CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS AGENDA ITEM DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM

DEPARTMENT:
AGENDA DATE: PUBLIC HEARING DATE:
CONTACT PERSON NAME AND PHONE NUMBER:
DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED:
STRATEGIC GOAL:
SUBGOAL:
SUBJECT: APPROVE a resolution / ordinance / lease to do what? OR AUTHORIZE the City Manager to do what? Be descriptive of what we want Council to approve. Include \$ amount if applicable.
BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION: Discussion of the what, why, where, when, and how to enable Council to have reasonably complete description of the contemplated action. This should include attachment of bid tabulation, or ordinance or resolution if appropriate. What are the benefits to the City of this action? What are the citizen concerns?
PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION: Has the Council previously considered this item or a closely related one?
AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING: How will this item be funded? Has the item been budgeted? If so, identify funding source by account numbers and description of account. Does it require a budget transfer?

DEPARTMENT HEAD:
(If Department Head Summary Form is initiated by Purchasing, client department should sign also)

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, WinterFest is a holiday event that draws the community to the downtown area, during a time of year when there are numerous other activities in the downtown area, which can cause a strain on available downtown parking; and

WHEREAS, City Code Subsection 12.56.020(F) permits the International Bridges Director to make recommendations to City Council for exceptions to the days and times when parking meter fees shall apply; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that WinterFest constitutes a special downtown event as contemplated in City Code Subsection 12.56.020(F)(1); and

WHEREAS, the International Bridges Director recommends parking meter fees North of I-10, including but not limited to the Uptown Parking Benefit District, be waived solely and exclusively on November 23, 2024, for the event known as WinterFest; and

WHEREAS, the International Bridges Director does not recommend that parking meter fees in the downtown area be waived on November 23, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the City Council encourages the community to park at parking meters North of I-10, including but not limited to the Uptown Parking Benefit District, and encourages the community to utilize the El Paso Streetcar to travel to WinterFest on November 23, 2024.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:

THAT the City Council, in accordance with the provisions of City Code Subsection 12.056.020(F)(1), hereby exempts the regularly designated parking meter fees to the North of I-10, to include, but not be limited to the Uptown Parking Benefit District, on November 23, 2024, for WinterFest which constitutes a special downtown event.

(Signatures appear on following page)

APPROVED this	day of	, 2024.
		CITY OF EL PASO
		Oscar Leeser Mayor
ATTEST:		
Laure D. Deine		
Laura D. Prine City Clerk		
APPROVED AS TO FORM:		APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:
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Mona M. Heydarian		Roberto Tinajero, Director
Assistant City Attorney		International Bridges Department