

CHAPTER 69

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69.01 PARK 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 one-way streets.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.361)

69.02 PARK ADJACENT TO CURB – ONE-WAY STREET. No person shall stand or park a vehicle on the left-hand side of a one-way street other than parallel with the edge of the roadway headed in the direction of lawful traffic movement and with the left-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.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.361)

69.03 ANGLE PARKING. Angle or diagonal parking is permitted only in the following locations:

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.361)

1. Welsh Street on both sides from Elm Street to Court Street;
2. Elm Street on both sides from Welsh Street to State Street;
3. Court Street on both sides from Welsh Street to State Street;
4. State Street on both sides from Elm Street to Court Street;
5. State Street on the north side from Elm Street to Chatham Street;
6. State Street on the north side from Court Street to the alley one-half block east of Court Street except for one space immediately west of the alley, which is parallel parking.

69.04 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 or in the center of the roadway as indicated by such signs and markings. No part of any vehicle or the load thereon, when said vehicle is 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.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.361)

69.05 PARKING FOR CERTAIN PURPOSES ILLEGAL. No person shall park a vehicle upon public property for more than 48 hours, unless otherwise limited under the provisions of this chapter, or for any of the following principal purposes:

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.236[1])

1. Sale. Displaying such vehicle for sale;
2. Repairing. For lubricating, repairing or for commercial washing of such vehicle except such repairs as are necessitated by an emergency;
3. Advertising. Displaying advertising;
4. Merchandise Sales. Selling merchandise from such vehicle except in a duly established market place or when so authorized or licensed under this Code of Ordinances.

69.06 PARKING PROHIBITED. No one shall stop, stand, or park a vehicle except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic or in compliance with the directions of a peace officer or traffic control device, in any of the following places:

1. Crosswalk. On a crosswalk.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.358[5])
2. Center Parkway. On the center parkway or dividing area of any divided street.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.236[1])
3. Mailboxes. Within twenty (20) feet on either side of a mailbox which is so placed and so equipped as to permit the depositing of mail from vehicles on the roadway.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.236[1])
4. Sidewalks. On or across a sidewalk.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.358[1])
5. Driveway. In front of a public or private driveway.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.358[2])
6. Intersection. Within an intersection or within ten (10) feet of an intersection of any street or alley.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.358[3])
7. Fire Hydrant. Within five (5) feet of a fire hydrant.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.358[4])
8. 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.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.358[6])
9. Railroad Crossing. Within fifty (50) feet of the nearest rail of a railroad crossing, except when parked parallel with such rail and not exhibiting a red light.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.358[8])
10. Fire Station. Within twenty (20) feet of the driveway entrance to any fire station and on the side of a street opposite the entrance to any fire station within seventy-five (75) feet of said entrance when properly sign posted.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.358[9])
11. Excavations. Alongside or opposite any street excavation or obstruction when such stopping, standing or parking would obstruct traffic.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.358[10])
12. Double Parking. On the roadway side of any vehicle stopped or parked at the edge or curb of a street.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.358[11])

13. Hazardous Locations. When, because of restricted visibility or when standing or parked vehicles would constitute a hazard to moving traffic, or when other traffic conditions require, the Council may cause curbs to be painted with a yellow color and erect no parking or standing signs.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.358[13])

14. Churches, Nursing Homes and Other Buildings. A space of fifty (50) feet is hereby reserved at the side of the street in front of any theatre, auditorium, hotel having more than twenty-five (25) sleeping rooms, hospital, nursing home, taxicab stand, bus depot, church, or other building where large assemblages of people are being held, within which space, when clearly marked as such, no motor vehicle shall be left standing, parked or stopped except in taking on or discharging passengers or freight, and then only for such length of time as is necessary for such purpose.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.360)

15. Alleys. No person shall park a vehicle within an alley in such a manner or under such conditions as to leave available less than ten (10) feet of the width of the roadway for the free movement of vehicular traffic, and no person shall stop, stand or park a vehicle within an alley in such a position as to block the driveway entrance to any abutting property. The provisions of this subsection shall not apply to a vehicle parked in any alley which is eighteen (18) feet wide or less; provided said vehicle is parked to deliver goods or services.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.236[1])

16. Ramps. In front of a curb cut or ramp which is located on public or private property in a manner which blocks access to the curb cut or ramp.
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.358[15])

17. Area Between Lot Line and Curb Line. That area of the public way not covered by sidewalk and lying between the lot line and the curb line, where curbing has been installed.

18. In More Than One Space. In any designated parking space so that any part of the vehicle occupies more than one such space or protrudes beyond the markings designating such space.

69.07 PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES PARKING. The following regulations shall apply to the establishment and use of persons with disabilities parking spaces:

1. Establishment. Persons with disabilities parking spaces shall be established and designated in accordance with Chapter 321L of the *Code of Iowa* and Iowa Administrative Code, 661-18. No unauthorized person shall establish any on-street persons with disabilities parking space without first obtaining Council approval.

2. Improper Use. The following uses of a persons with disabilities parking space, located on either public or private property, constitute improper use of a persons with disabilities parking permit, which is a violation of this Code of Ordinances:
(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321L.4[2])

A. Use by an operator of a vehicle not displaying a persons with disabilities parking permit;

B. Use by an operator of a vehicle displaying a persons with disabilities parking permit but not being used by a person issued a permit or being transported in accordance with Section 321L.2[1b] of the *Code of Iowa*;

C. Use by a vehicle in violation of the rules adopted under Section 321L.8 of the *Code of Iowa*.

3. Wheelchair Parking Cones. No person shall use or interfere with a wheelchair parking cone in violation of the following:

A. A person issued a persons with disabilities parking permit must comply with the requirements of Section 321L.2A(1) of the *Code of Iowa* when utilizing a wheelchair parking cone.

B. A person shall not interfere with a wheelchair parking cone which is properly placed under the provisions of Section 321L.2A(1) of the *Code of Iowa*.

69.08 NO PARKING ZONES. No one shall stop, stand or park a vehicle in any of the following specifically designated no 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.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.236[1])

1. Chatham Street on the east side from North Street to Penn Street;
2. Chatham Street on the east side from Oak Street to High Street;
3. Clark Street on the west side from North Street to Penn Street;
4. Elm Street on the east side from North Street to State Street;
5. Elm Street on both sides from Penn Street to South Street;
6. Elm Street on the east side from South Street to Leo Boulevard;
7. Franklin Street on the east side from Maple Street to State Street;
8. Franklin Street on the west side from State Street to Welsh Street;
9. Franklin Street on the east side from Welsh Street to South Street;
10. Highland Street (Iowa No. 149) on both sides from the bridge over Old Man's Creek to the south corporate line;
11. Leo Boulevard on the south side from Elm Street to Highland Street;
12. Long Street on the east side from North Street to State Street;
13. Long Street on the east side from Welsh Street to Penn Street;
14. Maple Street on the north side from Elm Street to Highland Street;
15. Maple Street on the south side from Highland Street to Franklin Street;
16. Penn Street on the south side from 60 feet west of Wilson Street to Madison Street;
17. Penn Street on the south side from Clark Street to Highland Street;
18. South Street on the north side from Elm Street to Washington Street;
19. State Street on the south side from Hampton Drive to West Street;
20. State Street on the south side from Court Street east to the alley;
21. Walnut Street on both sides from State Street to Wilson Street;
22. Walnut Street on the south side from Long Street to Clark Street;
23. Walnut Street on the north side from Highland Street to Washington Street;
24. Welsh Street on both sides from the west corporate line to Wilson Street;
25. Welsh Street on the south side from Wilson Street to one-half block west of Chatham Street;

26. Welsh Street on the south side from one-half block west of Highland Street to Franklin Street;
27. Wilson Street on the west side from North Street to Penn Street;
28. Lake Shore Drive on the west side of the easterly leg; on the north side of the southerly leg, and the east side of the westerly leg;
29. Oak Street on both sides from the westerly intersection with Lake Shore Drive to Madison Street;
30. Oak Street on both sides from Elm Street to Chatham Street;
31. Park Avenue on both sides from the northwest corner east 100 feet;
32. State Street on both sides from Chatham Street to Wilson Street, except on Sunday parking shall be allowed on the south side of State Street between Clark and Long;
33. East Walnut Street on the north side along the east one-half of the 300 block;
34. Chatham Street on the east side;
35. State Street on both sides from Highland Street (Highway 149) to Franklin Street;
36. Evans Street on both sides from Highland Street to O'Donnell Road;
37. Boyd Street on both sides east from Highland Street;
38. Stone drive on both sides from Boyd Street to 385 feet south of Evans Street;
39. O'Donnell Street on both sides from 385 feet north of Evans Street to 385 feet south of Evans Street;
40. Hawkeye Drive on both sides from Highland Street to the west corporate line;
41. Cyclone Drive on both sides from Highland Street to the east corporate line;
42. Welsh Street on both sides from intersection with Washington Street east 300 feet;
43. Franklin Street on both sides from Highland Street to South Street;
44. Industrial Park Place on both sides from Maplewood Avenue to Industrial Park Drive;
45. Industrial Park Drive on both sides from State Street to Cyclone Drive;
46. Madison Street on both sides from Oak Street south to Sport Hill Country Club;
47. Raider Road on both sides from Welsh Street to the Williamsburg Community School property line;
48. Franklin Street on the east side from South Street to Highland Street;
49. Franklin Street on the west side from South Street to Highland Street;
50. Orville Avenue on both sides to Highland Street;
51. East State Street, on both sides, from 507 feet north of the intersection of East State Street and Maplewood Avenue to Industrial Park Place;
52. North Street on both sides from West Street to Sunset Street;
53. Knolls End Drive, on the north side, from the corner of Douglas Street and Knolls End Drive to the end of Knolls End Drive;

54. Penn Street, on the north side, from the corner of Penn Street and Wilson Street to the west property line of 606 Wilson Street.

69.09 ALL NIGHT PARKING PROHIBITED. No person, except physicians or other persons on emergency calls, shall park a vehicle on any of the following named streets for a period of time longer than thirty (30) minutes between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 5:00 a.m. of any day during the time period from November 1 to March 31.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.236[1])

1. Court Street from State Street to Welsh Street;
2. Elm Street from State Street to Welsh Street;
3. State Street from Elm Street to Court Street;
4. Welsh Street from Elm Street to Court Street.

69.10 PARKING LIMITED TO 24 HOURS. It is unlawful to park any vehicle for a continuous period of more than 24 hours upon the following designated streets:

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.236[1])

1. Court Street from State Street to Welsh Street;
2. Elm Street from State Street to Welsh Street;
3. State Street from Elm Street to Court Street;
4. Welsh Street from Elm Street to Court Street.

69.11 SNOW REMOVAL. No person shall park, abandon or leave unattended any vehicle on any public street, alley, or City-owned off-street parking area during snow removal operations unless the snow has been removed or plowed from said street, alley or parking area and the snow has ceased to fall.

(Code of Iowa, 321.236[1])

69.12 SNOW ROUTES. The Council may designate certain streets in the City as snow routes. When conditions of snow or ice exist on the traffic surface of a designated snow route, it is unlawful for the driver of a vehicle to impede or block traffic.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.236[12])

69.13 SPECIAL EVENTS PARKING. The Police Chief may restrict on-street parking during parades, festivals, and other special events.

69.14 TRUCK PARKING LIMITED. This section shall apply only to RS and C-2 Zoned Districts within the City limits. No person shall park or leave a truck tractor with or without trailer attached, semi-trailer, camper or motor home, boat on a trailer, farm tractor, farm machinery, implement of husbandry, or other motor vehicles with trailer attached on any public street within the City limits excepting only when such vehicles are actually engaged in the delivery or receiving of merchandise or cargo. 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. No such vehicle containing livestock shall be parked on any street, alley, or highway for a period of time of more than 60 minutes. No such vehicles shall be left standing or parked upon any street, alley, or public or private parking lot in any area of the City between the hours of 9:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. with the engine, auxiliary engine, air compressor, refrigerating equipment, or other device in operation giving off audible sounds. The provisions of this section do not apply to emergency or temporary parking for travel trailers, campers, and motor homes. Temporary parking for

travel trailers, campers, and motor homes is defined as a period not to exceed five (5) days with each occurrence being separated by a period of time not less than 120 days.

