

BOROUGH OF LARKSVILLE
COUNTY OF LUZERNE, PENNSYLVANIA

ORDINANCE NO. 4 2024

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF LARKSVILLE, LUZERNE COUNTY,
PENNSYLVANIA, TITLE: RESTRICTIONS ON PARKING AND STOPPING OF VEHICLES.

WHEREAS, the Larksville Borough of Larksville, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania (“Borough”) deems it necessary to enact an Ordinance relative to restrictions on parking and stopping of vehicles;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby ENACTED and ORDAINED by the Borough Council of Larksville, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, as follows:

1. Restrictions on Parking and Stopping of Vehicles in the Borough.
 - A. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, within a crosswalk.
 - B. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, on the roadway side of any vehicle stopped or parked at the curb or the edge of the street, otherwise known as double parking.
 - C. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, within 30 feet of the approach to an official flashing signal, stop sign or traffic signal located at the side of the roadway.
 - D. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, upon a street within 15 feet of a fire hydrant.
 - E. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, within 25 feet of a corner of any street.
 - F. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, headed in the direction of traffic with the curbside of the vehicle being more than 6 inches from the edge of the street or curb.
 - G. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, in front of a public or private driveway.
 - H. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, on a sidewalk or tree lawn. Further, no person shall operate a motor upon or cross any sidewalk except in order to gain access to or

egress from a driveway or alley at such locations where the curb, if such sidewalk is curbed, shall have been properly cut down for that purpose.

- I. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, in such a way as to block a lane of traffic.
- J. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand attended or unattended, within an area designated as a fire lane.
- K. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, upon the left side of a two-way street except when necessary, in obedience to traffic regulations. Vehicles which, because of type or construction, cannot load or unload parallel to the curb, shall be exempt, while loading and unloading only, from the requirement of standing parallel to the curb.
- L. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, on a one-way street in the opposite direction of traffic, except when necessary, in obedience to traffic regulations.
- M. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, at any place where official signs have been erected prohibiting standing and parking.
- N. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, on days and during specific times designated for street sweeping as posted by the borough.
- O. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, on a marked Snow Emergency Route during a period of emergency.
- P. No person shall park a vehicle or permit it to stand whether attended or unattended, within a Handicap Zone without an official handicapped license plate or placard.

2. Penalties

- A. Any person who violates section 1A through 1N shall receive a parking ticket with a fine of \$15 if paid within five days of the date of notice. Failing to pay within five days of the date of notice, shall result in the filing of a citation and the fine shall be increased to \$30.
- B. Any person who violates section 1O shall receive a parking ticket with a fine of \$25 if paid within five days of notice. Failing to pay within five days of the date of notice, shall result in the filing of a citation and the fine shall be increased to \$50.

- C. Any person who violates section 1P shall receive a parking ticket with a fine from \$50 to \$200 if paid within five days of the date of notice. Failing to pay within five days of the date of notice, shall result in the filing of a citation and the fine shall be increased to no less than \$100 and no more than \$400.
- D. Each day the owner or operator of the vehicle is in violation of any part in this section, it shall constitute a separate offense and fines and/or additional assessments will be given.

This Ordinance shall be effective August 6, 2024.

ENACTED and ORDAINED at a regular meeting of Larksville Borough Council, this 6th day of August 2024.

ATTEST:



Eric Krushinski
Assistant Administrator



Michael Lehman
Borough Council President