

Town of Greenville Proposed Parking Ordinances

Parking prohibited at all times

- A. No parking area. To stop, stand or park a vehicle on the streets or portions of streets marked or posted which are shown as “prohibited”.
- B. Intersections. To stop, stand, or park a vehicle in a roadway within 20 feet of any intersection unless otherwise allowed by town ordinance.
- C. Fire hydrants. To stop, stand or park any vehicle, either occupied or not, for 12 feet along the sideline of any traveled way centered on a fire hydrant.
- D. Crosswalks, sidewalks and esplanades. To stop, stand or park a vehicle on any portion or part of a public crosswalk, sidewalk or esplanade.
- E. Driveways.
 - 1. To stop, stand or park a vehicle on a street within 10 feet of the point where the center line of a driveway meets the paved portion of a street.
 - 2. To stop, stand or park a vehicle so as to interfere with or hinder the ingress or egress to or from a driveway. A vehicle in violation of this ordinance may, at the option of any Greenville Police Officer, be removed and stored until all waiver fees established pursuant to this article for all outstanding notices of violation, and also the impoundment, storage, and other charges authorized under this article, have been paid.
- F. Snow Removal. No person shall stop, stand or park, or allow to remain, a vehicle in or upon any public way, as defined in 17-A M.R.S.A. 505, public square or off street public parking lot or area within the Town of Greenville during any hour of the day so as to interfere with or hinder the removal of snow by the Town or State from such way, square or parking area. Any vehicle found to be parked in violation of this subsection may be removed and placed in a suitable parking place in accordance with the procedures described in 29-A M.R.S.A. 2069

Parking prohibited except for limited times

- A. Continuous parking prohibited. It shall be unlawful to park a vehicle on any public way, public parking area or public land for a continuous period exceeding 24 hours, unless permitted by the Town Manager or his or her designee pursuant to an event permit or other agreement. A vehicle in violation of this ordinance and has not been moved within a 72 hour period may, at the option of any Greenville Police Officer, be removed, placed in a suitable location at the expense of the owner, and stored until all waiver fees established pursuant to this article for all outstanding notices of violation, and also the impoundment, storage, and other charges authorized under this article, have been paid

Parking prohibited except for designated uses.

- A. Parking for persons with disabilities. It shall be unlawful to park in a parking space designated and clearly marked for person with physical disabilities if that person has not been issued or is not transporting a person who has been issued a disability registration plate or a removable windshield placard pursuant to 29-A M.R.S.A. 521 or 523 or a disability registration plate or placard issued by another state.

Violations and penalties

- A. Waiving court hearing for violation; fees. Any person accused of a violation of any portion of this article may voluntarily waive his or her right to appear and defend before any court the charge made against him or her for such illegal parking by paying to the municipality the sum shown in Subsection 1 and 2 of this section for 30 days following the date such alleged offense was committed. If the waiver fee is not paid within said 30 days and a hearing has not been scheduled before a court, the waiver fee will automatically double. For purposes of this section, payment will be considered made on the date of the postmark for payment received through United States Mail.
 - 1. The waiver fee for any person accused of a violation relating to blocking driveways, fire hydrants, crosswalks, sidewalks, esplanades, no parking, night parking, blocking snow removal, parking left wheel to curb, or any other violation not mentioned shall be \$50.
 - 2. The waiver fee for any person accused of a violation relating to Handicapped parking shall be \$100.

Impoundment

- A. Purpose. This section is enacted as an enforcement procedure for promotion and protection of the public peace, safety and welfare and the safe guarding of property and shall be used generally for the prevention and removal of traffic hazards, prevention and abatement of public nuisances arising from traffic infractions and for the protection of the public rights in the use of Town streets, thoroughfares, parking area, parking lots and public ways.
- B. Impoundment for winter parking violation. Any vehicle found in violation of this article may be similarly removed and impounded should the violation occur during or within six hours of the end of a snowfall in excess of one inch or during the periods in which the Town is actively involved in snowplowing or snow removal operations.

Enforcement authority.

- A. The following are authorized to enforce the provisions of this article, and are considered part of Parking Enforcement:
 - 1. Greenville Police Officers.
 - 2. Town of Greenville employees who are designated by the Town Manager or his or her designee as part of Parking Enforcement.

