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City of Milwaukee Winter Parking Rules for the 48-Hour Parking Exception Streets

With winter parking regulations going into effect in the City of Milwaukee beginning December 1, 2016, the Department of Public Works (DPW) shares specific parking information for 48-Hour Parking Exception streets located throughout the City. These overnight and daytime winter parking rules allow DPW plows to access more street pavement – curb to curb if possible - to remove snow and ice more effectively, efficiently, and safely.

Residents who park on 48-Hour Parking Exception streets may park overnight on both sides of the street unless DPW announces that a snow-plow or other public works operation will be conducted overnight. When this announcement is made, residents must move their vehicles to the correct side of the street – odd side of the street on an odd-numbered day (before midnight) or the even side of the street on an even-numbered day (before midnight) - for legal overnight parking between 11:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m.

However, any and all posted parking signs, and any non-posted winter regulations (such as restrictions on major arterial streets and bus routes), on the street where you park TAKE PRECEDENCE over the 48-Hour Parking Exception street rules. Follow the rules on the posted sign when parking. For more information on winter parking regulations by street, go to milwaukee.gov/services/winterregs.

While DPW will send a notice to media outlets announcing an overnight operation in the 48-Hour Parking Exception Area, residents are encouraged to sign up to receive a **Snow Mobile 48-Hour Parking Exception Text Alert** message. Subscribers will receive a text message on their cell phone(s) alerting them that a DPW operation has been called, and that all vehicles must be moved to the correct side of the street. Residents who prefer an email message can sign up for an **E-Notify 48-Hour Parking Exception email message** that will transmit the same information.

To sign up for either or both alerts, go to milwaukee.gov/mpw or call (414) 286-CITY for assistance.

Once the parking exception streets have been plowed, DPW will notify residents again that the operation has concluded and overnight parking is once again permitted on both sides of your street, until the next operation is called.

Failure to move a vehicle overnight during a declared DPW operation will result in a \$20 citation and the possibility of being towed. Towed vehicles are subject to a \$105 reclamation fee plus a \$20 per day storage fee. Remember - you also need a valid overnight parking permit to park on the street.

For more information on all winter parking regulations, please call (414) 286-CITY (-2489) or go to the DPW website at milwaukee.gov/mpw.

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