Subject: Re: Master Meters in Garages
From: "Caton, Gary" <gacaton@UNCC.EDU>
Date: 3/10/2014 3:51 PM
To: CPARK-L@LISTS.PSU.EDU

Bill,

We currently use Pay on foot in our decks with gates and SIRIT AVI readers for permits. In our surface lot we use Pay by Space due to its customer friendly atmosphere, park, pay , go. We are implementing pay by phone to allow our pay by space customers to extend their time, when necessary, without having to return to the lot. Pay by space is easier to enforce as the officer merely checks the station for spaces that are paid and issues citations to all of the spaces that are occupied and not paid. Pay and Display seems unfriendly as the customer parks goes to the meter, returns to their vehicle and then goes on with business, and if they get delayed there is no option to extend time without returning to the lot.

My 2 cents,
Gary

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From: Campus Parking System Administration [mailto:CPARK-L@lists.psu.edu] On Behalf Of Patrick Seward
Sent: Monday, March 03, 2014 6:43 PM
To: CPARK-L@LISTS.PSU.EDU
Subject: Re: Master Meters in Garages

Hi Bill,

We are currently constructing a 330 space garage and will be using Pay and Display to manage the spaces. We decided to go this route as it is our current system of regulating parking on campus. It would be easy to switch to pay by plate with little infrastructure change, then you can use LPR.

We prefer Pay and Display as it requires the enforcement officer to be on foot and walking through the entire facility, increasing their presence and enhancing safety. Whatever route you choose, pay stations are in my opinion, the way to go.

Hope this helps.

Thanks

Pat

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From: Campus Parking System Administration [mailto:CPARK-L@LISTS.PSU.EDU] On Behalf Of Simons, William
Sent: January-23-14 7:50 AM
To: CPARK-L@LISTS.PSU.EDU
Subject: Master Meters in Garages

Hello Fellow C-Parkers.

Our city is building an unmanned 290 space, four-level garage starting this summer. Our current system downtown is Pay and Display.

I am looking for opinions about Pay and Display versus Pay by Space in garage applications.

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