

CITY OF UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS

GENERAL PARKING INFORMATION



General Parking Regulations for the City of University Heights

The below information explains general parking rules and regulations within the city. The information provided is not meant to be all-inclusive or cover all parking restrictions. The detailed parking laws can be found in **[UH Codified Ordinance 452](#)**.

Please take the time to become familiar with the parking laws of the city to avoid being issued a citation.

- Regulating signage can be found throughout the city on all streets.
- Watch for specific signs indicating permit parking only areas, prohibited parking zones, or timed parking zones.
- Park in the same direction as the flow of traffic.
- The wheels of your car on the passenger side should be against the curb.



CITY WIDE SIGNAGE

All signage ranging from snow restrictions to night parking and prohibited zones are sporadic throughout the entire city. At every main entrance to the city, signs are placed indicating city wide restrictions. All along side streets, signage is represented referencing specific time zone restrictions, parking prohibited, no parking here to there, etc. The signs are monitored by the PD and receive constant repairs, new construction, replacements, and/or general maintenance. **These permanent signs over-ride any night parking or special parking requests at all times.**



INCLEMENT WEATHER PARKING

Parking is **unauthorized** during heavy snow so our Service Department can plow the streets without obstruction. Snow Bans are put in effect by the police department when weather conditions exceed 2 inches of snow. Cars at this time will be ticketed and could be subject to tow if the owner cannot be located to move the vehicle. It is the responsibility of the driver of the vehicle to be aware of the forecast and plan accordingly. You may call the "SNOW BAN LINE" at [\(216\) 932-5900](tel:(216)932-5900) for updated snow ban information.

- *UH Codified Ordinance 452.16*

RESIDENT PERMIT PROGRAM

Homeowners and Landlords can apply for four (4) permit placards to be used on surrounding streets around the JCU Campus. This permit expires every April and must be renewed by the homeowner/landlord. This service is free of charge.

- *UH Codified Ordinance 452.19*

OVERNIGHT PARKING

Parking overnight is **prohibited**. The city allows parking during the hours of 2am-5am for the legitimate reasons that include: house repairs, driveway work, or out of state guests. If any of these reasons apply, you can register your vehicle through the following website: www.frontlinepss.com/uhpdpd. You will input vehicle info and the location you are parking.

- *UH Codified Ordinance 452.13*





If the owner/operator fails to pay the fine noted on the envelope by the court date or appear in court, the owner's/operator's citation will be sent to a collection agency and license plate registration (tag renewal) may be blocked.

FINES AND FEES

Parking Tickets **must** be paid through the Shaker Heights Municipal Court:

- Online
at: www.shakerheightscourt.org
- By mail: 3355 Lee Road, Shaker Heights, Ohio 44120
- In person at the court Monday-Friday between 8:00pm - 4:30pm

Fines are listed on the ticket as follows:

- Within 30 days - \$25.00
- Day 31-60 - \$100.00
- After 60 days - \$100 **and** additional fees will be assessed
- Handicap violation fines:
 - Within 30 days - \$100.00
 - Day 31-60 - \$250.00
 - After 60 days - \$750 **and** additional fees will be assessed

CONTEST A PARKING TICKET

Contesting a parking ticket will be handled through court. Contact the Shaker Heights Municipal Court at (216) 491-1300.

IMPOUNDS

Some parking violations could lead to an immediate impound of your vehicle including outstanding parking tickets, impeding the traffic flow, improper registration, to name a few. If your car was towed, you are responsible for additional fees for the towing and storage.

Contact us with your questions, comments or concerns!

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