

TITLE II - COMMUNITY PROTECTION

ARTICLE V PARKING REGULATIONS

2-5.1 PARKING ADJACENT TO CURB. No person shall stand or park a vehicle in a roadway other than parallel with the edge of the roadway headed in the direction of lawful traffic movement and with the right-hand wheels of the vehicle within eighteen (18) inches of the curb or edge of the roadway except as hereinafter provided in the case of angle parking and vehicles parked on the left hand side of a one-way street.

2-5.2 DIAGONAL PARKING. Angle or diagonal parking shall be permitted only in the following locations on the city square:

West side of West Mian Street
North side of South Main Street
West side of East Main Street
South side of North Main Street

2-5.3 ANGLE PARKING: MANNER. Upon those streets or portions of streets which have been signed or marked for angle parking, no person shall park or stand a vehicle other than at an angle to the curb or edge of the roadway as indicated by such signs and markings. No part of any vehicle, or the load thereon, when parked within a diagonal parking district, shall extend into the roadway more than a distance of sixteen (16) feet when measured at right angles to the adjacent curb or edge of roadway.

2-5.4 PARKING PROHIBITED. The parking of a motor vehicle is expressly prohibited at all times in the following places:

1. At any place where official signs prohibit stopping or parking.
2. On a sidewalk.
3. In front of a business or private drive.
4. Within an intersection.
5. Within five (5) feet of any fire hydrant.
6. In front of the driveway entrance of any fire station, or within seventy-five (75) feet of the front of a fire station.
7. Within ten (10) feet of any street intersection.
8. Double parking is prohibited on all streets except in an emergency, then only if an operator is able to move the vehicle and remains within.

9. No part of any vehicle or load thereon, when parked within a diagonal parking district shall extend within the roadway more than a measured distance of sixteen (16) feet when measured at right angles to the adjoining curb.

10. No truck parking at any time in a diagonal parking zone, except for loading or unloading.

11. Stop Sign or Signal. Within ten (10) feet upon the approach to any flashing beacon, stop or yield sign, or traffic control signal located at the side of a roadway.

12. Excavations. Alongside or opposite any street excavation or obstruction when such stopping, standing or parking would obstruct traffic.

13. Hazardous Locations. When, because of restricted visibility or when standing or parked vehicles would constitute a hazard to moving traffic, when other traffic conditions require, the marshal may cause curbs to be painted with a yellow color and erect no parking or standing signs.

14. Public Alley. In any public alley.

2-5.5 NO PARKING ZONES. No one shall stop, stand or park a vehicle in any of the following specifically designated nor parking zones except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic or in compliance with the direction of a peace officer or traffic control signal.

2-5.6 TRUCK PARKING LIMITED. No person shall park a motor truck, semi-trailer, or other motor vehicle with trailer attached or trailer disconnected from tractor in violation of the following regulations. The provisions of this section shall not apply to pickup, light delivery, or panel delivery trucks.

1. All Night. No such vehicle shall be left unattended or parked upon any street or alley for a period of time longer than one (1) hour, beginning one (1) hour after sunset until one (1) hour before dawn without having displayed warning lights or having placed lighted flares, either of which must be plainly visible for a distance of three (300) feet in front of and behind said vehicle.

2. Noise. No such vehicle shall be left standing or parked upon any street, alley, public or private parking lot, or drive of any service station between the hours of nine (9) p.m. and seven (7) a.m. with the engine, auxiliary engine, air compressor, refrigerating equipment or other device in operation giving off audible sounds excepting only the drive of a service station when actually being serviced, and then in no event for no more than thirty (30) minutes.

3. Business District. Excepting only when such vehicles are actually engaged in the delivery or receiving of merchandise or cargo, no person shall park or leave unattended such vehicle, within the business district. When actually receiving or delivering merchandise or cargo such vehicle shall be stopped or parked in a manner which will not interfere with other traffic.

2-5.7 IMPOUNDING VEHICLES. A police officer is hereby authorized to remove, or cause to be removed, a vehicle from the street, public alley, public parking lot or highway to the nearest garage or other place of safety, or to a garage designated or maintained by the city, under the circumstances hereinafter enumerated.

1. Disabled Vehicle. When a vehicle is upon a roadway and is so disabled as to constitute an obstruction to traffic and the person or persons in charge of the vehicle are by reason of physical injury incapacitated to such an extent as to be unable to provide for its custody or removal.

2. Illegally Parked Vehicle. When any vehicle is left unattended upon a street and is so illegally parked as to constitute a definite hazard or obstruction to the normal movement of traffic.

3. It shall be unlawful for the driver or owner of a motor vehicle, whether in operating condition or not, to park or leave standing on the streets, alleys, and highways, or on roadside of a fenced highway or street of the Town, or in a Municipal parking lot owned and operated by the town for a period of not more than a week. If said vehicle is not removed within said period of time, the vehicle may be towed away and redeemed by a fee set by the Town Council.

4. Costs. In addition to the standard penalties provided, the owner or driver of any vehicle impounded for the violation of any of the provisions of this chapter shall be required to pay the reasonable cost of towing and storage.