

City of Providence

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

CHAPTER 2008-45

No. 407

AN ORDINANCE

AMENDING ARTICLE 1 OF
CHAPTER 15 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES ENTITLED
"MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC"

Approved October 23, 2008

Be it ordained by the City of Providence:

SECTION 1. The Code of Ordinances of the City of Providence is hereby amended as follows:

Sec. 15-2. Penalties for traffic violations.

(a) *Generally.* The general penalties provided for by section 1-10 of this Code of Ordinances shall apply to violations of this chapter or any regulations made thereunder except that any person electing to appear before the clerk of court, or mailing the same, in lieu of a personal appearance before the Providence Municipal Court and admitting the violation charged, shall be punished by a fine as hereinafter respectively set forth:

| <i>Offense</i> | <i>Fine</i> |
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| Parking from 1:00 <u>2:00</u> a.m. to 5:00 a.m.* . . . | \$20.00 |
| Overtime parking from 5:00 a.m. to 1:00 <u>2:00</u> a.m. . . . | 20.00 |
| Parking without permit in a residential zone . . . | \$20.00 |
| Parking at expired meter . . . | 25.00 |
| Parking during an emergency . . . | 100.00 |
| Parking so as to obstruct the flow of traffic . . . | 75.00 |
| Parking in prohibited area (no parking) . . . | 30.00 |
| Parking within eight (8) feet of fire hydrant . . . | 30.00 |
| Parking in loading zone . . . | 30.00 |
| Parking in taxi stand . . . | 30.00 |
| Parking within twenty-five (25) feet of corner . . . | 30.00 |
| Parking to obstruct driveway . . . | 30.00 |
| Parking on sidewalk . . . | 100.00 |

Standing in prohibited areas . . . 30.00

Double parking (more than three (3) feet from curb) . . . 30.00

Parking in marked bus stop . . . 30.00

Parking in excess of one foot, but not more than three (3) feet from curb . . .
30.00

Parking with left wheels to curb . . . 30.00

Angle parking . . . 30.00

Parking on marked crosswalk or within intersection . . . 30.00

Stopping bus away from curb . . . 30.00

Parking in a tow zone . . . 100.00

Violation of moving vehicle traffic regulation . . . 75.00

*Except in those areas designated as permit parking areas (which allow for residential permit parking only between the hours of ~~1:00~~2:00 a.m.

and ~~6:00~~ 5:00 a.m.) during the pilot program to expire on June 30, 2010.

In the event any of the foregoing stated fines are not paid or a plea of not guilty to the citation is entered prior to the fourteenth day after date of violation, said fines shall be doubled.

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