

SACRAMENTO REPORT

State Provides Four Ways for City to Build Parking Lots

**By CHARLES EDWARD CHAPEL**  
The authority possessed by a city for providing off street parking and to finance such facilities is found in the Streets and Highways Code and in the California Constitution.

There are four laws in the Streets and Highways Code by which a city or a parking district, which includes all or part of a city, may provide and finance parking facilities:

1. The Vehicle Parking District Law of 1943 (Streets and Highways Code Sections 31500 et seq. (and following)), allows any part of a city, incorporated, unincorporated, or both, to form a vehicle parking district for the purpose of acquiring,

constructing, maintaining, and operating parking lots, garages, and other improvements for parking motor vehicles. Such facilities may be financed by assessments on the land in the district and by district bonds.

2. The Parking Law of 1949 (S. & H. Code Sections 32500 et seq.) establishes in each city a public body known as the parking authority of the city, which shall not transact business until the legislative body of the city declares that there is a need for the authority to function in the city. The parking facilities, and parking authorities, furnished by the district may be financed by revenue bonds.

3. The Parking District Law of 1951 (S. & H. Code Sections

35100 et seq.) provides that any portion of a city may be formed into a parking district, and provides for the financing of parking facilities by district bonds payable from the revenues of the facilities, revenues from parking meters, and from a limited ad valorem assessment against land in the district. The city is not liable for payment of such bonds.

4. The Municipal Parking Revenue Bond Law of 1949 (S. & H. Code Sections 33800, et seq.) provides for the issuance of revenue bonds by cities, counties, parking districts, and parking authorities.

**Constitutional Provisions**  
The Constitution provides that whenever a city, county,

parking authority, district or other public body is authorized by law to acquire or construct public parking lots, garages or other automotive parking facilities, and for the payment of the cost thereof, to issue bonds or other securities payable in whole or in part from revenues of such parking facilities, the city, county, authority, district, or public body may pledge, place a charge upon, or otherwise make available, as additional security for the payment of such securities, any or all revenues from any or all street parking meters then owned or controlled or to be acquired or controlled by it. (California Constitution Article XI, Section 18 1/2.)

One city of about 50,000 people in Los Angeles County took advantage of provisions of the above laws, established off street parking, and is paying for the land, paving expenses, parking meters, and labor out of the money placed in the meters. Soon the entire debt will be wiped out. Then the city can place additional money from the meters in the general fund of the city or use it to buy more parking land.

**Legislature Re-Convenes February 28**  
The California State Legislature re-convenes on Monday, Feb. 28, at noon. We shall be in session until about the end of the first week in June. Please send all mail addressed thus: Charles Edward Chapel, Member of the Assembly, 46th Assembly District, a s e m b l y chambers, State Capitol, Sacramento 14, Calif.

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**NO ATMOSPHERE**  
So far as scientists have been able to find, the moon has no atmosphere.

RIGHT AROUND SEASIDE

Bob Fulton, Bill Morris Given Seaside PTA Life Memberships

By SUE BURK  
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The regular meeting of the Scout Mothers Club was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Evans, of Sharyne Lane, on Wednesday night. The mothers discussed the Valentine Party given the Old Ladies Home and also made plans for an Easter party for the women. Another mother, Mrs. Elinor Berry, offered her services as instructor in swimming classes to those boys who wish to complete swimming merit badges. Upon majority vote, the Scout Mothers decided to hold their meetings on the second Tuesday of each month, thus enabling more mothers to attend the meetings.

Present to partake of delicious home-made apple pie and coffee were Elinor Berry, Madge Graham, Margaret Whyte, Marion Colby, Helen Morris, Janet Wood, Virginia Nauman, Bonnie Evans, Barbara Bardeen, Margie French, Mildred Muldoon, Elsie Westcombe, Sue Burk, and Isabelle Gaul. New mothers welcomed into the organization were Barbara Bardeen, and Margie French.

The Girl Scout Cookie Sale is now in progress. The girls have several new varieties of cookies this year plus the old stand-bys chocolate and vanilla cream-filled sandwiches. There are only two days left to buy your package of cookies.

Barbara Bardeen is up and around again after a few weeks in a cast. Barbara fractured an ankle on New Year's, when she tripped over the family pet.

The next camporee for the Boy Scouts of Troop 726 will be held at Big Bear near the end of this month, according to Mrs. Virginia Naumann, wife of Scoutmaster Dick Naumann. Most of the parents are looking forward to this camporee as much as the boys are.

Lillard and Laura Thompson were presented with another grandchild on Feb. 20, when son Walt and wife rang the good news from the hospital. The baby girl weighed 6 lbs. and 3 oz. at birth. No name has been chosen for the cutie as yet.

Two darling children celebrated their fourth birthdays on

Feb. 13 at a party given by their mother, Mrs. Leonard Priestley, of Vanderhill Rd. The twins, Janet and Greg Priestley, entertained guests Betty and Arlene Adair, Debby and Susan Albright, Melvin Hattan, Brock Spear, and Bobby Priestley. While the twins were enjoying ice cream, cake and punch, Mrs. Priestley entertained Mrs. Frank Adair, Lon Albright, Charles Hattan, Charles Spear, and Fank Bruce of Ionia, Mich.

One month old now is Kathleen Sue Berry, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Berry, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bellehumeur of Macaffee Rd. She was born Jan. 5 at Torrance Memorial Hospital and weighed in at 8 lbs. 12 oz.

Michael Alan Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross, of 5109 Zakon Rd., is abed with chickenpox. This keeps him away from accordion lessons.

Pack meeting at El Retiro Park last evening made two boys new Bobcats. They were Billy Malan and David French. Awards were given the boys by Bill Malan, awards chairman, with the graduation ceremony presented by Scoutmaster Dick Naumann. Helping out in the graduation ceremonies were Boy Scouts Edwin Wood and Jeffrey Naumann. The theme for February is "Let Freedom Ring." Each of the Cub Scout dens sang a patriotic number and Den 3, led by Mrs. Margaret Whyte, led the flag ceremonies. Den 3 also served refreshments to parents, friends and neighbors. Boys graduating from the rank of Webelos into Boy Scouting were Bobby Hattan and Bruce Shockey. At the Pack committee meeting held in the home of Bob Parke, newly-elected Cubmaster, plans and discussions for the March theme were highlighted. Teddy Drake resigned as Cubmaster, but he will still be awards chairman. Bill Malan was elected assistant Cubmaster.

All the boys of Cub Pack 726-C wish to express their thanks to the public for its acceptance of the doughnut sale recently past. The willingness of these little fellows who are already making good citizens, to go out and work for Scouting activities should make any parent proud to say: "My son is a Scout."

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Leonard, of Zakon Rd. on Feb. 9, was little Melissa Ann, who weighed in at 6 lbs. 7 oz. at Seaside Memorial Hospital in Long Beach. Melissa has two sisters, Penny and Becky, who are so proud of baby.

Grandparents are Mrs. Bertha Leonard of Logg Beach, and Mrs. Iva Lopeman of Chillicothe, Ill.

At the Feb. 10 meeting of Seaside Parent-Teachers Assn. the public listened in rapt attention as the Los Candeleros choral group rendered several selections. A number of the choral singers are from this area.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burk and family over Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dias and family of Venice, and Barney Unrath, of Beverly Hills.

A noteworthy quote from the Reader's Digest - "Swallowing angry words is much easier than having to eat them."

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THIS GIRL is wanted at home to care for her dolls, do house and to help mother do her shopping. She may be carrying a yellow passing game jack, a rag doll and her hair may be tied with a red ribbon.

They are both wanted in school for questioning in connection with the proper spelling of Cincinnati.

**MOST OF ALL THEY ARE WANTED FOR LOVE.**

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