



## County of Monterey Board of Supervisors

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### Board Order

A motion was made by Supervisor Kate Daniels, seconded by Supervisor Wendy Root Askew with Supervisor Luis A. Alejo and Supervisor Chris Lopez abstaining, to:

Receive a preliminary analysis report in response to Board Referral No. 2026.08 regarding implementing a 12-month moratorium on parking in the immediate vicinity of Bixby Bridge on Highway 1, in advance of the Memorial Day weekend start of the summer season. The Board directed staff to move forward with implementing a 12-month moratorium by initiating several sequential and parallel steps:

Emergency Coastal Development Permit (ECDP):

The Housing and Community Development (HCD) staff was directed to immediately process an ECDP. Because the emergency permit will be limited to 12 months and commits the County to a long-term follow-up plan, it remains a local action that cannot be appealed to the California Coastal Commission.

County Ordinance:

The County must formally draft and adopt an ordinance officially designating this specific portion of State Route 1 as a "no parking zone."

Caltrans Encroachment Permit:

Adopting the County ordinance serves as a necessary prerequisite step. Once passed, the Public Works, Facilities and Parks department will work with Caltrans to secure an encroachment permit to physically install the signage.

Implementation:

Signs will be put up and enforcement will legally begin only after the ordinance is adopted and all overlapping permits are officially issued.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of May 2026, by roll call vote:

AYES: Supervisors Church, Root Askew, and Daniels

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: Supervisors Alejo and Lopez

Motion passed 3 to 2

I, Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey, State of California, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an original order of said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book 82 for the meeting May 19, 2026.

Dated: May 26, 2026  
File ID: PAR 26-012  
Agenda Item No.: 7.1

Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
County of Monterey, State of California

  
Margarita Hernandez, Deputy