

Borough of Fair Lawn

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Dear Resident,

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As a reminder, there is no parking from 2 AM to 5 AM, every day, on all streets and all municipal parking lots / areas. There is no parking from 8 AM to 10 AM on posted streets. The borough recognizes that residents may have a hardship for parking during those hours due to a host of reasons and has instituted a hardship parking policy that allows parking, for a fee, during the above mentioned times if you qualify.

The following guidelines have been established, by ordinance, for all hardship parking permits.

Permits may be issued for the following situations including but not limited to:

- No driveway or parking area
- Health care personnel on duty
- Work hours
- Visitors
- Construction
- More vehicles than fit in the driveway or parking area

Regulations for persons who have a hardship permit:

- The permit is vehicle sensitive (it is issued for a particular vehicle)
- The permit can be issued any time of the year
- The permit does not guarantee you a parking space
- The permit is good for the specified condition
(Currently “No Parking 2 AM – 5 AM” or “No Parking 8 AM – 10 AM”)
- You must park the vehicle **in front your house**, or, in close proximity to your apartment
- The permit is not valid for times during snow removal. The borough plows curb to curb when there are three or more inches of snow. Parking may resume after streets have been adequately cleared
- Street cleaning and other traffic / parking rules still apply
- The permit can be revoked for failure to comply with the regulations
- The vehicle’s registration address must match the address that the vehicle is being parked near.

How to obtain permission or a permit to park

- For one night (maximum of two consecutive):
No cost – by phone call to overnight parking at 201-794-5399
- For one day (maximum of two consecutive):
No cost – by phone call to police communications personnel at 201-796-1400
- For two weeks (maximum):
No cost – in person from police communications personnel
- For each month, or any part of a month after two weeks:
\$10 per month for the first vehicle – in person from police records personnel
(Note that the cost is \$5 per month for a second vehicle)
- For the year or the remainder of the year (expires Dec. 31st) – in person from records personnel
(Renewals may be done in person or by mail)

| <u>When purchased</u> <u>in month of:</u> | <u>First vehicle</u> | <u>Second vehicle</u> |
|----------------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| January | \$100 | \$50 |
| February | \$100 | \$50 |
| March | \$100 | \$50 |
| April | \$90 | \$45 |
| May | \$80 | \$40 |
| June | \$70 | \$35 |
| July | \$60 | \$30 |
| August | \$50 | \$25 |
| September | \$40 | \$20 |
| October | \$30 | \$15 |
| November | \$20 | \$10 |
| December | \$10 | \$5 |

Some examples:

If you are doing work at your residence that will take two months to complete and you need to park in the street during that time you can purchase a permit for those two months. If your student is home for the summer and needs to park in the street you can purchase a permit for June, July, and August (3 months). If you need a permit for the entire calendar year it can be purchased any time.

If you have any questions please contact the Traffic Safety Bureau at 201-794-5413.