

Parking FAQs

What do I do if I'm having a party or gathering at my home and my street doesn't support on-street parking?

Under City ordinance, police officers may temporarily permit on-street parking where it is not supported for the limited purpose of special events, gatherings, and other public service purposes. Should we determine a safety issue exists, we will enlist your help to remedy the situation.

I have regular service vehicles that come to my home. Are they allowed to park in the street?

Service providers are permitted to park on the street during the times they are performing the services they offer. This exemption may also be granted under the specifications in the ordinance for temporary special occasions where a safety hazard is not created.

My driveway area extends over the sidewalk. Am I allowed to block this portion of the sidewalk to park in my driveway?

No. Sidewalks must remain open and passable for pedestrians. It is a violation of city ordinance 17-1 and state law 316.1945 to block the sidewalk.

Can I park my car with the left wheels to the curb?

Your car must be parked facing the proper direction with the right wheels to the curb on a two-way street. As you must drive on the wrong side of the road to park this way, it is illegal to park with the left wheels to the curb on a two-way street.

Further information about this and all of the ordinances of the City of Winter Springs website.

Our city website will contain additional information concerning FAQs (Frequently Asked Questions), general direction and assistance, maps, and what you can do to help the police department maintain a safe environment on our roadways. A comprehensive list of city roadways and their individual compatibility with on-street parking is also available for your reference.



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Street Parking

In order to comply with city ordinances governing on-street parking in the City of Winter Springs, this reference guide has been prepared for your use.

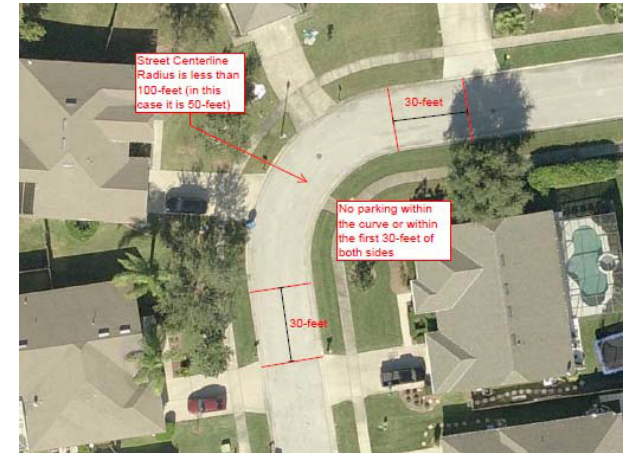
It is intended to provide basic information to the reader to help them understand what is and what is not legal parking. State laws that govern vehicle parking will continue to be enforced. The complete restrictions can be found in Chapter 316, F.S.S., however, they will be referenced in part in this brochure.

City ordinance prohibits parking on any arterial or collector roadway, as determined by the city engineers, or any local roadway with less than 22' of paved parkable width including concrete ribbon or Miami style curbs. Additionally, no vehicle may be parked within 30' of or in any curve with a centerline street radius of 100' or less. Vehicles may also not be parked in any way which creates a safety hazard or impedes the safe flow of emergency vehicle traffic.

Florida law and city ordinance prohibits parking in the following manner:

- In front of a public or private driveway;
- Within 15' of a fire hydrant;
- Within 20' of a crosswalk; at an intersection;
- Within 30' upon the approach to any flashing signal, stop sign, or traffic control signal located at the side of the roadway;
- On any exclusive, properly marked bicycle lane;

- On a sidewalk;
- Within an intersection;
- On a crosswalk or within 10' of a crosswalk;
- Between a safety zone and the adjacent curb or within 30' of points on the curb immediately opposite the end of the safety zone;
- Alongside or opposite any street excavation or obstruction;
- Upon a bridge or other elevated structure;
- Upon a highway or within a highway tunnel;
- On any railroad tracks;
- At any place where official signs prohibit standing, stopping, or parking;
- On any portion of a roadway with a horizontal curve where the centerline street radius is 100' or less as determined by the city engineer, plus the first 30' from both ends of the curve.
- With the left wheels to the curb on a two-laned roadway;
- With the wheels more than 12" from the curb or edge of the roadway;
- Within 3' of any city utility meter.



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No parking directly opposite another vehicle where this action could create a choke point for safe emergency vehicle access.

