



**STATEMENT**  
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STATEMENT ON NEW SIDEWALK VENDOR REGULATIONS AND BALBOA PARK

SAN DIEGO – Today, the San Diego City Council approved new sidewalk vendor regulations, brought forward by Councilmember Jennifer Campbell, on a vote of 8-1. Councilmember Stephen Whitburn addressed the new regulations as they will relate to Balboa Park, which is located in Council District 3:

***Thank you to the Balboa Park neighbors, visitors and stakeholders who communicated with my office regarding needed regulation of sidewalk vending in the park.***

***The vending ordinance passed today by the City Council prohibits sidewalk vending in Balboa Park between Memorial Day and Labor Day, and it prohibits sidewalk vending year-round within 25 feet of Plaza de Panama, Plaza de California, Plaza de Balboa, El Prado, Spreckels Organ Pavilion, the Carousel, Spanish Village, the War Memorial Building, Village Place, Pan American Road East and West, Pan American Plaza, Old Globe Way, Chapel Road, Presidents Way, and the park's gardens. Vendors will also be required to maintain 50 feet of separation from other vendors.***

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*Councilmember Stephen Whitburn represents San Diego's Third Council District, which includes the communities of Downtown, Little Italy, Bankers Hill, Mission Hills, Middletown, Hillcrest, University Heights, North Park, Normal Heights, Old Town, South Park, and Golden Hill.*