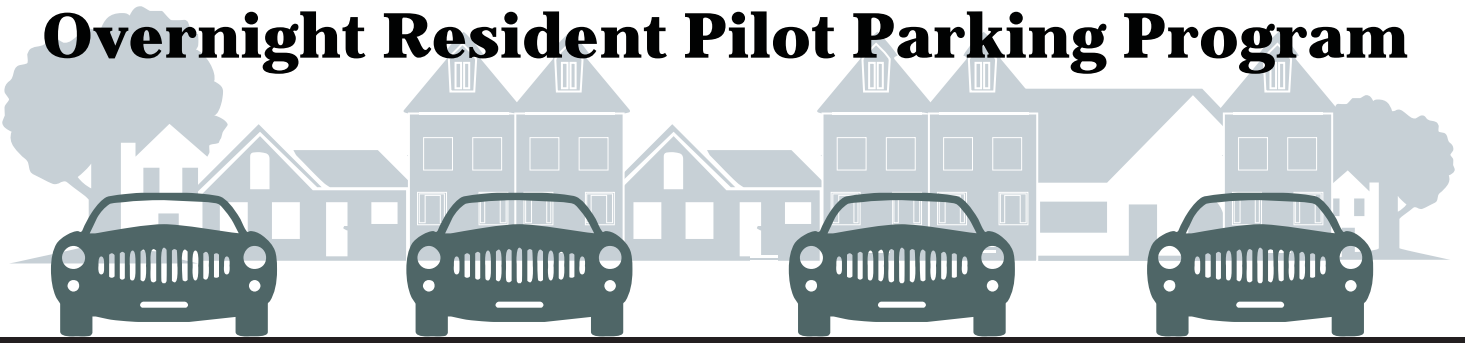


Overnight Resident Pilot Parking Program



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q: What is the Residential Permit Parking Pilot?

A: The Residential Permit Parking Pilot is a trial program to allow overnight parking on selected residential streets. As the number of cars increases in the city, off-street parking is becoming harder to find, increasingly expensive, and often results in excessive paving of yards. In addition to providing much-needed parking spaces, the overnight on-street parking pilot will have the added benefit of slowing traffic on residential streets.

Q: How does the program work?

A: If your car is registered with the RI DMV at a residence within the pilot area, you are eligible. A window sticker will be provided, and must be applied to the upper left hand corner of the rear window. Once the permit sticker is applied, you may leave your vehicle overnight on a street designated for such use by signs reading "NO PARKING 2:00 AM TO 5:00 AM EXCEPT BY RESIDENT PERMIT." Naturally, you will need to park your vehicle in a space that is otherwise legal (for example, you cannot park in front of a fire hydrant or within 25 feet of a corner). When a parking ban (such as a snow emergency) is declared, you must remove your car from the street for the duration of the ban. Vehicles parked on a designated street between 2:00 AM and 5:00 AM may receive a \$20.00 citation.

Q: What is the cost?

A: The cost of a permit is \$100.00 per car. Any unpaid tickets issued on the vehicle registration must be paid in order to obtain a parking permit.

Q: How many cars may be registered for overnight parking?

A: Up to two per household. Any more than that must be parked off-street overnight. Separate applications for each vehicle are required. They may be submitted at the same time, but the permits will be issued for the vehicles, not for the owner.

Q: If my spouse has a vehicle and I have a vehicle, do each of us have to apply for a permit for each individual vehicle?

A: You do not need to personally apply for a permit, but remember that the permit is issued for a specific vehicle based on the residency of a specific owner. Accordingly, each vehicle requires an individual permit.

Q: I have two roommates, both of whom have resident permits. Am I eligible to receive a permit too?

A: No. Only two permits per household may be issued. Arrangements must be made within households to allocate the resident permits available.

Q: I have a guest coming to visit. Are they able to park on the street overnight?

A: If you are a permit holder, you may obtain a guest pass for an additional cost of \$25.00. The pass is good for one year and may be used up to five (5) times a month.

Q: How do I apply?

A: Simply come to Providence Municipal Court with a valid (original, no photocopies) RI registration that shows the address of a street in the pilot parking area. Municipal Court is located on the first floor of the City of Providence Public Safety Complex, 325 Washington Street, located between Dean Street and I-95 Service Road #7. Applications can be made between 8:30 am and 3:30 pm, Monday through Friday.

Q: Must I come in person?

A: Someone else may complete a permit application for you; however, each permit is valid only for the registration presented. Remember, only two are allowed per household.

For more information:
<http://www.providenceri.com/overnight-parking>

To apply online:
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