



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

CITY OF CHICAGO

HAROLD WASHINGTON  
MAYOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER 85-3

WHEREAS, improving methods of parking management in the City of Chicago will benefit all residents by improving traffic flow in congested areas, increasing traffic safety for citizens, and providing better parking access in business areas; and

WHEREAS, a broad review of parking management procedures will benefit residents of the city by improving procedures for adjudication, increasing the efficiency of towing procedures and increasing revenue for the city; and

WHEREAS, proper parking management will not only provide for significantly improved traffic flow, but also generate substantial revenue; and

WHEREAS, in order to maintain a sound economic base for the corporate fund of the City, the City must seek to collect all revenue due in the most efficient manner possible; and

WHEREAS, former procedures to collect these funds must be reviewed, updated and revised to reflect a more efficient and responsible approach to the collection of this important revenue; and

WHEREAS, it is essential to review and evaluate existing recommendations for improvement in parking management; and

WHEREAS, a review such as this requires the expertise of individuals within City government as well as input from the private sector, particularly from those who are familiar with business and revenue collection;

NOW THEREFORE, I, HAROLD WASHINGTON, Mayor of the City of Chicago in the State of Illinois do hereby declare and order as follows:

SECTION 1. There is hereby established a Parking Management Oversight Commission. The purpose of the Commission shall be to coordinate, advise and provide vital input and recommendations with respect to improvement in parking management and the efficient collection of parking revenue.

SECTION 2. The Commission shall consist of 15 members appointed by the Mayor. Members shall have experience in business, revenue collection, financial services, law, accounting, private or public sector funding, or other enterprises. The Commission shall also include among its members the Corporation Counsel, the Budget Director, the Police Superintendent, the Commissioner of the Department of Streets and Sanitation and the Director of Revenue. Members of the Commission who are City Officials may designate a representative to serve in their stead. The Mayor shall designate one member of the Commission to serve as Chair.

SECTION 3. No member of the Commission shall receive any compensation for work performed for the Commission.

SECTION 4. The Commission shall have the following powers under this provision:

(a) To review and assess the present system of collection of parking revenue from various sources.

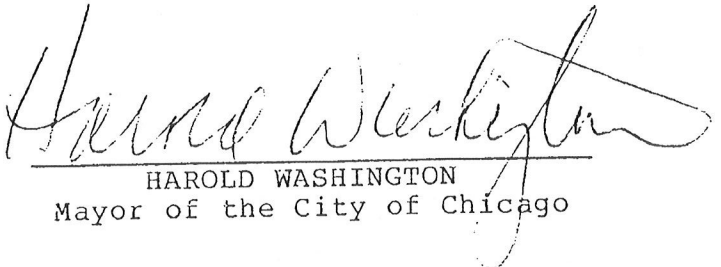
(b) To gather factual data from operating departments of the City government as well as from other municipalities throughout the country with respect to methods of parking management, as well as collection and disposition of parking revenue.

(c) To cooperate with the Mayor, the City Departments, agencies and officials in formulating a comprehensive program to increase parking revenue collection.

(d) To make recommendations to the Mayor regarding improvements in the City's parking management procedures,

which shall include, but not be limited to, reorganization of administrative activities within operating departments, ordinance changes to accommodate new procedures, and more efficient procedures for collection of parking revenue.

SECTION 5. This Order takes effect upon its signature by the Mayor and receipt and filing with the City Clerk.

  
HAROLD WASHINGTON  
Mayor of the City of Chicago

DATED: 8/21, 1985

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