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In the last few years, multiple developments, from commercial to residential, have been planned and are being constructed in Downtown San Pedro and the LA Waterfront. This resurgence has spurred local and visitor traffic, leading to greater demand for parking.

Specifically, the development of a former court house into a high-rise apartment building eliminated a surface parking lot, with a loss of 80 spaces which served customers of the nearby shops and restaurants. This situation is causing patrons to circle downtown blacks in search of parking, thereby contributing to more vehicular congestion and air pollution emissions.

It is imperative that the City conduct a parking study to identify immediate solutions.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the Department of Transportation, in coordination with the Department of City Planning, prepare a parking study of Downtown San Pedro that assesses the area's parking needs, including an inventory of existing parking, an evaluation of current and future parking needs, recommendations for improving parking management, such as the implementation of diagonal street parking and other creative solutions.

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