

ORDINANCE No. 99-170

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING  
ENTRY INTO AN  
INTERGOVERNMENTAL  
AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY  
OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS,  
REGARDING PARKING UNDER  
CTA ELEVATED RAPID  
TRANSIT STRUCTURES

WHEREAS, The City of Chicago ("City") Mayor's Parking Task Force, in its report issued September 26, 1997, recommended that the Chicago Transit Authority (the "Authority") make areas under the Authority's elevated rapid transit lines available to the community for the parking of automobiles; and

WHEREAS, the Authority desires to make such areas available through the establishment and operation of surface parking lots immediately under and/or adjacent to and/or within the right-of-way of portions of elevated rapid transit lines owned, operated or maintained by the Authority ("Under-El Parking Lots"); and

WHEREAS, Under-El Parking Lots will benefit the City by alleviating the shortage of parking spaces that exists in certain City neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, the City proposes to modify certain City legal requirements normally applicable to the operation of parking lots in order to permit the Authority to construct, maintain and operate Under-El Parking Lots, and to provide for a right of ingress and egress to Under-El Parking Lots; and

WHEREAS, the Authority and the City desire to enter into an intergovernmental agreement that will govern the Authority's construction, maintenance and operation of Under-El Parking Lots, in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference (the "Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, the Authority and the City have authority to enter into intergovernmental agreements pursuant to the Illinois Intergovernmental Cooperation Act, 5 ILCS 220/1 et seq.; now, therefore:

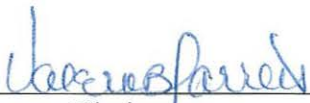
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CHICAGO TRANSIT BOARD  
OF THE CHICAGO TRANSIT AUTHORITY:

SECTION 1. That the Authority may enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement, substantially in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A, with the City of Chicago, Illinois, governing the construction, operation and maintenance by the Authority of surface parking lots located in the City of Chicago under and/or adjacent to and/or within the right-of-way of portions of the elevated rapid transit structures owned, operated and/or maintained by the Authority.

SECTION 2. That the Chairman of the Board, or her designee, is hereby authorized to execute such Intergovernmental Agreement and all such documents as may be necessary to implement the matters contemplated by such Intergovernmental Agreement.

SECTION 3. That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

APPROVED:

  
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Chairman

November 10, 1999

PASSED:

  
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Assistant Secretary

November 10, 1999