



ORDINANCE

AMENDING PARKING METER HOURS AND CLARIFYING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF O-11-71

CITY OF NASHUA

In the Year Two Thousand and Eleven

The City of Nashua ordains that the Nashua Revised Ordinances, as amended, be hereby further amended as follows:

I. In Part II "General Legislation", Chapter 320 "Vehicles and Traffic", Article XI "Parking Meters", Section 320-50 "Parking time limits on streets", delete the struck-through language and add the new underlined language as follows:

"320-50. Parking time limits on streets.

- A. Except as otherwise provided, the time limit during which the parking meter regulations shall be effective in streets shall be as follows:
- (1) In Zone I and Zone II: from 8:00 a.m. to 87:00 p.m. daily.
 - (2) In Zone III: from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. daily.
- B. In Zone I, the parking meter regulations shall not apply on Sundays and legal holidays, and no deposit shall be required in the meter. In Zone II and Zone III, the parking meter regulations shall not apply on Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays, and no deposit shall be required in the meter.
- C. The parking meter regulations shall not apply to those parking meters on the east side of Main Street from East Pearl Street to Railroad Crossing on election days only.
- D. The parking time limit on all parking meter streets shall be as follows:
- (1) In Zone I: ninety minute time limit.
 - (2) In Zone II: one hundred twenty minute time limit.
 - (3) In Zone III: no time limit."

2. In Part II “General Legislation”, Chapter 320 “Vehicles and Traffic”, Article XI “Parking Meters”, Section 320-49 “Time limits in parking lots”, delete the struck-through language and add the new underlined language as follows:

“§ 320-49. Time limits in parking lots.

A. Time limits in parking lots shall be as follows:

- (1) In Zone I, from 8:00 a.m. to 87:00 p.m., daily, except for Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays, with a ninety minute time limit.
- (2) In Zone II, from 8:00 a.m. to 87:00 p.m., daily, except for Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays, with a one hundred and twenty minute time limit.
- (3) In Zone III, from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., daily, except for Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays, with no time limit.

B. Overnight parking of private passenger vehicles shall be permitted in all public parking lots between the hours of 8:00 p.m. and 8:00 a.m.”

This ordinance, as well as Ordinance O-11-71 Amended “Establishing downtown parking zones and amending parking meter hours, fees and penalties”, shall become effective once the meters have been reprogrammed and the necessary signs are in place. Until that time, the prior ordinances shall continue to apply.

LEGISLATIVE YEAR 2011

ORDINANCE: O-11-81

PURPOSE: Amending parking meter hours and clarifying the effective date of O-11-71

ENDORSERS: Alderman-at-Large Brian S. McCarthy

**COMMITTEE
ASSIGNMENT:**

FISCAL NOTE: Unknown.

ANALYSIS

Ordinance O-11-71 Amended "Establishing downtown parking zones and amending parking meter hours, fees and penalties" was passed by the board of aldermen on June 28, 2011. That legislation enacted a broad change in the downtown parking regulations, by establishing three parking zones with different meter hours, time limits and fees. It also changed the parking violation schedule.

This legislation amends the parking meter hours in parking zone I and II, from ending at 8 p.m. to ending at 7 p.m. It adds in a missed reference to parking zone III for when the meters apply. Finally it clarifies that this ordinance, as well as Ordinance O-11-71 Amended, shall become effective once the meters have been reprogrammed and the necessary signs are in place. Until that time, the prior ordinances shall continue to apply.

Approved as to form: Office of Corporation Counsel

By: 

Date: July 18, 2011

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Endorsed by

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IN THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN

1ST READING JULY 21, 2011

Referred to:

COMMITTEE ON INFRASTRUCTURE

2nd Reading AUGUST 24, 2011

3rd Reading _____

4th Reading _____

Other Action _____

Passed AUGUST 24, 2011

Indefinitely Postponed _____

Defeated _____

Attest: [Signature] City Clerk

[Signature] President

Approved [Signature] Mayor's Signature

August 31-2011
Date

Vetoed: _____

Veto Sustained: _____

Veto Overridden: _____

Attest: _____ City Clerk

_____ President