

From: The Downtown Leadership Council (DLC)
To: Mayor and City Council
Date: April 25, 2018
Re: Downtown Parking Garages

Dear Mayor Treece and Members of the Council:

The Downtown Leadership Council has had an ongoing discussion regarding the allocation and availability of parking spaces in the downtown parking garages, and appreciate the presentation given to us by Drew Brooks, Transit & Parking Manager.

We realize the Parking Advisory Commission may include these issues in their review, but would ask the Council to consider them in the meantime, as the Commission will likely take some time to make any recommendations.


The DLC requests the Council review the following:

1. The location of the public parking spaces in the 8th & Walnut "Plaza" garage;
2. Issues in the Short Street Garage including the permit process, the percentage of reserved spaces versus public parking, and the number and location of spaces leased to The Broadway hotel.

In general, the DLC would like to see more public parking spaces available on the first floors of all of the parking garages for the convenience of downtown business customers and visitors.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Yours very truly,



Scott A. Wilson
DLC Chair