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### \*\*Press Release\*\*

## SFMTA to Change Sunday Parking Meter Operations

San Francisco to repeal parking meter operations in most neighborhoods

**San Francisco**— Starting on Sunday, July 6, parking meters will no longer operate on Sundays throughout most of San Francisco.

This change is the result of the approval of the SFMTA's fiscal year 2015-2016 (July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2016) budget, which repealed operating meters on Sundays throughout the city. Citywide Sunday meter operation began January 2013. As a result most parking meters will revert to their pre-January 2013 operating schedule.

With this change, most parking meters will only operate Monday through Saturday with the exception of areas where meters operated on Sundays prior to 2013, specifically within the Port of San Francisco's jurisdiction, including the Fisherman's Wharf area, and the following seven off-street metered lots:

- 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue at Clement Street
- 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue at Clement Street
- Geary Boulevard at 21<sup>st</sup> Avenue
- 18<sup>th</sup> Avenue at Geary Boulevard
- 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue at Irving Street
- Pierce Street Garage (between Lombard and Chestnut streets)
- Felton Street at San Bruno Avenue

Starting with the Giants' first home game on July 13, parking meters around AT&T Park will also operate on Sundays during special events, such as Giants games.

For the first three Sundays in July, SFMTA Parking Control Officers will place informational flyers on vehicles parked at expired meters in areas where Sunday meters will remain operational to remind the public of these changes.

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When in doubt, customers are reminded to check the parking meter for days and hours of operation.

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Established by voter proposition in 1999, the SFMTA, a department of the City and County of San Francisco, oversees the Municipal Railway (Muni), parking and traffic, bicycling, walking and taxis. With five modes of transit, Muni has approximately 700,000 passenger boardings each day. Over 1 million people get around this city each day and rely on the SFMTA to ensure safe and reliable travel by transit, walking, bicycling, taxi and driving.

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