

El Camino College
Parking and Traffic Advisory Council
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Also attending: Mayra Sandoval/Parking Services

The meeting started at 1:06pm.

The May 26, 2021 minutes were approved.

Review/Updates:

- The roadway on the northeast corner along Crenshaw Blvd. & Manhattan Beach Blvd. will be kept two-way.
- Cabinet made the decision that students will not need parking permits during the summer and fall semesters. They will still be cited though if parked in red zones/stalls or parked illegally. Marketing will need to get this information out to the students and campus. The free student permits were discussed with V.P. Miyashiro to some extent but not completely because it is summer and hardly anyone is on campus. They will see how it goes when fall semester starts.
- The rideshare pickup/drop off by the new gym as a possible fourth location was discussed with V.P. Miyashiro and will most likely be added.

Virtual Parking Permits

V.P. Miyashiro is hoping to have a virtual parking permit system by spring semester 2022. A presentation was made to the cabinet this past Monday by OmniQ, a company that does virtual parking management. They manage other colleges as well as cities. Their system connects seamlessly with Colleague, Banner and other registration software programs that colleges may have. It is used at Cypress Community College.

When a student registers, part of the registration process would be putting in their information and license plate of their vehicle(s). The system will give them permission to park based on the license plate number. There is no permit or sticker given out, however those that don't have internet access or prefer a paper permit can still go to the permit machines and purchase one.

Parking enforcement vehicles will be equipped with license plate readers and cadets will have handheld readers. If they come across a plate that is not registered, a warning or citation can be issued.

The process is faster and would have to be done each semester by students. Employees are on the system longer so they won't have to enter their info as often. It can be customized to accommodate vendors and special events. For the disabled, they can enter their placard number in the system.

The virtual parking permit system is still in the discussion phase and has not been approved. It still has to be recommended by the committee and go through the proper channels. The decision needs to be made quickly because it takes time to order permits if we won't be doing virtual. Chief Trevis will try and get OmniQ to do a presentation at a future meeting.

Roundtable

Lynn – She wanted to thank Campus Police for all of their work.

The meeting ended at 1:31pm.