

**ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 24 OF THE  
DURHAM COUNTY CODE OF ORDINANCES**

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Legislature has, through Article 6 of Chapter 153A of the North Carolina General Statutes, delegated to counties the power to regulate by ordinance the stopping, standing, or parking of vehicles in specified parking areas; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners of the County of Durham, pursuant to their authority granted under Article 6 of Chapter 153A of the North Carolina General Statutes, enacted a Parking Ordinance to regulate parking stopping and standing in specified areas of the County; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners wishes to amend the Parking Ordinance to address concerns of the public health safety and welfare.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR THE COUNTY OF DURHAM DOETH ORDAIN:

- 1) That Chapter 24, Article III, Section 24-62 of the Durham County Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 24-62. - Areas adjacent to and beneath the County Judicial Building, ~~Parking Lot #1.~~**

- (a) The parking area adjacent to and on the east side of the judicial building:
  - (1) The street address is 201 East Main Street, **and includes the parking area beneath and on east side of the County Judicial Building.**
  - ~~(2) Parking area adjacent to and on east side of the county judicial building.~~
  - (2) The parking area immediately adjacent to and on the east side of the county judicial building is hereby designated as a restricted parking lot.
  - (3) Parking in the parking lot immediately adjacent to and on the east side of the county judicial building is hereby designated **a restricted parking lot** by the county manger or his designee, ~~for the use of the county sheriff's office, and the parking of any other vehicle except for those vehieles belonging to the county sheriff's office is hereby prohibited.~~ **All parking spaces in the area located adjacent to the county judicial building shall be used only by those individuals who have been designated by the county manager or his designee.**
- (b) Area beneath the County Judicial Building:
  - (1) The parking area located beneath the County Judicial Building is hereby designated as a restricted parking lot.
  - (2) All parking spaces in the area located beneath the county judicial building shall be used only by those individuals who have been designated by the county manager or his designee. Further, those individuals designated as being allowed to park in such areas shall only park in such spaces as has been assigned to them by the county manager or his designee. Parking in the area by any other person is hereby prohibited.
  - (3) Parking in other than designated parking spaces in the parking area located beneath the county judicial building is hereby prohibited.

~~(4) The designation of the restricted parking area beneath the county judicial building shall not apply to or in any way affect any area designated as part of the county jail.~~

- 2) That Chapter 24, Article III, Section 24-76 of the Durham County Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 24-76. - Areas adjacent to Durham Center—Day Activities facility 706 Rigsbee Street – Day Activities facility Lot #28.**

- (a) The street address is 706 Rigsbee Street.
- ~~(b) The parking area immediately adjacent to the Durham Center Day Activities~~ **Lot #28** is hereby designated as a restricted parking lot **Monday through Friday 8am-5pm (hereinafter the “Restricted Times”)**.
- (c) During the Restricted Times, ~~Lot 28-The parking area west and adjacent to the Durham Center—Day Activities is hereby designated for use by the occupants and patrons of the Day Activities Facility., and for the use of the employees of the county which have been assigned parking in the lot by the county manager or his designee. Parking in the lot adjacent to the Durham Center—Day Activities for any other purpose is hereby prohibited.~~
- (d) Parking in other than designated parking spaces in **Lot #28** ~~the parking lot adjacent to the Durham Center Day Activities~~ is hereby prohibited.

- 3) That Chapter 24, Article III, Section 24-81 of the Durham County Code of Ordinances is hereby added to read as follows:

**Sec. 24-81. – Justice Center Parking Deck, Lot #39 and associated Surface Lot # 40 and Secured Lot #41.**

- (a) **Justice Center Parking Deck, Lot # 39, the street address is 502 S. Dillard Street;**
  - (1) **Lot #39 is hereby designated as a paid public parking garage.**
  - (2) **Parking rates for the Courthouse Garage shall be set by the Board of County Commissioners and may change from time to time.**
  - (3) **Parking in other than designated parking spaces in Lot #39 is hereby prohibited.**
- (b) **Justice Center Surface Lot behind the Justice Center Parking Deck, Lot #40.**
  - (1) **Lot #40 is hereby designated as a restricted parking lot.**
  - (2) **All parking spaces in Lot #40 shall be used only by those individuals who have been designated by the county manager or his designee. Further, those individuals designated as being allowed to park in such areas shall only park in such spaces as has been assigned to them by the county manager or his designee. Parking in the area by any other person is hereby prohibited.**
  - (3) **Parking in other than designated parking spaces in Lot #40 is hereby prohibited.**
- (c) **Justice Center Parking Secured Lot adjacent to Surface Lot # 41.**

- (1) Lot #41 is hereby designated as a restricted parking lot, entry by access card only.
- (2) All parking spaces in Lot #41 shall be used only by those individuals who have been designated by the county manager or his designee. Further, those individuals designated as being allowed to park in such areas shall only park in such spaces as has been assigned to them by the county manager or his designee. Parking in the area by any other person is hereby prohibited.
- (3) Parking in other than designated parking spaces in Lot #41 is hereby prohibited.

4. That Chapter 24, Article III, Section 24-65 of the Durham County Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 24-65. - Area Parking Lot immediately east of the Health and Human Services Complex Lot #8, and parking garage beneath the Health and Human Services building Lot #8-A.**

- (1) **Parking lot**-Area immediately east of the Health and Human Services Complex Lot #8
  - (a1) The street address is 500 East Main Street.
  - (b2) Lot #8 is hereby designated as a restricted parking lot.
  - (c3) Lot #8 is hereby designated for the use of clients of the mental health, social services and public health departments and visitors to other county offices located in that building, and for use of the employees of the county who have been assigned parking in the lot by the county manager or his designee. Parking in the lot #8 for any other purpose is hereby prohibited.
  - (d4) Parking in other than designated parking spaces in the lot #8 is hereby prohibited.  
Duly authorized vehicles may stand temporarily while loading or unloading material at the loading dock or the other entrances to the rear of the health and human services complex; provided, however, that no vehicle shall block the access to the areas beneath the complex.

(2) **Parking Garage beneath the Health and Human Services building. Lot #8-A**

- (1) The street address is 414 East Main Street.
- (2) Lot #8-A is hereby designated as a restricted parking garage.
- (3) Lot #8-A is hereby designated for the use of the employees of the County who have been assigned parking in the garage by the County Manager or his designee. Parking in Lot #8-A for any other purpose is hereby prohibited.
- (4) Parking in other than designated parking spaces in the Lot #8-A is hereby prohibited.

5. The Chapter, as amended, is effective upon enactment, this the 25<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2013.