

**BOROUGH OF EMERSON
COUNTY OF BERGEN
NOTICE OF ADOPTION**

ORDINANCE 1544-17

Introduced: August 15, 2017

Adopted: September 5, 2017

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following ordinance was adopted on the second reading after a Public Hearing at the Regular Meeting of the Borough Council of the Borough of Emerson on the 5th day of September, 2017. A copy of Ordinance 1544-17 is on file in the Borough Clerk's Office in the Municipal Building, 1 Municipal Pl., Emerson, NJ 07630.

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 274:
VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF EMERSON**

WHEREAS, Chapter 274 of the Code of the Borough of Emerson establishes rules and regulations governing parking within the Borough; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council wish to amend said Chapter to lessen restrictions on overnight parking in areas not already prohibited; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council wish to amend said Chapter to provide clarification on restrictions during weather related emergencies; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council wish to provide time limited spaces dedicated for the Community Garden at Centennial Park; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council believe that it is in the interests of the residents of the Borough to amend said provisions of the Code of the Borough of Emerson,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Emerson, in the County of Bergen and State of New Jersey that the following provisions of Chapter 274 of the Code of the Borough of Emerson are hereby amended and supplemented as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 274-22 – Parking prohibited during certain hours., is hereby amended to delete former paragraph A(1) and A(2) and shall now read as follows:

- A. All vehicles. No person shall park a vehicle between the hours specified in Schedule XV (§274-51) of any day, unless otherwise indicated, upon any of the streets or parts of streets described in said schedule attached to and made a part of this chapter.

Section 2. Chapter 274-22 – Snow emergencies: no parking. paragraph A. is hereby amended as follows:

§274-28. Weather related emergencies: no parking.

- A. Whenever snow, sleet or ice falls and there is any accumulation on the roadways, as determined by the Emerson Department of Public Works, requiring plowing or other roadway surface clearing and/or safety treatments, a weather-related emergency shall exist, and no vehicle shall be parked on either side of any street, except for the west side of Emerson Plaza East, which shall not be covered under this parking restriction. Weather related emergencies will be broadcast by Nixle alerts, and may be confirmed by contacting the Emerson Police Department. Weather related parking restrictions will be lifted once the roadways are cleared curb to curb.

Section 3. Chapter 274-53 – Schedule XVII: Time Limit Parking. is hereby amended and supplemented as follows:

§274-52. Schedule XVII: Time Limit Parking.

Name of Street	Side	Time Limit; Hours/Days	Location
Main Street at Centennial Park		½ hour; All/All	Two designated spots at Centennial Park

Section 4. Severability and Repealer.

- A. If any provision or portion of a provision of this ordinance is held to be unconstitutional, preempted by Federal or State law, or otherwise invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions of the ordinance shall not be invalidated.
- B. All ordinances or parts of ordinances, which are inconsistent with any provisions of this ordinance, are hereby repealed as to the extent of such inconsistencies.

Section 5. Effective Date.

This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon adoption and publication in accordance with the laws of the State of New Jersey.

Attest:

Jane Dietsche, RMC
Borough Clerk

Louis Lamatina
Mayor