHEREAS, the City will be holding the Historic Downtown Sonora Christmas Parade on Friday, November 27, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. sharp; and

WHEREAS, the parade route will start at Washington Street/Highway 49 and Elkin Street and continue along Washington Street, ending at Restano Way; and

WHEREAS, several streets and other city facilities will need to be closed for the event; and

WHEREAS, the City must obtain an encroachment permit from Caltrans;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Sonora that the following streets and parking lots will be closed on Friday, November 27, 2026, as indicated below:

The following street closures shall commence at 2:00 p.m. and continue until 8:30 p.m., or until the parade is finished.

1. School Street between North Washington and Snell Street.

The following street closures shall commence at 3:00 p.m. and continue until 8:30 p.m., or until the parade is finished.

1. Snell Street between N. Green Street and Bonanza Street between N. Washington and N. Green Street.
2. Wyckoff Street between N. Washington Street (SR-49) and Snell Street.

The following parking lot closures and no parking locations shall commence at 3:00 p.m. and continue until 8:30 p.m., or until the parade is finished.

1. The Sonora High School parking lots located on School Street.
2. City Parking Lot at Snell/Wyckoff Streets, including the bus parking spaces on Snell Street.
3. School Street, between Snell Street and N. Washington Street/ SR 49.
4. Wyckoff Street, between Snell Street and SR49.
5. East side of Snell Street, between Wyckoff Street and N. Washington Street/ SR 49.

The following parking lot closures shall commence at 4:00 p.m. and continue until 8:30 p.m., or until the parade is finished.

1. The Fire Museum parking lot on N. Washington Street.
2. The Fountain Parking Lot, across from the Sonora Opera Hall to be used for ADA accessible parking only.
3. The first floor of the Terzich Parking Lot to be closed.

4. The second floor of the Terzich Parking Lot to be used for ADA accessible parking and viewing only.
5. The Green Street Parking lot, located at Green Street and Linoberg Street.

The following street closures shall commence at 5:30 p.m. and continue until 8:30 p.m., or until the parade is finished.

1. N. Washington Street/ SR 49 between Elkin and Stockton Road.
2. S. Washington St. between Stockton Road and Hospital Road.
3. State Route 49/Stockton Road between S. Washington Street/SR 49 and 70 W. Stockton Street (Yoshoku Restaurant).
4. The following streets between Washington Street/ SR 49 and Stewart Street:
Dodge Street, Jackson Street, Bradford Street, Theall Street, Church Street, Gold Street, William Street, Lytton Street, and Restano Way.
5. The following streets between Washington Street/ SR 49 and Green Street: Dodge Street, Yaney Street, Jackson Street, Bradford Street, Linoberg Street and Church Street. Toby Street between S. Washington Street and McGowan Street.
6. Lytton and Bulwer Streets between S. Washington Street and Olive Street.
7. June Street between S. Washington and Church Street.
8. The left turn lane from SR 49 (Stockton Road) to eastbound Hwy 108.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that no parking will be allowed at the following locations on Friday, November 27, 2026, as indicated below:

The following no-parking locations shall commence at 4:00 p.m. and continue until 8:30 p.m., or until the parade is finished.

1. N. Washington Street/SR 49 between Elkin Street and Toby Street.
2. State Route 49/Stockton Street between Washington Street and 70 W. Stockton Street (Yoshoku Restaurant).
3. Elkin Street between N. Washington Street/ SR 49 and Shepherd Street.
4. Stewart Street between Elkin Street and Dodge Street.
5. Church Street between N. Washington Street/ SR 49 and June Street.
6. The following streets between N. Washington Street/ SR 49 and Stewart Street:
Elkin Street, Dodge Street, Jackson Street, Bradford Street, Linoberg Street, Theall Street.
7. The following streets between S. Washington Street and Stewart Street:
Church Street, Gold Street, William Street and Lytton Street.
8. The following streets between N. Washington Street/ SR 49 and Green Street:
Dodge Street, Yaney Street, Jackson Street, Bradford Street, Linoberg Street, and Toby Street between S. Washington Street/ SR 49 and McGowan Street.
9. Lytton and Bulwer Streets between S. Washington Street and Olive Street.
10. June Street, commencing at Church Street and extending south 100 yards.

The following no-parking location shall commence at 3:00 p.m. and continue until 9:00 p.m. (For trolley stop location)

1. North side of Lyons Street between Stewart and Shepherd Street. (2 spaces)

The three-hour parking restrictions within the downtown corridor shall be released from Monday, November 16, 2026, through Friday, January 1, 2027.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Sonora, that all of the above is hereby approved, subject to all conditions as required by the California Department of Transportation.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED as a Resolution of the City Council of the City of Sonora, California, at a regular meeting of said City Council held on October 5, 2026, by the following:

AYES: _____

NOES: _____

ABSENT: _____

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Ann Segerstrom, Mayor City of Sonora

ATTEST: _____
Nicole McCutchen, City Clerk, City of Sonora

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