

City Ordinances on Vehicle Parking

City ordinances require that parking of any vehicle, motor home, camper, trailer, motorcycle, or boat on any yard in front or on the side of a residence must be on all-weather surface. Paving must be asphalt or concrete, suitable for vehicle parking. Parking is permitted in residential side or rear yards in the area defined by a line extending perpendicularly from the front corner of the residential structure to the side lot line, when the area upon which the vehicle is parked is enclosed by a screening fence at least 6 feet in height. It is unlawful to park a commercial vehicle in a residential neighborhood except for and during loading or unloading of passengers or property. A commercial vehicle is defined as any vehicle with a rated capacity of 1 ton with a business insignia, or any vehicle with a manufacturer's classification of larger than 1 ton, including trucks, tractors, trailers, semi-trailers, buses, or any vehicle used in transportation for hire. Parking for more than 72 hours is prohibited on any street. It shall be unlawful for the owner or operator of any vehicle to allow, cause, or permit such vehicle to remain standing or parked on any street, alley, avenue, or public way, within the city for more than 72 continuous hours.