

Spring Valley Lake Municipal Advisory Council

Resolution 2025-01

A Resolution of the Spring Valley Lake Municipal Advisory Council on Long Term Street Parking Restrictions

WHEREAS, Spring Valley Lake contains many vehicles that are parked for an extended amount of time without being moved, which is a violation county code;

WHEREAS, the current County Ordinance states that vehicles parked on the streets must be moved every 72 hours;

WHEREAS, many of these vehicles are in violation of the current parking ordinance, which presents both a health and safety issue to the community;

WHEREAS, the community of Spring Valley Lake does not have sidewalks, which causes residents to walk in the street, which is a danger to them, especially after dark;

WHEREAS, often time oversized vehicles are parked across or in close proximity to each other it is difficult for both pedestrians and drivers to have a clear vision of on coming traffic;

WHEREAS, some of these vehicles have little in the way of reflective lights so that they are dangerously hard to see at night, especially when approaching from the front;

WHEREAS, some of these vehicles have not been moved or cleaned for many months, and as a result they are collecting dirt and trash around them and below them;

WHEREAS, due to the difficulty of enforcing the current ordinance we do not have a reliable estimate of how many vehicles have been abandoned or parked long-term;

WHEREAS, these vehicle owners are not currently being held accountable for potential ordinance violations, and the number of vehicles continues to increase throughout Spring Valley Lake;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the SPRING VALLEY LAKE MUNICIPAL ADVISORY COUNCIL that we urge San Bernardino County First District Supervisor to work to develop a local ordinance for Spring Valley Lake which will make enforcement of parking issues more effective, including items on the attached addendum.

Further we request that the county develop an enforcement program utilizing CHP or another source which will achieve proper enforcement of long-term parking.

Addendum to Spring Valley Lake

Long Term Parking Resolution 25-01

We are requesting that the following items be added to the existing long-term parking rules. We believe that they will allow the rules to be easier to enforce. While making the community safer.

1. All Rv's and trailers must be moved a minimum of 500 feet after being parked for 72 hours in a location or they will be cited and or towed.
 - a. Rv's include all types including but not limited to: Motorhomes, Trailers, 5th wheel and Toy haulers.
 - b. Trailers include all types, including but not limited to: boats (with or without a boat), landscape, utility, or storage.
2. Commercial vehicles are not to be parked on streets and are subject to immediate ticketing.
 - a. Exceptions are when loading or unloading or while actively working such as a landscaper.
 - b. Commercial vehicles are defined as any vehicle with any if the following:
Empty weight of 5 tons or more, commercial license plate, signage or wrap indicating a company name, or DOT marking.
 - c. Pickup trucks are exempt from the commercial regulations.