From: Elliot Sorkin [mailto:execdirbicaa@tds.net]

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To: Stephen Lange Ranzini **Subject:** Re: Parking lot issues

This message confirms that Beth Israel Congregation would be unable to allow University Bank customers the use of its parking lot. Our parking lot is a small one, and we often have services for Jewish holidays on weekdays. In addition on Monday and Wednesdays starting at 3:00 p.m. our parking lot is used for our afternoon religious school teachers and parents. In thinking about it some more, due to security concerns, we would be unable to accommodate cars which do not register their license with the congregation. Unknown cars are subject to be towed from our limited parking lot which is located only a few steps from the building.

On the other hand, due to the small size of our parking lot, the availability of overflow parking at the University Bank parking areas would be very helpful to us particularly on weekends and evenings, but also on specific days during the week for which we would make arrangements with the bank way in advance of the event.

May I also suggest that you contact Vitosha Haus which is located on up the block from us who are very often looking for additional parking in the area and would also be able

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to utilize the new parking spaces for certain rental groups.

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