

BOROUGH OF RARITAN
ORDINANCE NO. 2025-02

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF RARITAN, COUNTY
OF SOMERSET, NEW JERSEY AMENDING CHAPTER 82 OF
THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF RARITAN**

Statement of Purpose:

The purpose of this ordinance is to provide accessible parking spaces on the Borough's main thoroughfare on Somerset Street.

WHEREAS, residents of the Borough have shown interest in having accessible parking spaces on Somerset Street (County Road 626).

WHEREAS, Somerset County has indicated intention to redevelop sections of County Road 626 and has requested that the Borough identify ADA/Handicapped spaces along Somerset Street in advance of their proposed project.

WHEREAS, it is beneficial for the Borough to provide parking spaces to persons of all abilities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by Mayor & Council of the Borough of Raritan:

SECTION 1: The following sections be added to Chapter 82 Vehicles and Traffic, Part 4 Handicapped Parking:

82-71.1.D(7)

102 West Somerset Street. The handicapped parking space shall be located on the north side beginning at a point, on 1st Avenue, located 90' westerly of a line drawn made from the westerly curblineline of 1st Avenue, and extending 22' west from said point.

82-71.1.D(8)

69 West Somerset Street. The handicapped parking space shall be located on the south side beginning at a point, on Nevius Street, located 96' easterly of a line drawn made from the easterly curblineline of Nevius Street, and extending 22' east from said point.

82-71.1.D(9)

46 West Somerset Street. The handicapped parking space shall be located on the north side beginning at a point, on Loomis Avenue, located 8.5' westerly of a line drawn across West Somerset Street made from the westerly curblineline of Loomis Avenue, and extending 22' west from said point.

82-71.1.D(10)

9 West Somerset Street. The handicapped parking space shall be located on the south side beginning at a point, on Thompson Street, located 136' westerly of a line drawn made from the westerly curblineline of Thompson Street, and extending

82-71.1.D(11)

15 East Somerset Street. The handicapped parking space shall be located on the north side beginning at a point, on Thompson Street, located 175' easterly of a line drawn made from the easterly curblineline of Thompson Street, and extending 25' east from said point.

82-71.1.D(12)

30 East Somerset Street. The handicapped parking space shall be located on the south side beginning at a point, on John Street, located 42' easterly of a line drawn made from the easterly curblineline of John Street, and extending 22' east from said point.

82-71.1.D(13)

33 East Somerset Street. The handicapped parking space shall be located on the north side beginning at a point, on Lincoln Street, located 30' easterly of a line drawn made from the easterly curblineline of Lincoln Street, and extending 22' east from said point.

82-71.1.D(14)

46 East Somerset Street. The handicapped parking space shall be located on the south side beginning at a point, on Frederick Street, located 120' easterly of a line drawn made from the easterly curblineline of Frederick Street, and extending 22' east from said point.

82-71.1.D(15)

54 East Somerset Street The handicapped parking space shall be located on the south side beginning at a point, on Wyckoff Avenue, located 39' easterly of a line drawn made from the easterly curblineline of Wyckoff Avenue, and extending 22' east from said point.

82-71.1.D(16)

67 East Somerset Street on the north side beginning at a point, on Elmer Street, located 55.5' easterly of a line drawn made from the easterly curblineline of Elmer Street, and extending 25' east from said point.

SECTION 3: Severability. Each section, subsection, sentence, clause and phrase of this Ordinance is declared to be an independent subsection, sentence, clause and phrase, and the finding or holding of any such portion of this Ordinance to be unconstitutional, void, or ineffective for any cause, or reason, shall not affect any other portion of this Ordinance.

SECTION 4: Repealer. Should there exist any inconsistency with other ordinances of the Borough, or should any provision of this ordinance be inconsistent with the provisions of any other prior ordinances, the inconsistent provisions of such other prior ordinance are hereby repealed, but only to the extent of such inconsistencies.

SECTION 5: Purpose of Captions. The captions contained in this Ordinance have been inserted only for the purpose of facilitation reference to the various sections, and are not intended and shall not be utilized to construe the intent and meaning of the text of any section.

SECTION 6: Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect after adoption, passage, and signature by the Mayor in accordance with N.J.S.A. §40A:60-5(d).


NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the foregoing Ordinance was finally Adopted by the Borough Council of the Borough of Raritan, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey, following a Second Reading and Public Hearing that took place in the Meeting Room of the Municipal Building, 22 First Street, Raritan, NJ 08869 on Tuesday, February 18, 2025, at 7 p.m. This Ordinance shall take effect upon proper publication, as required by law.

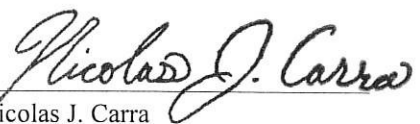
ADOPTION:

MOTION	SECOND	MEMBER	YEA	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
		Agrawal				✓
		Armahizer	✓			
	✓	DiGraziano	✓			
✓		Fritzinger	✓			
		Patente	✓			
		Tozzi	✓			

ATTEST:



Kimberly Mathewson
Acting Borough Clerk



Nicolas J. Carra
Mayor

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Ordinance was Introduced by the Borough Council of the Borough of Raritan, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey, at a Regular Meeting held in Borough Hall, 22 First Street, Raritan, NJ 08869 on Tuesday, February 18, 2025.



Kimberly Mathewson
Acting Borough Clerk