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City of Oakland to Dismiss Parking Citations Issued During One-day Labor Strike on July 1st

Oakland, CA—In planning for the one-day labor strike yesterday, the City of Oakland announced in a news release that one of the anticipated service impacts of the strike was that there would be no parking enforcement.

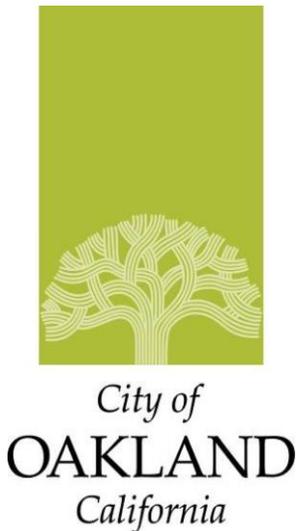
However, just as workers have the legal right to strike, they also have the right to report to work if they choose to work on a strike day. It came to the Administration's attention that parking enforcement personnel reported to work during the strike and issued parking citations.

As a result, the City of Oakland will honor our original statement and will dismiss any parking citations issued during the one-day labor strike on July 1, 2013 for parking citations issued by the City of Oakland Parking Enforcement staff. However, please be advised that any citations issued by the California Highway Patrol, Alameda County Sheriff's Department, Alameda County Transit Authority (ACT) or any other agency that those citations will not be dismissed.

Anyone who received a parking citation from City of Oakland Parking Enforcement staff on July 1, 2013 will automatically be sent a citation dismissal letter from the City of Oakland; they will not be required to formally contest the citation.

If you received a parking citation on July 1, 2013, and you do not receive a letter within the next 15 business days, please contact the Parking Citation Assistance Center at (800) 500-6484.

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