

ORDINANCE NO. 81 020

APR 7 1981

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 81-014
RELATING TO EXEMPTIONS FROM THE MORATORIUM
ON SIGN PERMITS FOR OFFSITE SIGNS AND
CERTAIN ONSITE SIGNS NEAR FREEWAYS AND
DECLARING THIS ORDINANCE TO BE AN EMERGENCY
MEASURE TO TAKE EFFECT IMMEDIATELY

SECTION 1.

Section 2 of Ordinance No. 81-014 is hereby amended to read as follows:

SECTION 2. ONSITE SIGNS.

- (a) Except as provided in paragraphs (b) and (c) of this section, no application for a permit or other entitlement for the erection, alteration, or relocation of detached onsite sign, to be located within 660 feet of the exterior right-of-way line of a freeway or proposed freeway in the City of Sacramento and the copy of which would be readily visible by persons traveling on the freeway or proposed freeway, shall be accepted for filing, processed, or approved, and no such permit shall be issued pursuant to Article II of Chapter 3 of the Sacramento City Code by the City Council or any department, officer, employee, board, or commission of the City of Sacramento.
- (b) This section shall not apply to applications for permits to replace, or repair detached onsite signs of the type described in paragraph (a) which have been destroyed or damaged, where the applicant proposes to replace a destroyed sign with a sign substantially similar to the sign destroyed or repair a damaged sign to a condition substantially similar to the sign before it was damaged.
- (c) This section shall not apply to applications for permits to alter existing detached onsite signs of the type described in paragraph (a) of this section where the applicant proposes only to modify the sign to change the advertising message and does not propose to modify the size, height, location, or lighting of the sign.

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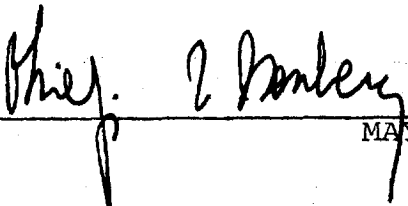
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SECTION 3. EMERGENCY.

This ordinance is hereby declared an emergency measure to take effect immediately. The City Council finds that exempting the sign permit applications described in this ordinance from the moratorium will not be detrimental to the purposes and objectives of the moratorium and there is a need to immediately exempt these applications from the moratorium to avoid any unnecessary hardship to property owners who, during the term of the moratorium, need to repair or replace damaged or destroyed signs or alter existing signs to modify an advertising message.

ENACTED: APR 7 1981

EFFECTIVE: APR 7 1981



MAYOR

ATTEST:



DEPUTY CITY CLERK