

**TOWNSHIP OF ROCKAWAY
COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

ORDINANCE NO. O-21-30

**AMENDING CHAPTER VII TRAFFIC, ARTICLE I, SECTION 7-6 PARKING OF THE
REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ROCKAWAY,
COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

WHEREAS, N.J.S.A. 40:48-2 permits a municipality to make and amend an ordinance as it may deem necessary and proper for good government, order, and protection of persons and property, and for the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare of the municipality and its inhabitants; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Rockaway ("Township") desires to amend Section 7-6.3 "Temporary parking prohibition for snow plowing and removal", and

WHEREAS, the Township of Rockaway desires to amend Section 7-6.9 "Parking prohibited at all times on certain streets", and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 39:4-8b and N.J.S.A. 39:4-197(1)f, the Township may restrict parking on any street under municipal jurisdiction without the approval of the Commissioner of Transportation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of Rockaway, County of Morris, State of New Jersey as follows:

SECTION 1. § 7-6.3 Temporary parking prohibition for snow plowing and removal is hereby amended to remove the following;

Name of Street	Sides	Location
Dead End Road	West	Entire Length

SECTION 2. § 7-6.9 Parking Prohibited at All Times on Certain Streets is hereby amended to include the following;

Name of Street	Sides	Location
Dead End Road	West	Entire Length

SECTION 3. All ordinances of the Township of Rockaway that are inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

SECTION 4. If any section, subsection, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid by any Court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the remaining portion of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall take effect upon final passage and approval in accordance with law.

CERTIFICATION

I, Christina Clipperton, Township Clerk of the Township of Rockaway hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of an Ordinance introduced on August 10, 2021 and adopted by the Township Council of the Township of Rockaway at a duly convened meeting held on September 14, 2021.


Christina Clipperton, Township Clerk


Michael Puzio, Mayor


Joe Jackson, Council President

Purpose

The Ordinance is being amended in accordance with an engineering study which revealed that the paved portion of the roadway is too narrow to accommodate parking on both sides of the street, which makes normal traffic flow and the safe passage of fire and other emergency vehicles virtually impossible. The addition of a one-sided parking at all times restriction will alleviate the lack of space caused by two-sided parking.

	Motion	Second	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
Kelley	X		X			
Quinn		X	X			
Friedlander			X			
Kritz			X			
Salberg			X			
Brookes			X			
Noon			X			
V.P. Sackett			X			
C.P. Jackson			X			