

LELAND TOWNSHIP PARKING ORDINANCE

An ordinance to provide for the regulation of the parking of vehicles, and to provide penalties for the violation thereof.

THE TOWNSHIP OF LELAND, LEELANAU COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ORDAINS:

Section 1: Title

This ordinance shall be known and cited as the Leland Township Parking Ordinance.

Section 2: Definitions

The word "parking" wherever used in this ordinance is defined to mean allowing a vehicle to remain standing.

Section 3: Regulations

A. No vehicle used in the transportation of inflammable or explosive materials or substances shall be parked within the limits of any street, or other public place, except supervised public parking lots, between the hours from sunset to sunrise, provided, however, that this restriction shall not apply to the incidental stopping or parking of such vehicle in the carrying out of loading or unloading operations or in the performance of errands incidental to the business use of such vehicles if such vehicle is lighted with at least two white headlights and two red rear lights so constructed and so placed as to be observed under ordinary atmospheric conditions at a distance of not less than 500 feet.

B. No automobile, truck or other vehicle shall be parked within the limits of any street or other public place for the sole purpose of repairing, remodeling or otherwise working upon said vehicle.

C. No automobile, truck or other vehicle shall be parked or allowed to stand on the portion of street or highway between the curb or gutter and the sidewalk nor on any sidewalk or parkway except temporarily and during the process of loading or unloading.

D. No automobile, truck or other vehicle other than fire trucks, ambulances or vehicles of law enforcement agencies during the performance of their respective duties, shall be parked or permitted to stand within 15 feet of any fire hydrant, nor in front of any crosswalks or driveways, nor in any passenger bus loading zones. Unless otherwise marked, no automobile, truck, or other vehicle shall be parked or permitted to stand nearer than 25 feet from the nearest street line of an intersecting street.

E. No automobiles, trucks or other vehicles shall be parked or permitted to stand within the boundaries of any street and within 500 feet of any building on fire.

F. No automobiles, trucks or other vehicles shall be parked further than two (2) feet from the curb line if there is one, and if there is no curb, they shall not be parked within the main traveled portion of the street or highway.

G. When signs have been erected by any competent authority designating a "no parking" zone, the parking by any automobile, truck or other vehicle contrary thereto shall be a violation of this ordinance.

Section 4: Violation, Penalties

Any person, firm or corporation who violates, disobeys, omits, neglects or refuses to comply with or resists the enforcement of any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be charged with a civil infraction. The fine for such infractions shall not be less than \$25 plus costs. Vehicles in violation of this ordinance may be towed at the owner's expense.

Section 5: Validity

Should any section, clause or provision of this ordinance be declared by the courts to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any part thereof, other than the part so declared to be invalid.

Section 6: Conflicting Provisions Repealed

Any ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with any of the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 7: Effective Date

This ordinance shall take effect on the 30th day of October 2021.