



City of Downey
Police Department
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Below are common questions and answers pertaining to the Downey Municipal Code 3182.5 Long-Term Parking/Oversize Vehicle Parking.

1. Where are the basics of the law?

No oversized vehicle shall stop, stand, or park on any public street, alley, or highway within the City for a period exceeding four (4) consecutive hours and no such vehicle shall stop, stand, park, or leave standing on any public street, alley, or highway within the City – or in any parking lot or structure owned, controlled, or operated by the City during the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 7 a.m. of the succeeding day.

2. Where do I get the parking permit?

Please come to the front desk at the Downey Police Department, 10911 Brookshire Ave., Downey CA 90241 to obtain your parking permit.

3. Is there a cost associated to the parking permit?

No, the permit is free of charge.

4. What are the hours I can come get a parking permit?

The hours of operation are Monday-Friday 07:30 AM to 5:30 PM, Saturday & Sunday 2:30 PM to 5:00 PM.

5. Do I need an appointment in order to obtain a parking permit?

We do not offer appointments, you can walk in during the scheduled hours.

6. How long does the parking permit last?

72 hours.

7. Is there a limit on how many parking permits I can obtain?

Yes, you can obtain no more than fifteen (15) permits for the temporary parking of the recreational vehicle on a public street relating to the one address associated to the recreational vehicle in any one calendar year.

8. What do I need to bring in order to obtain a parking permit?

**Proof of residency, and
Proof of ownership, lease, or rental of the recreational vehicle.**

9. What is required for the proof of residency?

Only one item required, for example, an ID with name and address (within the city), or utility bill with name and address.

10. What is required for the proof of ownership, lease, or rental of the recreational vehicle?

The registration, a lease document, or the rental agreement. We will also accept a bill of sale or insurance card.

11. Where am I required to park the recreational vehicle?

A recreational vehicle parked on any public street pursuant to a permit issued can only be located on either side of the street of the same block as the resident's address.

12. How long can I park my recreational vehicle on the public street without a permit?

No person shall stop, stand, park or leave standing any oversized vehicle on any public street, alley or highway within the City for a period exceeding four (4) consecutive hours.

13. What if I pick up my recreational vehicle and park it in front of my residence at after 10:00 PM, do I still get 4 hours?

Without the parking permit, no person shall stop, stand, park or leave standing any oversized vehicle (including any recreational vehicle) on any public street, alley, or highway within the City – or in any parking lot or structure owned, controlled, or operated by the City during the hours of 10:00 PM and 7:00 AM of the succeeding day.