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## Sec. 29-354. Stopping, standing, parking prohibited in specified places.

- A. Except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic, or in compliance with law or the directions of a police officer or official traffic-control device, no person shall stop, stand or park a vehicle:
1. On the roadway side of any motor vehicle or neighborhood vehicle stopped or parked at the edge or curb of a street;
  2. On a sidewalk, except that stopping, standing or parking a bicycle, tricycle, E-bicycle, E-tricycle, scooter, micro-mobility device, electric powered assistive mobility device or electric assist device upon that portion of sidewalk which exists beyond any throughway zone as that term is defined in Chapter 26 shall be allowed in compliance with law;
  3. Within an intersection;
  4. On or within a crosswalk;
  5. Between a pedestrian safety zone and the adjacent curb or within thirty (30) feet of points on the curb immediately opposite the ends of a pedestrian safety zone, unless the Police Department indicates a different length by signs or markings;
  6. Alongside or opposite any street excavation or obstruction when stopping, standing or parking would obstruct any lane of traffic;
  7. Upon any bridge, dam or other elevated structure upon a public roadway or within a roadway;
  8. On any railroad tracks;
  9. At any place where official signs prohibit stopping.
- B. Except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic, or in compliance with law or the directions of a police officer or official traffic-control device, no person shall stand or park a motor vehicle, neighborhood vehicle, motorized bicycle, or motorized scooter, whether occupied or not, except momentarily to pick up or discharge a passenger or passengers:
1. In front of a public or private driveway or alley, or within four (4) feet thereof;
  2. Within fifteen (15) feet of a fire hydrant;
  3. Within twenty (20) feet of a crosswalk;
  4. Within thirty (30) feet of a roadway intersection or within thirty (30) feet upon the approach to any flashing signal, stop sign, or traffic control signal located at the side of a roadway, whichever is greater;
  5. Within twenty (20) feet of the driveway entrance to any fire station and on the side of a street opposite the entrance to any fire station within seventy-five (75) feet of such entrance when properly signposted; or
  6. On municipal parking lots outside of marked parking stalls.
  7. At any place where official signs prohibit standing.
- C. Except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic, or in compliance with law or the directions of a police officer or official traffic-control device, no person shall park a motor vehicle, neighborhood vehicle, motorized bicycle, or motorized scooter, whether occupied or not, except temporarily for the purpose of and while actually engaged in loading and unloading merchandise or passengers:
1. Within fifty (50) feet of the nearest rail of a railroad crossing; or
  2. At any place where official signs prohibit parking.

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- D. No person shall move a vehicle not lawfully under his control into any such prohibited area or away from a curb such a distance as is unlawful.
  - E. Except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic, or in compliance with law or the directions of a police officer or official traffic-control device, no person shall between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., on any day except Sunday or a public holiday, stand or park a motor vehicle, neighborhood vehicle, motorized bicycle, or motorized scooter, whether occupied or not, within ten (10) feet of any box located in the right-of-way and used for the delivery of United States mail, except momentarily to pick up or deliver official United States mail,.
  - F. A person shall stand or park any bicycle, tricycle, E-bicycle, E-tricycle, scooter, shared-mobility device, electric powered assistive mobility device or electric assist device, whether occupied or not, in an upright and orderly manner when located within the right-of-way or upon public property.
  - G. Except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic, in compliance with law, or the directions of a police officer or official traffic-control device, no person shall stand or park any bicycle, tricycle, E-bicycle, E-tricycle, scooter, micro-mobility device, electric powered assistive mobility device or electric assist device, whether occupied or not:
    - 1. Within or in front of a public or private driveway or alley;
    - 2. Within a vehicle travel lane or bike lane upon a roadway;
    - 3. Within a space designated as a motor vehicle parking place or between two designated motor vehicle parking places, or where those parking places are specifically intended for another vehicle different than that which would be standing or parking, unless otherwise marked;
    - 4. Within a space designated parking for persons with disabilities;
    - 5. In any manner that would restrict or obstruct the travel or movement of persons with disabilities, or on any part of an accessibility ramp for persons with disabilities or sidewalk ramp or detectable warning surface associated with an accessible sidewalk ramp, or in any location that restricts or obstructs any persons access to braille signs, railings and signal push buttons;
    - 6. In a manner within or adjacent to that blocks or obstructs transit stops, shelters, or platforms, or fire hydrants or fire suppression appurtenances, building entryways, exits, delivery areas or driveways; or mail boxes or street furniture that pedestrians access, including but not limited to, benches, drinking fountains, bike share stations and parking pay stations;
    - 7. Within designated and marked special use zones, including, but not limited to loading zones; or
    - 8. Within thirty (30) feet of the nearest railroad track or crossing.

(Code 1988, § 29-354; Ord. No. 5110, § 1, 3-1-2001; Ord. No. 9293, § 1, 12-7-2021; Ord. No. 9615, § 1, 2-28-2023)

State law reference(s)—Similar provisions, RSMo 300.440.