




## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Mayor and Council Members

**CC:** Spencer Cronk, City Manager  
Robert Goode, Assistant City Manager

**FROM:** Robert Spillar, P.E., Director  
Austin Transportation Department 

**DATE:** August 31, 2018

**SUBJECT:** **Update on response on Resolution No. 20180614-063, Downtown Construction Worker Parking Update (CIUR 2041)**

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On June 14, 2018, Council passed Resolution No. 20180614-063. The resolution directed the City Manager to establish off-street parking requirements, through proposed recommendation or ordinance change, for workers at downtown construction sites.

The purpose of this memorandum is to provide an update on the steps taken to date and the additional work necessary to provide Council with a comprehensive recommendation.

Austin Transportation Department (ATD) staff conducted research and found examples of how peer cities have addressed the issue of employees who work in construction industries parking in public spaces. In addition, staff met with industry representatives to further understand the dynamics of identifying and creating parking mitigation plans for workers.

The Associated General Contractors of America distributed a survey to its members to better understand the concerns. Once the survey is completed, the results will be made available for your review and will become a part of staff recommendations to Council.

Additionally, ATD has already addressed the second resolve of the resolution relating to notification to the public about which meters are unavailable and for what periods of time. Signage improvements have been implemented to better inform the general public of the exact dates and times for permitted usage.

Due to the complexity of the remaining issues and Council's direction to ensure that solutions brought forward do not result in cost for the construction site personnel, we need an extension of the August 31, 2018 deadline to allow more time to collaborate and identify solutions. We plan to report back to Council by October 30, 2018, with an update and bring final proposed changes for Council's consideration on December 13, 2018.