

**MINUTES  
OF A REGULAR MEETING  
OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE TRAFFIC COMMISSION  
HELD ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 2020 AT 6:30 P.M.  
IN THE CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
5655 JILLSON STREET, COMMERCE, CA 90040**

**CALL TO ORDER**                      The meeting was called to order by Chairperson R. Hernandez at 6:30 p.m.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE & INVOCATION**                      Chairperson R. Hernandez led those present in the pledge of allegiance and gave the invocation.

**ROLL CALL**

**Present:**                      **Commission:**  
Chairperson R. Hernandez, Commissioner Betancourt,  
Commissioner Maravilla, and Commissioner Mignon

**Staff:**  
Traffic Commission Liaison Belgin Cuhadaroglu

None

**Absent:**                      Los Angeles County Sheriff's Sergeant Larry Villareal

**PUBLIC COMMENT**                      None.

**SCHEDULED MATTERS**

**1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**                      Commissioner Betancourt moved and Commissioner Maravilla seconded the motion to approve the Minutes of the regular meeting held on February 12, 2020. The motion carried by the following vote:

AYES:                      Commissioner Mignon, Commissioner Maravilla,  
Commissioner Betancourt, and Chairperson R. Hernandez (4)

ABSENT: None

**2. ANGLED PARKING ALONG COMMERCE WAY BETWEEN JILLSON ST AND BARTMUS ST**                      Staff presented this item and shared its recommendations for yielding the maximum number of parking spaces along Commerce Way, between Jillson St and Bartmus St, since this corridor is heavily used, especially during City and sporting events. Each recommendation has its own budget and requires different street modifications (e.g. pavement markings/repaving).

**2. ANGLED PARKING  
ALONG COMMERCE  
WAY BETWEEN  
JILLSON ST AND  
BARTMUS ST  
(Continued)**

After a brief discussion, Commissioner Maravilla moved and Commissioner Betancourt seconded the motion to postpone this item for a future agenda. The motion carried by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioner Betancourt, Commissioner Maravilla, Commissioner Mignon, and Chairperson R. Hernandez (4)

ABSENT: None

**3. NUISANCE  
VEHICLES AND LONG  
TERM PARKING  
ORDINANCE**

Staff presented a report and provided its recommendations for the adoption of an ordinance prohibiting the stopping, parking, or standing of nuisance vehicles upon any street in residential zones, and clarifying the prohibition against the long-term parking of vehicles on public streets.

After a brief discussion, Commissioner Betancourt moved and Commissioner Maravilla seconded the motion to approve Staff's recommendation: To recommend to City Council to approve and adopt an Ordinance, and to modify the City of Commerce Municipal Code, to address nuisance vehicles and long term parking. The motion carried by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioner Betancourt, Commissioner Maravilla, Commissioner Mignon, and Chairperson R. Hernandez (4)

ABSENT: None

**4. CITY STAFF  
UPDATES**

Staff provided an update in regards to the Traffic Commission's Vice-Chairperson position, and wished all the fathers a Happy Father's Day.

**5. SHERIFF'S REPORT**

None.

**6. COMMISSIONERS'  
REPORTS**

**Commissioner Betancourt** requested an update in regards to the speeding and racing on Washington and Commerce Way, reported that there have been late evening break-ins, and she requested an update regarding extra patrol.

**Commissioner Maravilla** reported that vehicles speeding at Washington and Commerce Way is still an issue.

**Commissioner Mignon** inquired about the new traffic signal that was installed at the intersection of Jillson St and Atlantic Blvd, and about the potential impacts that the two measures on the June 2<sup>nd</sup> ballot would have on traffic.

**6. COMMISSIONERS' REPORTS**  
***(Continued)***

**Chairperson R. Hernandez** urged everyone to report any suspicious activity and to remain aware of their surroundings. Moreover, he requested that units out patrolling slow down and drive more cautiously through the neighborhood.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Chairperson R. Hernandez adjourned the meeting at 7:30 p.m.