

MINUTES - DRAFT

City of Orange

City Traffic Commission

June 11, 2025

The Traffic Commission of the City of Orange, California convened on Wednesday, June 11, 2025, at 5:30 p.m. in a Regular Meeting in the Council Chamber, 300 E. Chapman Avenue, Orange, California.

1. OPENING/CALL TO ORDER

Chair Feliz called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

1.1 PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Chair Feliz led the flag salute.

1.2 ROLL CALL

Present: Ricci, Barbeito, Hamilton, Redding, and Feliz

Absent: Jurjis, and Chavarria

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

None.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

3.1. Approval of minutes of the City of Orange Traffic Commission Regular Meeting held on April 09, 2025.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Ricci, seconded by Commissioner Barbeito, to approve minutes as presented. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Ricci, Barbeito, Hamilton, Redding, and Feliz

Noes: None

Absent: Jurjis, and Chavarria

4. NEW BUSINESS

4.1. Installation of blue curb at 1025 E. Chalyann Avenue.

A motion was made by Chair Feliz, seconded by Vice Chair Ricci, to approve the installation of approximately 22 feet of blue curb along the frontage of 1025 E. Chalyann Avenue. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Ricci, Barbeito, Hamilton, Redding, and Feliz

Noes: None

Absent: Jurjis, and Chavarria

4.2. Request for permit parking on both sides of E. Via Lardo Avenue from S. Hewes Street to easterly terminus.

Public Speakers

Maria Chavez spoke in support; however expressed concerns with potential parking impacts on Philo Avenue.

A motion was made by Commissioner Hamilton, seconded by Vice Chair Ricci, to: 1) Approve the implementation of permit parking on E. Via Lardo Avenue from S. Hewes Street to easterly terminus. 2) Forward to the City Council for final action. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Ricci, Barbeito, Hamilton, Redding, and Feliz

Noes: None

Absent: Jurjis, and Chavarria

4.3. Request for permit parking on the east side of S. Swidler Place from E. Chapman Avenue to E. Almond Avenue, and both sides of E. Almond Avenue from S. Swidler Place to S. Olympia Way.

Public Speakers

Kelley Bingel spoke in support; however expressed concerns with parking impacts and including Burley Avenue into the permit parking program.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Ricci, seconded by Commissioner Hamilton, to: 1) Approve the implementation of permit parking along the east side of S. Swidler Place from E. Chapman Avenue to E. Almond Avenue. 2) Approve the implementation of permit parking on both sides of E. Almond Avenue from S. Swidler Place to S. Olympia Way. 3) Forward to the City Council for final action. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Ricci, Barbeito, Hamilton, Redding, and Feliz

Noes: None

Absent: Jurjis, and Chavarria

4.4. Time limits and curb restrictions related to paid parking in Old Towne.

Vice Chair Ricci recused himself from item 4.4 due to a potential conflict of interest with nearby properties and left the meeting at 5:46 p.m.

Public Speakers

The following raised concerns regarding developing potential parking exemptions for certain residents, employees, and visitors of the affected area: Jennifer Martinez, Gabriela Garcia, Bill Bland, and Julie Turner.

A motion was made by Commissioner Hamilton, seconded by Chair Feliz to, adopt Resolution No. TC 02-2025. A Resolution of the Traffic Commission of the City of Orange for the establishment of parking time limits, loading zones and curb restriction on public streets and City owned lots identified in Chapter 10.40.030 of the orange Municipal Code. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: Barbeito, Hamilton, Redding, and Feliz

Noes: None

Absent: Jurjis, and Chavarria

Recuse: Ricci

5. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:01 p.m.

The next Regular City Traffic Commission Meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 13, 2025, at 5:30 p.m., in the Council Chamber.

/s/ _____
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