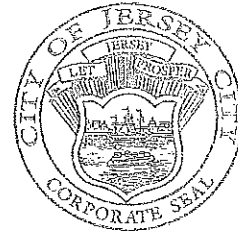


City Clerk File No. Ord. 15.109
Agenda No. 3.A. 1st Reading
Agenda No. 4.A 2nd Reading & Final Passage



ORDINANCE OF JERSEY CITY, N.J.

COUNCIL AS A WHOLE
offered and moved adoption of the following ordinance:

CITY ORDINANCE 15.109

TITLE:

ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING CHAPTER 332 (VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC) ARTICLE VIII (PERMIT PARKING) AND CHAPTER 160 (FEES AND CHARGES) OF THE JERSEY CITY MUNICIPAL CODE

THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JERSEY CITY HEREBY ORDAINS:

WHEREAS, the Jersey City Parking Authority was abolished as a matter of law as of December 31, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the City of Jersey City assumed the obligations and functions of the former Jersey City Parking Authority as of January 1, 2015; and

WHEREAS, permits for the use of City streets (zoned parking and other on street permits) were already approved by ordinance of the Municipal Council and thus continue; and

WHEREAS, with regard to off street parking and municipal lots, only the Jersey City Parking Authority approved the permits and fees; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the City of Jersey City to approved the issuance of fees and the type and amount thereof for municipal lots it now owns; and

WHEREAS, the ordinance should be retroactive in application in order to relate back to the first day the City assumed the obligations to operate the lots, January 1, 2015.

- A. The following amendments to Chapter 332 (Vehicles and Traffic) Article VIII (Permit Parking) are hereby adopted:

VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC

ARTICLE VIII

Permit Parking in Residential Zones and Municipal Parking Lots

§332-58. No Change.

§332-58.1. Parking Restrictions in Municipal Lots.

- A. No person shall park a vehicle in a Municipal Lot without a valid parking permit.
- B. There may be two types of parking permits allowed in a municipal lot:
1. [NP]- Nighttime Parking only (7:00 p.m. - 7:00 a.m.);
 3. [24/7]- All Day/ All Night Parking (24 hours).

<u>PARKING PERMITS FOR MUNICIPAL LOTS</u>			
<u>LOT #</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>METERED</u>	<u>PERMITS</u>
1	Oakland/Washburn/Hoboken Avenue (leased from DOT)	Yes	NP, 24/7
2 [a/k/a 28]	Montgomery Street & Orchard Street (leased)	Yes	24/7
3 [a/k/a 33]	277 Central Avenue (Sherman Place)	Yes	24/7
4 [a/k/a 39]	522 West Side Avenue (Between Clendenny Avenue & Union Street)	Yes	NP
5 [a/k/a 44]	693 Newark Avenue & Cottage Street	Yes	24/7
6 [a/k/a 49]	328-348 Central Avenue (Burger King Lot)	Yes	NP, 24/7
7 [a/k/a 50]	Fairview & Bergen Avenue	No	24/7
8 [a/k/a 51]	404 2 nd Street	No	24/7
<u>LOT #</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>METERED</u>	<u>PERMITS</u>
9 [a/k/a 52]	174 Newark Avenue	Yes	24/7
10 [a/k/a 53]	477-79 Central Avenue & Congress	No	24/7
11 [a/k/a 54]	Boland Street / Fairmount Avenue	No	24/7
12 [a/k/a 56]	733-735 Newark Avenue (leased from DOT)	Yes	24/7
13 [a/k/a 16]	754 West Side Avenue (between Fairview and Fairmount Avenue)	Yes	NP
14 [a/k/a 3]	352 Central Avenue	Yes	NP
15 [a/k/a 4]	388 Central Avenue	Yes	NP
16 [a/k/a 12]	Hoboken Ave. & Cook Street [LEASED]	No	No

- C. To the extent applicable, the regulations set forth in Section 332-58 (Parking Restrictions in Residential Zones) shall also apply to Parking Permits for Municipal Lots.

§332-59. Through §332-67. **No Change.**

- B. The following amendments to Chapter 160 (Fees and Charges) are hereby adopted:

FEES AND CHARGES

§160-1. **Fee schedule established.**

- A. Through RR. **No Change.**

SS. Chapter 332, Vehicles and Traffic.

- (1) Violations and penalties—Emergency No Parking Areas - §332-34; Signs - §332-35. Unless another penalty is expressly provided by this chapter or the New Jersey statutes, every person convicted of a violation of a provision of this chapter or any supplement thereto shall be liable to a penalty of not more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) or imprisonment for a term not exceeding five (5) days, or both.

- (2) Parking prohibited for sale or repair of vehicles or parking in front of handicap access ramp prohibited - § 332-25B. For a violation of this provision, the offender shall be liable to a penalty of not less than sixty dollars (\$60.00).
- (3) Penalties for violation of bus regulations. Any operator found guilty of violating any provisions of this Article shall be liable to a fine not to exceed five hundred dollars (\$500.00).
- (4) Violations and penalties of regulations regarding parking facilities operated by the Division of Parking Enforcement §332-40. Unless another penalty is expressly provided by New Jersey state statute, any person who violates or fails to comply with any provision of this Article shall, upon conviction therefor, be liable to a fine of not more than fifty dollars (\$50.00), together with court costs, or imprisonment for a period not to exceed fifteen (15) days, or both, for each and every offense.
- (5) Reserved.
- (6) Reserved.
- (7) Abandonment of motor vehicles prohibited; violations and penalties - §332-72. The Municipal Court may impose the following penalties for any violation of this section:
 - a. A fine of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) and a suspension of driving privileges for up to two (2) years for the first violation.
 - b. A fine of not less than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) nor more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) and suspension of driving privileges for up to five (5) years for additional violations.
- (8) Penalties—Impounding and booting vehicles - §332-73. Any person found guilty of violating any of the provisions of this article shall be subject to a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) or imprisonment not exceeding ninety (90) days or both for each offense. (Ord. No. MC-807, § A, 3/14/85.)
- (9) Fines - §332-3. Any person liable for a traffic control signal violation, pursuant to the Ordinance and the Act, utilizing the System shall be subject to the following fines:

Violation \$100.00
Late Fee \$ 25.00
- (10) On Street Parking ~~{of vehicles}~~ permit fees. Beginning on July 1, 2015, the ~~{fee for a}~~ following fees shall apply:
 - a. Residential Parking Permit or Temporary Residential Parking Permit; ~~{shall be ten dollars (\$10.00)}~~ fifteen dollars (\$15.00) per year for each vehicle registered to a ~~{for Jersey City}~~ resident ~~{s}~~ of the zone; ~~{and the fee for a}~~
 - b. Non-residential Parking Permit; ~~{shall be}~~ three hundred dollars (\$300.00) per year ~~{and for a}~~;
 - c. Temporary ~~{non-residential}~~ Resident Parking Permit; ~~{shall be}~~ one hundred twenty-five dollars (\$125.00) for a residency of not more than 90 days, ~~{per year, for each vehicle for non-Jersey City residents;~~

~~provided, however, that no non-resident parking permit shall be issued for any parking zone in which parking is restricted to residents only;~~

- d. New Resident Temporary Parking Permit: fifteen dollars (\$15) for up to 30 days, non-renewable.
 - e. Senior Citizens (65 or older) Residential Parking Permit: zero dollars (\$0);
 - f. Contractor Parking Permit: fifteen dollars (\$15) a day or \$175 for six (6) months for each vehicle working on a property within a residential zone;
 - g. Visitor Parking Permits: purchased by zone resident for up to five days: five dollars (\$5) a day;
 - h. ~~{there shall be a} Permit Transfer Fee: one dollar (\$1) {transfer charge for those with permits in} permit transfer fee for one who is moving from one residential permit parking zone to another residential permit parking zone, {who apply for a permit in the new area of residence. In such cases,} provided the new permit {shall} expires at the same time as a permit for the {new} former area would have expired;~~
- (11) ~~{The fee for a vehicle to park in the} On-street permit to park {ing} in the zone designated {on} by ordinance as Douglas and Arthur Skinner Memorial Drive (FKA: Jersey Avenue) {via said ordinance shall be}; \$200.00 per year.~~
- (12) Parking or standing a vehicle in designated space in the parking meter zone within the area of the west side of Douglas and Arthur Skinner Memorial Drive (FKA: Jersey Avenue) from Grand Street south to the light rail tracks shall be lawful for two (2) hours upon the deposit of twenty-five cents (\$0.25) per one-half (½) hour in the multi-space machine for those hours specified in this section.

(13) Parking Permit Fees for Municipal Lots:

<u>PARKING PERMIT FEES FOR MUNICIPAL LOTS</u>			
<u>(F/K/A)</u> <u>LOT #</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>PERMITS</u>	<u>FEE</u> <u>MONTHLY</u>
1	<u>Oakland/Washburn/Hoboken Avenue</u> <u>(leased from DOT)</u>	<u>24/7</u>	<u>\$105.00</u>
2 <u>[a/k/a 28]</u>	<u>Montgomery Street & Orchard Street (leased)</u>	<u>24/7</u>	<u>\$80.00</u>
3 <u>[a/k/a 33]</u>	<u>Sherman Place & Central Avenue</u>	<u>24/7</u>	<u>\$95.00</u>
4 <u>[a/k/a 39]</u>	<u>522 West Side Avenue (Between Clendenny</u> <u>Avenue & Union Street)</u>		
5 <u>[a/k/a 44]</u>	<u>693 Newark Avenue & Cottage Street</u>	<u>24/7</u>	<u>\$105.00</u>
6 <u>[a/k/a 49]</u>	<u>340 Central Avenue (Burger King Lot)</u>	<u>24/7</u> <u>NP</u>	<u>\$70.00</u>
7 <u>[a/k/a 50]</u>	<u>Fairview & Bergen Avenue</u>	<u>24/7</u>	<u>\$85.00</u>
8 <u>[a/k/a 51]</u>	<u>404 2nd Street</u>	<u>24/7</u>	<u>\$85.00</u>
9 <u>[a/k/a 52]</u>	<u>174 Newark Avenue</u>	<u>24/7</u>	<u>\$90.00</u>

10 [a/k/a 53]	<u>477-79 Central Avenue & Congress</u>	<u>24/7</u>	<u>\$75.00</u>
11 [a/k/a 54]	<u>Boland Street Fairmount Avenue</u>	<u>24/7</u>	<u>\$65.00</u>
12 [a/k/a 56]	<u>733-735 Newark Avenue (leased from DOT)</u>	<u>24/7</u>	<u>\$105.00</u>
13 [a/k/a 15]	<u>754 West Side Avenue (between Fairview and Fairmount Avenue)</u>	<u>24/7</u>	<u>\$55.00</u>
14 [a/k/a 3]	<u>352 Central Avenue</u>		
15 [a/k/a 4]	<u>388 Central Avenue</u>		
16 [a/k/a 12]	<u>Hoboken Ave. & Cook Street [LEASED]</u>		
<u>ALL</u>	<u>ALL COMMERCIAL VEHICLES</u>	<u>24/7</u>	<u>\$130.00</u>
<u>ALL</u>	<u>NIGHT TIME PARKING (NP) as available, first come, first served. City residents shall be accorded a preference.</u>	<u>NP</u>	<u>\$55.00</u>

TT. Through UU. No Change.

- C. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.
- D. The City Clerk shall have this ordinance codified and incorporated in the official copies of the Jersey City Code.
- E. This ordinance shall take effect retroactive to January 1, 2015.
- F. The City Clerk and the Corporation Counsel may change any chapter numbers, article numbers and section numbers if codification of this ordinance reveals a conflict between those numbers and the existing code, in order to avoid confusion and possible accidental repealers of existing provisions.

NOTE: All new material is underlined; words in ~~brackets~~ are omitted. For purposes of advertising only, new matter is indicated by **boldface** and repealed matter by *italic*.

JM/he
8/11/15

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM

Certification Required ☐
Not Required ☐

Corporation Counsel

APPROVED:

APPROVED:

Business Administrator

RESOLUTION FACT SHEET -- NON-CONTRACTUAL

This summary sheet is to be attached to the front of any resolution that is submitted for Council consideration. Incomplete or vague fact sheets will be returned with the resolution.

Full Title of Ordinance/Resolution

ORDINANCE AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING CHAPTER 332 (VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC) ARTICLE VIII (PERMIT PARKING) AND CHAPTER 160 (FEES AND CHARGES) OF THE JERSEY CITY MUNICIPAL CODE

Initiator

Department/Division	Public Safety	Parking Enforcement Division
Name/Title	Mary F Paretti	Director
Phone/email	201-653-6969 ext. 122	MParetti@NJJCPS.org

Note: Initiator must be available by phone during agenda meeting (Wednesday prior to council meeting @ 4:00 p.m.)

Resolution Purpose

To formalize fees for permits issued for lots formally owned and operated by the Jersey City Parking Authority which are now City owned and operated municipal lots. The Ordinance also formalizes fees for Residential On-Street Parking Permits issued by the Parking Enforcement Division.

The fees provided in this Ordinance are the same as what was previously charged by the Jersey City Parking Authority.

I certify that all the facts presented herein are accurate.

Mary F Paretti
Signature of Department Director

8/11/15
Date

Ordinance of the City of Jersey City, N.J.



ORDINANCE NO. Ord. 15.109

TITLE: 3.A AUG 19 2015 4.A SEP 09 2015

Ordinance amending and supplementing Chapter 332
(Vehicles and Traffic) Article VIII (Permit Parking) and
Chapter 160 (Fees and Charges) of the Jersey City Municipal
Code.

RECORD OF COUNCIL VOTE ON INTRODUCTION AUG 19 2015 7-0											
COUNCILPERSON	AYE	NAY	N.V.	COUNCILPERSON	AYE	NAY	N.V.	COUNCILPERSON	AYE	NAY	N.V.
GAJEWSKI	✓			YUN	✓			RIVERA	✓		
RAMCHAL	✓			OSBORNE	✓			WATTERMEN	✓		
BOGGIANO	✓			COLEMAN	✓			LAVARRO, PRES.	✓		

RECORD OF COUNCIL VOTE TO CLOSE PUBLIC HEARING SEP 09 2015											
Councilperson <u>WATTERMEN</u> moved, seconded by Councilperson <u>OSBORNE</u> to close P.H.											
COUNCILPERSON	AYE	NAY	N.V.	COUNCILPERSON	AYE	NAY	N.V.	COUNCILPERSON	AYE	NAY	N.V.
GAJEWSKI	<u>ABSENT</u>			YUN	✓			RIVERA	✓		
RAMCHAL	✓			OSBORNE	✓			WATTERMEN	✓		
BOGGIANO	✓			COLEMAN	✓			LAVARRO, PRES.	✓		

✓ Indicates Vote

N.V.--Not Voting (Abstain)

SPEAKERS:

YVONNE BALZER

RECORD OF COUNCIL VOTE ON AMENDMENTS, IF ANY											
Councilperson _____ moved to amend* Ordinance, seconded by Councilperson _____ & adopted											
COUNCILPERSON	AYE	NAY	N.V.	COUNCILPERSON	AYE	NAY	N.V.	COUNCILPERSON	AYE	NAY	N.V.
GAJEWSKI				YUN				RIVERA			
RAMCHAL				OSBORNE				WATTERMEN			
BOGGIANO				COLEMAN				LAVARRO, PRES.			

RECORD OF FINAL COUNCIL VOTE SEP 09 2015 8-0											
COUNCILPERSON	AYE	NAY	N.V.	COUNCILPERSON	AYE	NAY	N.V.	COUNCILPERSON	AYE	NAY	N.V.
GAJEWSKI	<u>ABSENT</u>			YUN	✓			RIVERA	✓		
RAMCHAL	✓			OSBORNE	✓			WATTERMEN	✓		
BOGGIANO	✓			COLEMAN	✓			LAVARRO, PRES.	✓		

✓ Indicates Vote

N.V.--Not Voting (Abstain)

Adopted on first reading of the Council of Jersey City, N.J. on AUG 19 2015
Adopted on second and final reading after hearing on SEP 09 2015

This is to certify that the foregoing Ordinance was adopted by
the Municipal Council at its meeting on SEP 09 2015

Robert Byrnie
Robert Byrnie, City Clerk

*Amendment(s):

APPROVED:

Rolando R. Lavarro, Jr.
Rolando R. Lavarro, Jr., Council President
Date SEP 09 2015

APPROVED:

Steven M. Fulop
Steven M. Fulop, Mayor
Date SEP 11 2015

Date to Mayor SEP 10 2015