

ORDINANCE NO. 25, 1956

An Ordinance authorizing owner of property to obtain parking privileges, establishing regulations and fees therefor.

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Bloomington, finds that it is desirous of providing owners of real estate in the City of Bloomington a means of obtaining a parking area near their property, and,

WHEREAS, the parking of motor vehicles in the City of Bloomington has developed to the extent that in certain areas residential owners are unable to park their cars near their residences.

NOW, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, THAT:

Section 1. Any property owner of residential property in the City of Bloomington may apply to the Clerk-Treasurer of the City of Bloomington for a permit for one parking space adjacent to his residential property (adjacent shall also mean across the street in case no space is available on the side of the street adjacent to the owner's property).

Section 2. Such permit shall be issued upon the following terms and conditions:

(a) The fee for the issuance of the same shall be \$5.00 Dollars and shall be good for the calendar year in which issued.

(b) Such licensee shall agree to the following regulations:

(1) That he will purchase a standard sign as designated by the City of Bloomington.

(2) He will police the area without assistance from the City of Bloomington.

(3) He shall have the right to cause any vehicle parked in the area without his consent to be towed to a storage garage on call of such licensee and upon so doing, shall notify the Police Department of the City, describing the auto and giving its license number.

(4) Such space shall be used for the resident's purposes only.

(5) Such spaces shall be used for passenger vehicles only.

(6) All spaces to be designated by the Traffic Division of the Police Department and under its supervision.

Section 3. The use or privilege shall be voluntary and not compulsory to any person or citizen, but shall be a privilege to residential property owners only.

Section 4. No permit shall be granted for any space in which there is now or hereafter a parking meter installed by the City of Bloomington.

Section 5. The application form shall contain the name and address of the owner of the property, the name and address of the owner of the vehicle, the month of issuance, and the date of expiration, a statement the owner owns property in the area and is unable to provide reasonable accommodations.

Section 6. The permit shall contain the number of the permit, the name and address of the owner of the property, the name and address of the owner of the vehicle, the location where the vehicle is to be parked, the month and date of issue, and the date of expiration. The permit shall be a different color each year. All permits shall be numbered consecutively.

Section 7. The application for a special privilege permit shall be first approved by the Police Department in accordance with the needs of the individual, before a permit can be issued, and said permit shall be valid for the calendar year in which issued. The Police Department may revoke said permit for any violation of this ordinance.

Section 8. Motor Trucks, motor buses, motorcycles, motor delivery wagons, trailers, semi-trailers, cabin trailers and tractors shall not be eligible for such special privilege parking permits.

Section 9. All funds derived from the granting of licenses herein shall be paid into the Clerk-Treasurer of the City of Bloomington and the funds shall be placed in the Parking Meter Funds.

Section 10. All ordinances or parts of ordinances contravening the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 11. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of said ordinance.

Section 12. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington on the 21 day of August, 1956.

S/Thos. L. Lemon
Thos. L. Lemon, Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

S/Mary Alice Dunlap
Mary Alice Dunlap, Clerk-Treasurer

Presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Bloomington, on the 21 day of August, 1956, at the hour of 8 o'clock P.M.

S/Mary Alice Dunlap
Mary Alice Dunlap, Clerk-Treasurer

This Ordinance approved and signed by me on the 21 day of August, 1956, at the hour of 8 o'clock P.M.

S/Thos. L. Lemon
Thos. L. Lemon, Mayor