

Elmhurst Neighborhood Association

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Dear Ms. Moran and Mr. Harris:

Thank you for coming to the Elmhurst Neighborhood Association Board meeting on March 11 to explain the GIG Car program and answer questions.

We want to reiterate our concerns and expectations that GIG Car and the City will address problems as soon as they arise.

As you heard, Elmhurst is very impacted by parking from UC Davis employees and visitors. Many neighbors have spent considerable amounts of their time to get Residential Parking permit designations so that they can not only park in front of their homes but also safely enter and exit their driveways.

Allowing GIG Cars to park in Residential Permit areas defeats the purpose of requiring residential permits.

We were very disappointed that the City did not reach out directly to ours or apparently other neighborhood associations in drafting the parking provisions for the GIG Cars.

We don't want GIG Cars taking up neighborhood parking beyond the allowable one or two hour posted restrictions.

We are concerned that GIG Cars can become another commuter vehicle for medical center employees, allowing them to avoid paying for parking at UCD and instead clog up our narrow streets.

GIG Car needs to rent, lease or buy off-street parking spaces at UC or one of the businesses on the Stockton commercial corridor and use these instead of on-street parking particularly in Residential Permit areas. Another option would be to designate on-street spaces on 49th between V and Broadway.

Again, we expect the City and GIG Car to respond promptly to any complaints. If GIG Cars are being left parked for extended periods, we want them moved. Unfortunately, you failed to respond to our request yesterday to move a GIG Car that was parked in a No Parking without Residential Permit area on U Street. It has been over 24 hours and the car is still there.

We would also like a copy of any City agreements, terms, and contracts for GIG Cars in Sacramento. Sincerely,

Elmhurst Neighborhood Association Board of Directors

Cc Vice Mayor Eric Guerra, Councilmember District 6