

Below is a list of Winter and Snow Emergency Parking Bans. This list is for reference only. If you have questions, please contact the appropriate city or town government.

In the event local governments deem a public safety emergency such as an early or late season snowstorm occurring outside the below stated dates, your vehicle could still be subject to ticketing and towing if parked on city or town streets.





AMESBURY

Winter Parking Ban

Beginning December 1st, 2019, the City of Amesbury's new winter parking regulations take effect.

No longer is there citywide parking ban, instead it will be a storm related event. Meaning, if there is 3 or more inches of snow anticipated, the Mayor will order a snow emergency which bans any on-street parking during the duration of the emergency order.

Once the order is issued, the four snow emergency blue lights in the downtown area will be activated. They are located at;

-  Friend St. @City Hall
-  School St. @ the Fire Department
-  Main St. @ The Institution for Savings
-  Main St. @ #100

When a snow emergency is declared any vehicle parked on the roadway is subject to being ticketed. If any vehicle(s) become(s) an obstruction to snow removal operations, the DPW Director will request that it/they be removed.

DOWNTOWN WINTER PARKING STICKERS

Residents of the downtown area can obtain a sticker to park in the lower covered lot on Water Street and the Upper Millyard lot on Friend Street during a snow emergency. Vehicle registration must show downtown residential address. To see if you qualify for a parking sticker, please click on the map below or contact the City Clerk's Office.

[Map for Winter Parking with Resident Sticker](#)

[Map for Resident Sticker Eligibility](#)

MERRIMAC

Winter Parking Ban

Per Merrimac Bylaw 6.5.1.1, No person shall allow, permit or suffer any vehicle registered in his name, other than one acting in an emergency, to be parked on any street for more than one (1) hour between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. of any day between November 15th and April 1st, inclusive.

For more information: <http://merrimac01860.info/DocumentCenter/View/70/Winter-Parking-Ban-PDF>

NEWBURY

Winter Parking Ban

Parking of vehicles on Newbury's streets is prohibited between midnight and 6:00 AM from December 1 to April 1. Any vehicle in violation of this restriction will be towed.

https://www.townofnewbury.org/sites/newburyma/files/uploads/snow_removal_operations_notice.pdf

(See item 8)

NEWBURYPORT

Snow Emergency Parking Ban

The City of Newburyport implements a snow emergency parking ban when it is felt that we are to receive three inches of snow accumulation. Parking regulations are strictly enforced to ensure streets remain accessible for snowplows, fire apparatus and other emergency vehicles. Any vehicle that impedes the snow removal process will receive a parking ticket and be towed.

When a parking ban is in effect, DPS will turn on the flashing blue emergency beacons located at major intersections across the City 6-7 hours in advance of the start time of the parking ban in an effort to provide advance warning to residents, businesses and visitors. The ban will be broadcast on Cable Access, and WBZ radio and the city's website. During a Parking Ban, all parking is prohibited on all public ways. Any vehicle parked on a public way is subject to ticketing and/or towing at the owner's expense. The City's towing priorities are based on access needs for emergency vehicles (Fire, Police, Ambulance), along with the type and duration of the event. Residents may park (free of charge) in city-controlled municipal lots until the ban has been rescinded. Owners of vehicles parked in the municipal lots must remove their cars within 12 hours after the parking ban is lifted so the DPS crews can properly clear those public lots.

For more information about Snow Emergency policies and alternative parking:

<https://www.cityofnewburyport.com/sites/newburyportma/files/uploads/snowemergencies2018.pdf>

To find out if a Snow Emergency is in effect:

Snow Emergency Notification will be posted on <http://www.cityofnewburyport.com/>

Sign up for email alerts <http://www.cityofnewburyport.com/subscribe>

Call the Snow Emergency Information Line at 978-463-0472, ext. 1797

In addition, flashing blue lights will be activated throughout the city.

SALISBURY

New Winter On-Street Parking Policy

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<https://www.salisburyma.gov/home/news/new-winter-on-street-parking-policy>

Parking

The Board of Selectmen adopted a change in the Town's on-street winter parking ban at its meeting of December 17, 2018. This change is effective immediately.

Rather than having to remove vehicles from public streets between the hours of 12:00 midnight and 6:00 AM between December 1 and April 1 every year, residents will be allowed to park on the street except during declared snow emergencies.

Advance notice of the beginning and end of all snow emergencies will be given via an announcement on the Town's Code Red (reverse-911) system and will be disseminated via the DPW and Police Dept. social media sites. During declared snow emergencies, no vehicles may be parked on public streets, so that snow plowing operations may be conducted in a safe and timely manner.

Following the end of a snow emergency, vehicles may be parked on the street as long as they do not interfere with safe vehicular traffic and access by emergency vehicles, including police, fire and ambulance service. Vehicles blocking or impeding safe vehicular traffic will be subject to ticketing and towing by the Police Department.

Parking in the small municipal beach parking lot along Cable Avenue will continue to be available to Town residents throughout the winter.

The Police Dept. non-emergency phone number (978-465-3121) will be available 24 hours per day for anyone who has questions about the Town's winter on-street parking policy.

WEST NEWBURY

Winter Parking Ban

Pursuant to West Newbury Town Bylaws: No person shall park any motor vehicle on any public way in the town overnight from December 1st until April 30th. The penalty for violation of this parking ban shall come under the jurisdiction of Chapter 90, Section 20A 1/2 of the General Laws imposing the maximum allowable fine for each offense.

https://www.wnewbury.org/sites/westnewburyma/files/uploads/winter_parking_ban.pdf