

LRB – FISCAL REVIEW SECTION ANALYSIS

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ITEM 13 FILE 040251

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

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File No.040251 is a substitute ordinance relating to special privilege permits authorizing all-night parking.

Background & Discussion

1. The ordinance establishes that the following information be included in the application for a night parking permit:
 - Name and City of Milwaukee Address of the permit applicant
 - The license number and state of issuance of valid motor vehicle license plates
 - The expiration date of the permit applied for
 - Any other reasonable and pertinent information DPW may require
2. Currently, night parking permit applications require the vehicles owner's signature. The ordinance eliminates signature requirement. Eliminating the signature block will allow the permit application to be accepted by the kiosks (ATM-like technology) that DPW will be implementing. The kiosks will dispense night parking permits and receive payments for parking citations. DPW will have 3 kiosks operating on a trial-basis in Police Districts 2, 5 and 6 by October.
3. This ordinance establishes that vehicles displaying special privilege permits must also display while parked valid motor vehicle license plates.

Fiscal Impact

1. Because the ordinance allows a citation to be issued to vehicles that have a valid night parking permit, but do not have valid license plates, DPW expects there will be slight increase in the Parking Fund's revenue. (The amount of revenue that will be generated is not known).
2. According to the fiscal note submitted by the Police Department, the ordinance will have no fiscal impact on the Department.

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