M E M O R A N D U M

DATE:	September 27, 2002
TO:	City Council Members
FROM:	Russell Weeks
RE:	Proposed Ordinance Amendment: Allowing Parking Tokens in Parking Meters
CC:	Cindy Gust-Jenson, Rocky Fluhart, David Nimkin, Margaret Hunt, Tim Harpst, Gary Mumford

This memorandum is in regard to a proposed ordinance amendment to allow the use of parking tokens in parking meters.

Potential Options

- Adopt the proposed ordinance.
- Do not adopt the proposed ordinance.

Potential Motions

- I move that the City Council adopt the ordinance.
- I move that the City Council not adopt the ordinance and consider the next item on the agenda.

Discussion/Background

The proposed ordinance is a housekeeping measure that would allow the use of parking tokens from the Downtown Parking and Transit Token Program to be used in Salt Lake City parking meters. The proposed ordinance also would set the time per parking token at one hour.

The City Council and the Redevelopment Agency Board of Directors have appropriated funds to assist with the advertising and promotion of the Downtown Parking and Transit Token Program and the minting of the tokens. The program will be administered by the Downtown Alliance.

The proposed ordinance would allow the City to reprogram parking meters to accept the tokens.