

TOWNSHIP OF VERONA
COUNTY OF ESSEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

ORDINANCE No. 2021-11

AMENDING CHAPTER 140-7 "NIGHT PARKING" OF THE CODE
OF THE TOWNSHIP OF VERONA

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Council of the Township of Verona, County of Essex, New Jersey as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 140-7 (Night parking) of the Code of the Township of Verona is hereby amended in part to read as follows (changes in bold):

§ 140-7. Night parking.

- A. No vehicle shall be parked on any street within the Township of ~~Verona~~ between the hours of 2:30 a.m. and ~~6:00~~ **5:00** a.m. unless an overnight parking permit has been issued for such vehicle as provided hereunder.
- B. Overnight parking permits.
 - (1) Overnight parking permits shall be available to any person, provided that the following standards and conditions are met:
 - (a) The applicant for a permit occupies a ~~one-family residential~~ **one-family residential** dwelling within the Township of Verona, and the property on which such ~~one-family residential~~ **one-family residential** dwelling is located does not contain ~~at least two sufficient on-site parking spaces to accommodate vehicles assigned to the occupants of the addressed (i.e., sufficient garage or driveway facilities to accommodate two or more vehicles);~~ **at least two sufficient on-site parking spaces to accommodate vehicles assigned to the occupants of the addressed (i.e., sufficient garage or driveway facilities to accommodate two or more vehicles);**
 - ~~(b) The applicant for a permit occupies a two-family dwelling within the Township of Verona, and the property on which such two-family dwelling is located does not contain at least two on-site parking spaces (i.e., sufficient garage or driveway facilities to accommodate two or more vehicles) for each dwelling unit; or~~
 - ~~(c) The applicant occupies a dwelling unit within a multifamily dwelling (a building consisting of three or more dwelling units) within the Township of Verona, and the property on which such multifamily dwelling is located does not contain on-site parking for the applicant's vehicle.~~
 - (2) An applicant for a permit shall be the owner, ~~or~~ lessee ~~or~~ assignee of the vehicles ~~in question that would meet these requirements~~ for which a permit is issued.
 - (3) Permits shall be issued only for passenger automobiles, as defined in *N.J.S.A. 39:1-1*, and shall not be issued for any recreational vehicles, as defined in Chapter 150, Zoning, Article II, or for any commercial vehicles or other types of vehicles.
 - (4) Permits shall not be transferable from the applicant to any other person. However, permits may be transferred from one vehicle to another vehicle owned, ~~or~~ leased ~~or~~ assigned to by the same applicant. ~~upon the filing of a transfer application and the payment of a transfer application fee.~~ **upon the filing of a transfer application and the payment of a transfer application fee.**
 - (5) Permits shall be prominently and permanently displayed on the rearview mirror with the expiration sticker facing front ~~driver side window of the vehicle for which a permit has been issued.~~ **driver side window of the vehicle for which a permit has been issued.** Improper display of the permit shall constitute a violation.
 - (6) All vehicles for which overnight parking permits have been issued shall be subject to all other parking regulations set forth in the Township of Verona Vehicle and Traffic Code and to all applicable state laws concerning parking.
 - (7) Vehicles for which an overnight parking permit has been issued shall not be authorized to park upon any of the following streets between the hours of 2:30 a.m. and ~~6:00~~ **5:00** a.m.: Pompton Avenue (Route 23), Mt. Prospect Avenue, Bloomfield Avenue, Lakeside Avenue, Grove Avenue and Fairview Avenue.
 - (8) Applications for overnight parking permits ~~and applications to transfer permits from one vehicle to another~~ shall be filed ~~in with the Police Department the office of the Township Clerk~~ **in with the Police Department the office of the Township Clerk** on forms to be provided by the ~~Clerk's office~~ **Clerk's office** same. Fees for overnight parking permits ~~and fees for transfer~~ **and fees for transfer**

~~applications and replacement permits~~ shall be as established under A565, Fees, of the Verona Code and shall be payable upon issuance ~~or transfer~~ of a permit.

(9) **Only one permit shall be issued per licensed household member.**

(10) **All conditions are subject to final approve by the Chief of Police.**

- C. No parking will be permitted at public school parking sites between 10:30 p.m. and ~~6:00~~ **5:00** a.m. unless specifically authorized by the Board of Education.
- D. No parking will be permitted at the 880 Bloomfield Avenue (Community Center) parking site or at the Verona Community Pool parking lots between 11:00 p.m. and ~~6:00~~ **5:00** a.m. unless specifically authorized by the Township.
- E. No parking will be permitted at any metered space in Municipal Lot No. 1 (off Park Place), and Municipal Lot No. 2 (off Grove Avenue), between 2:30 a.m. and ~~6:00~~ **5:00** a.m. unless specifically authorized by the Township.
- F. No parking will be permitted in municipal parking lots off of White Rock Road between the hours of 10:30 p.m. and ~~6:00~~ **5:00** a.m.
- G. **The parking restrictions set forth herein shall be subject to waiver, in whole or in part, for the observance of certain religious holidays and special events as deemed appropriate by the Township Manager.**

SECTION 2. Chapter A565-1 (Schedule of Fees) of the Code of the Township of Verona is hereby amended in part to read as follows (changes in bold):

Overnight parking permit, monthly	\$25
Overnight parking permit, quarterly	\$75
Overnight parking permit, semiannual	\$130
Overnight parking permit, annual	\$250
Overnight parking permit, transfer application	\$15
Overnight parking permit, replace lost or destroyed permit	\$15
§ 140-7, Unlawful Overnight parking	\$35
§ 140-7B(5), Improper placement of permit decal	\$40 \$15
§ 140-7B(7), Unlawful Overnight parking, county and state roadways	\$45

SECTION 3. In case any one or more of the provisions of this Ordinance shall, for any reason, be held to be illegal or invalid, such illegality or invalidity shall not affect any other provision of this Ordinance shall be construed and enforced as if such illegal or invalid provision had not been contained herein.

SECTION 4. If any section, sub-section, paragraph, sentence or any other part of this ordinance is adjudged unconstitutional or invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder of this ordinance.

SECTION 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances which are inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall take effect 20 days after final passage and publication as prescribed by law.



ATTEST:

Jennifer Kiernan
JENNIFER KIERNAN
MUNICIPAL CLERK

NOTICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE AFOREMENTIONED ORDINANCE WAS PUBLISHED IN THE STAR LEDGER, A NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN THE COUNTY OF ESSEX AND CIRCULATED IN THE TOWNSHIP OF VERONA, IN THE ISSUE OF MARCH 12, 2021 AND MARCH 26, 2021.

JENNIFER KIERNAN
MUNICIPAL CLERK

INTRODUCTION: March 8, 2021
PUBLIC HEARING: March 22, 2021
EFFECTIVE DATE: April 11, 2021