

## **PARKING COMMISSION**

The Parking Commission is comprised of five members, appointed for four-year terms by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council.

### **Parking Commission Members**

<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Term Expiration</u></b>
Ryke Dahlen	2015
Steve Wisner	2014
Karen Abeid	2013
<i>Vacant</i>	2013
<i>Vacant</i>	2015

The Commission is authorized and empowered to:

- A. Own and acquire property and property rights for the construction, maintenance or operation of off-street parking facilities, and accept grants-in-aid.
- B. Construct, maintain and operate parking facilities.
- C. Establish and collect parking fees, make exemptions for handicapped persons, lease space for commercial, store, advertising or automobile accessory purposes, and regulate prices and service charges, for use of and within the aerial space over parking space under its control.
- D. Contract with private persons and organizations for the management and/or operation of parking facilities under its control.
- E. Execute and accept instruments, including deeds necessary and convenient for the carrying on of its business; acquire rights to develop parking facilities over or under City property; contract to operate and manage parking facilities under the jurisdiction of other City departments and of other public bodies.
- F. Determine the need for and recommend to the City Council:
  - 1. The establishment of local improvement districts to pay the cost of parking facilities or any part thereof.
  - 2. The issuance of bonds or other financing by the City for the construction of parking facilities.

3. The acquisition of property and property rights by condemnation from the public, or in street areas.
- G. Transfer its control of property to the City and liquidate its affairs, so long as such transfer does not contravene any covenant or agreement made with the holders of bonds or other creditors.
- H. Require payment of any excise tax provided for by statute.