

**SFMTA** Municipal Transportation Agency

# RPP Reform Project & Pilot Areas

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### **Project Overview**

#### H RESEARCH

Prepare Existing Conditions Report

• Household Survey

Parking Utilization Study

Develop Case Studies POLICY
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Identify Key Issues

Generate Possible Policy Solutions

Obtain Input and Feedback from the Public ALTERNATIVES ANALYSIS Evaluate possible impacts: Goal Attainment Fiscal Administrative

## Key Issues

 Demand exceeds supply in many RPP areas even with controls on non-resident parking

#### More permits than spaces



# High occupancy during RPP hours







#### Route A-3 Telegraph Hill

#### Average Weekday Occupancy October 2015



### Long parking search times



# In Areas A and C, 40% of people circle for over 15 minutes and park 4 or more blocks away from home

Source: RPP Evaluation Household Survey, Nov 2015

# Why a pilot?

- Evaluate effectiveness
  - Do they provide desired level of parking availability?
- Test public acceptance
- Better understand administrative challenges before going citywide

### Northwest Bernal potential pilot area



# Weekday parking occupancy



#### Weekend parking occupancy

#### North Bernal Route Z-2



#### Access to vehicles and off-street parking

# Nearly 50% have no off-street parking

# Most have at least one vehicle

Planning Survey Area			
Off-street parking			
	Responses	%	
0	481	47%	
1	381	38%	
2	106	10%	
3	16	2%	
1016 100%			

Planning Survey Area			
Household Vehicles			
	Responses	%	
0	51	5%	
1	442	44%	
2	382	38%	
3	93	9%	
4+	19	2%	
	100%		

#### North Bernal parking issues



- 95% of households own vehicles
- High rates of non-resident parking on neighborhood streets
- Nearly 50% of homes have no off-street parking
- Proximity to major traffic generators
  - St. Luke's Hospital
  - Mission Street (14)
  - 24<sup>th</sup> Street Bart

# Policy options to pilot in North Bernal

#### Cap the number of permits issued

#### **Current policy**

- 4 permits per household
- May petition for more

#### Options

- 1 permit per driver
- 2 permits per household

# Key Issues

- 1. Demand exceeds supply in many RPP areas even with controls on non-resident parking
- 2. Traditional RPP regulations may not provide the flexibility needed in mixed-use areas

#### Residential area land use



#### Mixed-use area land use



# Dogpatch parking issues





- Predominantly industrial
- Existing and new residential
- Proximity to
  - UCSF-Mission Bay
  - Warriors Arena
  - Pier 70
- Commuters
  - T-Third
  - Caltrain—22nd Ave
- Multiple types of users and different parking needs

#### Potential option for mixed-use areas

#### Paid + permit parking

#### **Current policy**

 Visitors may park in permit areas for free, up to the posted time limit

#### Option

- Visitors may park in permit areas if they pay (permit holders park for free)
  - Pay-by-phone only OR
  - Multi-space meters
  - Price high enough to retain availability for residents and other permit-holders

### Next steps

- Northwest Bernal Heights
  - Complete internal evaluation of administrative costs for policy changes
  - Meetings with community to announce/review
  - Draft Transportation Code language for pilot
  - Get approval of pilot by full SFMTA Board

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- Dogpatch
  - Complete internal evaluation of administrative costs for policy changes
  - Finalize implementation plan for paid+permit parking using existing technology
  - Work with Muni partners regarding TDM for transit divisions in the area
  - Meetings with community to finalize
  - Get approval of pilot by full SFMTA Board