

ORDINANCE 2009-A365

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CAMP VERDE, YAVAPAI COUNTY, ARIZONA, AMENDING SECTION 12-3-6 OF THE TOWN CODE

Article12-3-6, Handicapped Parking is amended as follows:

A. Except as provided in subsection C of this section, a person shall not stop, stand, or park a motor vehicle within any specially designated and marked parking space provided in accordance with this section for physically disabled persons unless the motor vehicle is transporting a person who has been issued a valid placard or international symbol of access special plates and either:

- 1. The motor vehicle displays the valid permanently disabled or temporarily disabled removable windshield placard.
- 2. The motor vehicle displays international symbol of access plates that are currently registered to the vehicle.
- B. . If a law enforcement officer or a parking enforcement specialist finds a motor vehicle in violation or this ordinance, the person shall issue a complaint to the operator or other person in charge of the motor vehicle, or, if neither is present, to the registered owner of the vehicle for a civil traffic violation. The minimum civil sanction, if the court finds the party responsible, shall be fifty dollars (\$50.00), plus the penalty assessments prescribed by statute.
- C. Any person who is chauffeuring a person with a physical disability without a placard or international symbol of access special plates may park momentarily in a parking space provided pursuant to this article for the purpose of loading or unloading the person with a physical disability, and a complaint shall not be issued to the driver for the momentary parking.
- D. The posting of the handicapped parking spaces shall be designated by owners or persons having control of a parking lot or parking area for business customers. Each such parking space shall be prominently outlined with paint and posted with a permanent sign located not less than three feet or more than six feet above the grade and of a color and design approved by the Department of Transportation bearing the internationally accepted wheelchair symbol and the caption, "Reserved Parking." The designation of such parking spaces as provided herein or as required by the Town of Camp Verde shall authorize law enforcement officers and other duly authorized agents to enforce the provisions of this section and related state statutes and shall constitute a waiver of any objection by the owner or person in possession of such property to the enforcement of this section and related state statutes, and such owner shall be deemed to have consented to the access of such property.
- E. The Town Marshal/Police Chief will have the authority to institute a Volunteer Handicapped Parking Enforcement Specialist Program. The Marshal/Chief may authorize special volunteers to issue citations only to persons who violate this section of this chapter or A.R.S. §28-884.

Yavapai County, Arizona, on the 3rd day of June 2009.	
Bol Burnard	Approved as to form:
Bob Burnside, Mayor	Town Atlerney
Attest:	Date:
Debotah Barber	June 8, 2009
Deborah Barber, Town Clerk	