



Public Notice

The City of Houston (City), through its Housing and Community Development Department (HCDD), proposes an Ordinance authorizing a First Amendment to the Parking Agreement between William Marsh Rice University (Landlord) and the City of Houston (Tenant) for parking located at 2109 Travis Street.

This amendment will reduce the area of the parking lot currently leased by HCDD due to the Landlord's planned sale of a portion of the property. As a result, 37 parking spaces will be removed from the Agreement. The City's annual rent will be reduced proportionally to reflect the remaining 107 parking spaces. No additional City funding is required.

The original Parking Agreement was approved by City Council on May 3, 2019, and provides parking at 2109 Travis, 914 Gray, and 918 Gray. The amendment does not change the original lease term, which continues through May 6, 2029.

Modifications to the adjusted premises, including new fencing, an additional exit onto Main Street, a lockable pedestrian gate, and lighting adjustments, will be completed by the Landlord.

The public has seven (7) days to comment on these proposed items. The 7-day period extends from Wednesday, September 16, 2026, through Wednesday, September 23, 2026. Following the 7-day public comment period, HCDD will take this item to Council. For additional information on this item, contact Kenneth Brown at (346) 547-3106. Written comments can be submitted by email to Kenneth.Brown3@houstontx.gov.

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