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LADOT to Install Retail Pick-Up Parking Zones for Businesses Affected by COVID-19

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Following on the success of its Temporary Food Pick-up Parking Zone program, the Los Angeles Department of Transportation (LADOT) has expanded the program to offer temporary parking zones for retailers impacted by COVID-19.

"LADOT is committed to supporting Los Angeles residents and businesses however we can during the current pandemic," said LADOT General Manager Seleta Reynolds. "With hundreds of restaurants taking us up on our offer for free Food Pick-up Zones, it was only natural to extend this program to retailers so we can help stores stay in business and keep customers safe."

Retailers within the City of Los Angeles can apply for a Temporary Retail Pick-Up Parking Zone at ladot.lacity.org/RetailPickUp. Upon approval of an application, LADOT will designate and install one or two Temporary Retail Pick-Up Parking Zone sign(s) within three business days at no charge to the retailer. The sign will designate a single parking spot where a customer may park while picking up items from a nearby store. Motorists will not be allowed to use a spot for longer than 10 minutes.

LADOT continues to adjust operations to assist residents and businesses comply with physical distancing requirements and limit the spread of COVID-19. These include relaxed parking restrictions, deferred payment deadlines for citations, online hearing and permitting procedures, elimination of pedestrian push buttons at intersections with high pedestrian activity, switching traffic signals to "night mode" to reduce speeding, and service changes on transit lines.

More information about LADOT's response is available at ladot.lacity.org/coronavirus.

About LADOT

LADOT leads transportation planning, project delivery, and operations in the City of Los Angeles. We work together and collaborate to deliver a safe, livable, and well-run transportation system in the city and region. Our vision is for all people in Los Angeles to have access to safe and affordable transportation choices that treat everyone with dignity and support vibrant, inclusive communities.



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