

Philippe Bay Association Parking

The Board is providing a friendly reminder to all residents regarding parking within our community. Our community has city streets, therefore guidelines for parking are found within the City of Safety Harbor Code of Ordinances.

Chapter 23 - TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLES[1]

ARTICLE II. - STOPPING, STANDING AND PARKING Sec. 23.10. - Parking restrictions.

If there are concerns with parking violations within the community, please report them by contacting the City of Safety Harbor Code Enforcement either by telephone 727-724-1555 (ext. 1705) or online. Links to the City of Safety Harbor are below.

<https://www.cityofsafetyharbor.com/FormCenter/Action-Line-3-3/Action-Line-35-35>

<https://www.cityofsafetyharbor.com/121/Code-Enforcement>

Some of the more frequent concerns are highlighted below for your reference.

**Chapter 23 - TRAFFIC AND MOTOR VEHICLES[1]
ARTICLE II. - STOPPING, STANDING AND PARKING[2]**

Footnotes: --- (2) --- *State Law reference*— Powers of local authorities, F.S. § 316.008; parking regulations, F.S. §§ 316.1945 and 316.195; handicapped parking, F.S. § 316.1964.

https://library.municode.com/fl/safety_harbor/codes/code_of_ordinances?nodeId=PTIICICO_CH23TRMOVE_ARTIISTSTPA_S23.10PARE

Sec. 23.10. - Parking restrictions.

(a) No person shall park a vehicle for a period of time longer than two (2) hours on Main Street between Tenth Avenue and First Avenue when signs are erected giving notice thereof.

(b) No person shall park a vehicle for a period of time longer than forty-eight (48) hours on all other streets or avenues within the corporate limits of the city. The forty-eight-hour restriction is on a continuous basis and the changing of the position of a vehicle from one point directly to another point within the same block shall be deemed one (1) continuous parking period.

(c) Except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic or in compliance with law or the directions of a law enforcement officer or official traffic control device, it shall be unlawful to stop, stand or park a vehicle:

(1) Upon a sidewalk in such a manner as to block or impair the passage of pedestrian traffic on such sidewalk, either completely or partially. This shall not be construed to prohibit temporary parking of delivery vehicles either in commercial zones or residential neighborhoods.

(2) In front of a public or private driveway;

(3) Within an intersection;

(4) Within fifteen (15) feet of a fire hydrant;

(5) On a crosswalk;

(6) Within twenty (20) feet of a crosswalk at an intersection; except where approved designated parking spaces are located at a lesser distance from the intersection.

(7) Within thirty (30) feet upon the approach to any flashing beacon, stop sign or traffic control signal located at the side of a street;

(8) 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 such entrance;

(9) Alongside or opposite any street excavation or obstruction when such stopping, standing or parking would obstruct traffic;

(10) On the side of any vehicle stopped or parked at the edge of curb or street, or what is commonly known as double parking;

(11) Upon any bridge;

(12) At any place where official signs prohibit stopping, standing or parking;

(13) Within any specifically designated and marked space reserved for parking by a disabled permit only as provided in Sections 316.1955 and 316.1956, Florida Statutes, unless such vehicle is chauffeuring a disabled person and is making a momentary stop to load or unload such disabled person;

(14) Upon or within a designated bicycle path or bicycle lane;

(15) When signs are erected giving notice thereof, to park a vehicle for longer than such time as is prescribed by such signs in such areas designated in such signs. For purposes of this regulation, the changing of the position of a vehicle from one point directly to another point within the same block shall be deemed one (1) continuous parking period;

(16) Within a bus stop when such stop or stand has been officially designated and appropriately marked;

(17) To park, stand or stop a vehicle in such a manner as to impede, hinder or restrain the normal flow of traffic on a street. This provision shall not apply to emergency vehicles and city or commercially owned vehicles engaged in the collection of solid waste or recyclable materials;

(18) To park or stand a vehicle in a street other than parallel with the edge of the street headed in the direction of traffic, and with the curbside wheels of the vehicle within twelve (12) inches of the edge of the street or curb, except upon those streets which have been marked or signed for angle parking where such vehicles shall be parked at the angle to the curb indicated by such mark or signs; or

(19) To park or stand a vehicle upon any street or right-of-way for the primary purpose of displaying it for sale and/or washing, greasing or repairing such vehicle, except repairs necessitated by an emergency. An exception may be permitted, subject to compliance with any other applicable requirements of the City Code, in those cases where a vehicle is parked on a street immediately adjacent to the vehicle owner's principal place of residence and access to any form of off-street parking is not available.

(20) To park, stand or stop a vehicle in such a manner as to impede the

curbside delivery of mail when notice has been given by a postal carrier to discontinue the blocking of access to a mailbox in order to allow the delivery of mail.

(21) To stop, stand or park a vehicle, for purposes of loading or unloading passengers, in an area where signs are erected giving notice thereof, between the hours as designated by the city manager and on file in the office of the city clerk.

(Code 1970, § 25-4; Ord. No. 83-28, § 1, 7-5-83; Ord. No. 85-22, § 1, 6-3-85; Ord. No. 98-05, § 1, 4-20-98; Ord. No. 2006-07, § 1, 4-2-2006)

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