Senior Project Progress Presentation

Handicapped Parking System

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Introduction

The Problem

- Handicapped parking abuse.
- Affects 72% of handicapped.
- How big is it ?
 - Many attempts to solve the problem.
 - APPs to report abusers.
- Why ?
 - "I feel there are too many parking spaces reserved for the handicapped"
 - "I feel many people who have handicapped parking license do not really need them"

Current Solutions

- Issue a handicapped permit from "The Ministry of Social Affairs".
- Guard to check the parked cars.
- Remote controlled gates.

Proposed Solution

- Allow only eligible people to use the parking spot.
- Show the number of empty handicapped spots at the entrance of the parking.
- Ability to issue temporary permits to use handicapped spots.

Project Major parts (subsystems)

- Identification & recognition sub-system.
- Blocking sub-system.
- Authorization sub-system.
- Parking spot counter.

Identification & Recognition Sub-system

- Possible technologies available:
 - License Plate Recognition (LPR)
 - Passive RFID
 - Active RFID
 - QR code
- Final decision is Passive RFID

Identification & Recognition Sub-system

- Sirit INfinity 610 Four-Port
 - 4-6 m range.
 - Multiple interfaces
 - USB
 - Ethernet
 - Serial





Blocking Sub-System

- Possible technologies available:
 - Parking space guard.
 - Electro-Hydraulic Spike Barrier /Tire Killer.
 - Electro-hydraulically Blocking Bollards.
 - Parking Post.
- Final decision is Electro-Hydraulic Spike Barrier /Tire Killer.

Conclusion

- What we finished until now:
 - Analysis the possible technologies for:
 - The identification and recognition sub-systems
 - The blocking sub-systems.
 - The final decision on the sub-systems.
 - Hardware choices.
- What is next ?

