

THE CITY OF CRANSTON

**ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

**IN AMENDMENT OF TITLE 10, CHAPTER 28, SECTION 090 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF CRANSTON, 2005, ENTITLED "MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC - ALL NIGHT PARKING PROHIBITED"**

No.

*Passed:*

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**Christopher G. Paplauskas, *Council President***

*Approved:*

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**Kenneth J. Hopkins, *Mayor***

*It is Ordained by the City of Cranston City Council as follows:*

**Section 1.** Title 10, Chapter 28, Section, 090 is hereby amended by adding the following:

~~It shall be unlawful for the operator of any vehicle to park the same on any street for a period of time longer than two hours between the hours of 1:00 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. of any day.~~

Section 091 On-street overnight parking

The City of Cranston shall issue on-street overnight parking permits on one side of residential streets to applicants seeking additional parking if they meet the eligibility criteria.

10.28.092 Applicant’s eligibility criteria

The owner of a single-family home whose household is comprised of 4 adults who have a valid driver’s license shall apply for one (1) on-street parking permit.

The owner of a multi-family home shall apply for one (1) on-street overnight parking permit per unit if only the unit has four adults with a valid driver’s license.

The owner of a house without parking shall apply for on-street overnight parking for each unit.

10.28.093 Fees

The on-street overnight parking fees shall not exceed \$ 90 per permit for a period of one year renewable.

10.28.094 Enforcement

40 Overnight parking permits shall be always displayed on the front and at the right side of  
41 the vehicle.

42 It is unlawful for the operator of the vehicle to park overnight on any street without an on-  
43 street overnight permit.

44 In the event of said violation, the municipal judge hearing the action shall be vested with  
45 the judicial discretion to dismiss the ticket(s) or impose or waive the court costs in lieu of  
46 the payment of the ticket(s) fine based upon the severity of the violation before the court,  
47 the violator's history of overnight parking without permit incidents and/or prior warnings  
48 issued. In no instance shall the court cost(s) imposed by the municipal judge be less than  
49 twenty dollars (~~\$20.00~~) (\$30) or more than thirty-nine dollars (~~\$39.00~~) (\$40) per offense.

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51 **Section 2.** This ordinance shall take effect upon its final adoption.

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54 Positive Endorsement: Negative Endorsement: (Attach reasons)

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61 Sponsored by Councilwoman Germain  
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63 Referred to Ordinance Committee October 13, 2022