Montgomery County Parking Information

In our community some vehicles are parking in such a way that they are minimizing sight lines and making it difficult to observe vehicles or pedestrians in close proximity. It is also imperative that emergency vehicles have the space necessary to turn into all areas of the neighborhood.

DID you know it is unlawful in Montgomery County to …

1. be parked, stopped, or standing upon any road, highway, or street of the county _so as to impede the movement of traffic or constitute a threat to public safety_;
2. be parked in areas posted by official No Parking signs;
3. be parked within 35 feet of an intersection;
4. be parked within 30 feet of a stop sign;
5. be parked within 20 feet of a crosswalk;
6. be parked within 15 feet of a fire hydrant;
7. be parked within 5 feet of any existing opening/entrance of a private or public driveway;
8. be parked with one or more side wheel more than 12 inches from the curb;
9. to be parked in the a direction other than the flow of traffic (opposite side of the street with left wheels to curb) unless it's a one way street;
10. be parked in any fire lane when posted by official signs or proper markings;
11. perform service or repairs on a vehicle parked on a public street within the county;
12. block a public sidewalk when parked in the driveway;
13. park any recreational vehicle, boat, utility trailer, or large commercial vehicle, or bus on any public roadway except for loading, unloading, mechanical failure, or in an emergency;
14. park motor vehicles and trailers upon the highways, roads and streets in the county for a period longer than twenty-four (24) hours; except when not otherwise prohibited adjacent to property lines of owner's residence or business; and
15. park vehicles with expired tags, unregistered, or non-operational on county streets or on personal property.

Additional information regarding parking can be found In the American Legal Code for Montgomery County, Part II Local Laws, Ordinances, Chapter 31 Motor Vehicles and Traffic (https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/mcg/countycode.html) and Montgomery County's Being a Good Neighbor (https://montgomerycountymd.gov/goodneighbors/).

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It is _everyone's right and responsibility_ to report illegally parked vehicles on our county streets … call the Montgomery County **_non-emergency police line 301-279-8000_** … _do **NOT** call 911_.

Our Community is part of the Montgomery County Police Department District 5, 20000 Aircraft Drive, Germantown, MD 20874, main phone 240-773-6200.

Let's keep our children and residents safe!