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Miller, Mary Ann

From: siriusoul@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, February 16, 2004 2:42 PM
To: criticalparking
Subject: Feedback Form

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Zip Code : 55454

Phone_Number : 612-317-0611

Name : Julie A. Jeatran

email : siriusoul@yahoo.com

Address : 2711 S. 8th Street

City : Minneapolis

Message : I strongly object to such a steep increase in the parking permit fee. The great percentage of households who would have to pay this extra fee live at or below the poverty line. I reject this way of 'not raising taxes' by increasing so many other fees . If an increase is in order, how about a \$5 increase? It is bad enough to have to pay to park in front of one's own house. In my neighborhood we would not need critical parking permits if Fairview-Riverside employees and students did not take up every free parking spot around the park. Why can't they be charged or taxed.

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From: egovernment
Sent: Tuesday, February 10, 2004 3:17 PM
To: criticalparking
Subject: Feedback Form

This is an email generated from the City of Minneapolis' web site.

Zip Code : 55414

Phone_Number : (612) 340-1338

Name : Karen Murdock

email :

Address : 1212 Yale Avenue SE

City : Minneapolis

Message : I don't object to the rise in fees so much--although it seems a big jump for one year. But why change the policy on visitor passes? That one I don't understand. I think the current system works fine.

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Quigley, Luann R

From: artemi200@yahoo.com
Sent: Friday, February 06, 2004 10:24 PM
To: criticalparking
Subject: Feedback Form

This is an email generated from the City of Minneapolis' web site.

Zip Code : 55403

Phone Number :

Name : Rachael Taaffe

email : artemi200@yahoo.com

Address : 1770 Hennepin Ave. #22

City : Minneapolis

Message : I have lived and parked in this area for 5 years, since before there was ever any "critical parking" designation. If anything, parking is harder now than it was before, when there were no restrictions on many streets. Now I have to pay and spend more time looking for a spot. The fact that the city now wants to raise the fee to \$25 rather than \$10 makes me think that it is only interested in milking me for as much of my money as it can possibly get, rather than allowing me to freely live a safe and happy life. The government is supposed to work FOR me, not against me. I suggest, instead of raising the parking permit fee, that the city abolishes the critical parking designation in my area. Allow us residents to keep our hard-earned money and park more easily.

Thank you,
Rachael

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From: jmgoldie@northcentral.edu
Sent: Tuesday, February 03, 2004 5:17 PM
To: criticalparking
Subject: Feedback Form

This is an email generated from the City of Minneapolis' web site.

Zip Code : 55404

Phone_Number : 612.343.4446

Name : Jody Goldie

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Address : 1009 Park Ave #114

City : Minneapolis

Message : The price of the permits are being raised because of the operational costs associated with the program...the administrative and signing costs. I apologize if this is tedious, but what does that mean exactly? I understand costs for personnel and stickers, mailings, etc. Is there a lot more that you can tell me about? Thank you so much.

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