



**UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON
Campus Facilities Planning Committee
Request for Project Approval Form**

1. **Project Number**
2. **Project Name** **Temporary Parking Areas**
3. **Committee Date** **December 11, 2009**
4. **Requesting Department** **Parking and Transportation Services**
5. **Contact Name & Phone Number** **Robert J. Browand,
713.743.5847**
6. **Presenter:** **Robert J. Browand**
7. **Description of Request**

This item requests approval for the use of the three vacant lots along Cullen Blvd. north of Elgin Street. The lots are west of Cullen Blvd. and are bordered by Dennis Street to the north, Leek Street to the west, and Anita Street to the south.

Project Overview

Each lot will be converted, on an as-needed basis, to a temporary parking lot, beginning with the northernmost lot (bordered by Dennis and Drew). Parking surfaces will be crushed concrete or stone. Landscaping, minimal drainage and lighting will be included as will code blue emergency phones. Parking duration is 18 months, after which the site will be turned over for other uses.

Background Information:

The project has been made necessary due to the construction of the Stadium Parking Garage which is due to begin in May 2010 and be completed in August 2011. A total of 650 parking spaces will be lost during the garage construction and the displaced student parkers will be hard-pressed to find parking in our existing parking lots.

The magnitude of this parking shortage will increase significantly should

METRO light rail construction along Scott Street start before May 2011.

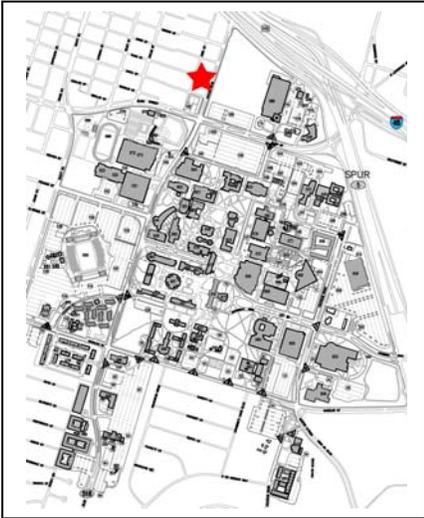
The use of three blocks on Cullen for the temporary lots was proposed by the Faculty Senate; the proposal was then submitted to and approved by the Transportation and Parking Advisory Committee.

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| 8. | Cost of Project | Approximately \$240K |
| 9. | Source of Funding: | Parking Revenue |
| 10. | Proposed Start Date: | Upon approval |

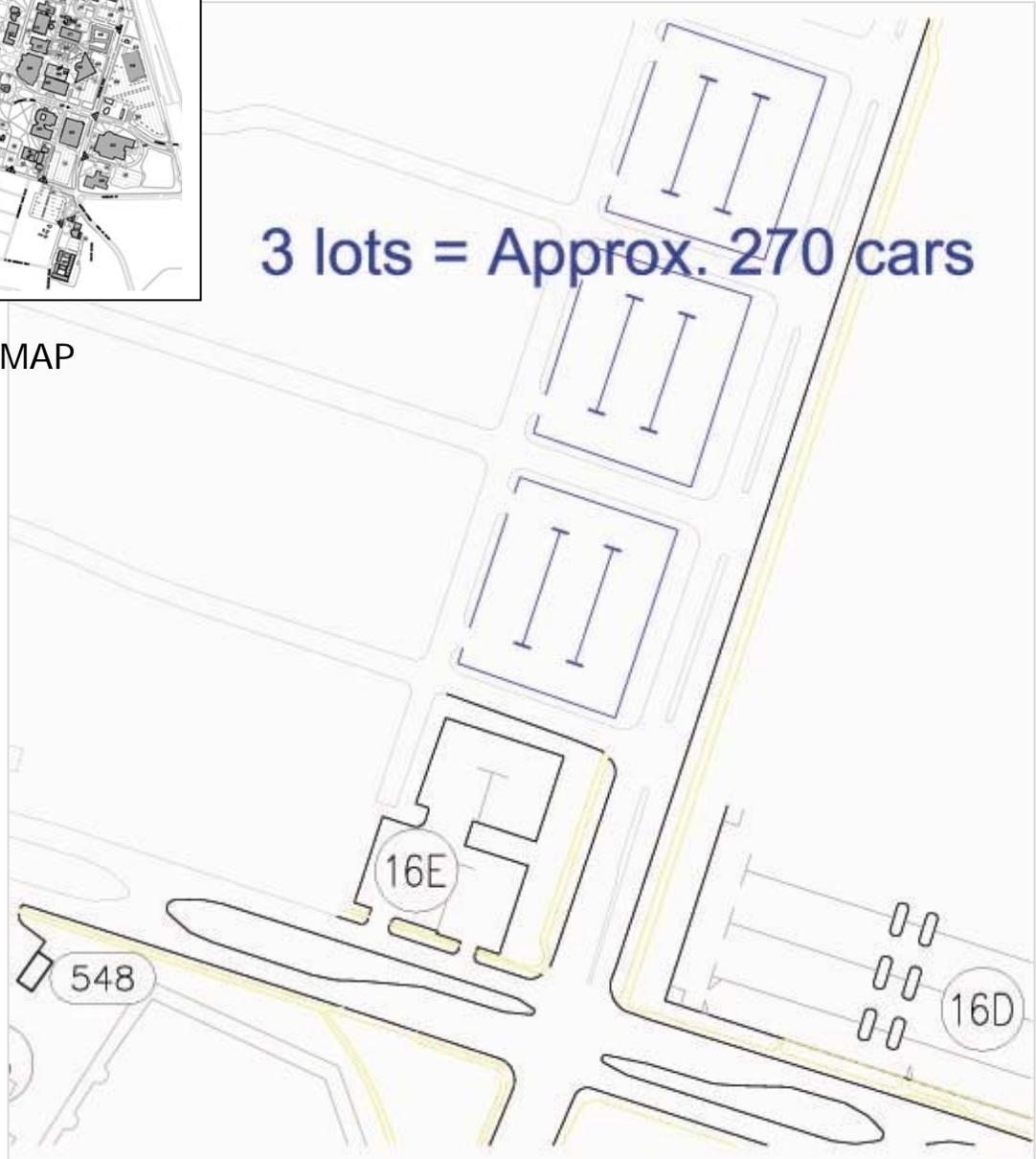
Spencer Moore
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Facilities Planning & Construction

Date: _____

Attachments



KEY MAP



PARKING LOT CONCEPTUAL LAYOUT