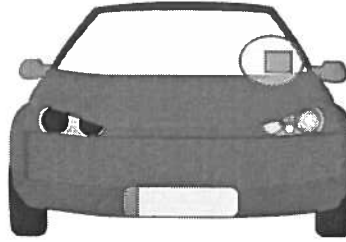


Trumbull Parks & Recreation Department: 2018 Park Sticker Proposal

The 2018 stickers would be the same style and format of the 2017 stickers. In 2017 we introduced new stickers including a new location on the vehicle.



There are several benefits to this style sticker for the Parks and Recreation Department.

- Reporting
 - License Plates – License plate numbers are printed directly on the sticker.
 - Software – The sticker was issued through our recreation software which allowed us to track how many stickers were issued to each household and what vehicles they were issued to.
- Ticketing
 - Rangers can ticket vehicles that do not have a sticker.
 - Rangers can also identify that the park sticker matches the vehicle license plate on site.
- Cost
 - \$4413 for 15000 stickers (compared to \$9680 for 2016 stickers)

Each year, the department issues between 10,000 and 13,000 park stickers for vehicles. All of these stickers are issued to residents who come into our office. When new stickers become available, the demand becomes a burden on our office. For several weeks, we see a constant flow of traffic that occupies much of our staff for the entire day.

PROPOSALS:

1) Offer stickers in the office as soon as January 1, 2018 with a short grace period (until February 15th). The sticker would be good for the 2018 calendar year.

Benefits:

- Offering the stickers as soon as possible will spread out the foot traffic in the building and allow day-to-day business to be conducting in a more efficient manner.
- Reduces the lines and waiting time during the peak months of May to August.

2) Request to change the location of the park a sticker to the front driver's side of the vehicle in the Town Ordinances (Section 15.11, c.). Attached.

Benefits:

- The sticker can be placed on the inside of the vehicle. When the sticker is on the rear of the vehicle many cars have tinted rear windshields and the sticker is not visible through them. Placing the sticker on the front also allows convertibles to display the stickers.

Sec. 15-11. - Vehicles in parks.

- (a) All vehicles in town parks are to be registered.
- (b) No commercial vehicle shall enter, be driven or operated in any town park except with the permission of the Board of Park Commissioners.
- (c) Vehicular admittance to the parks and parking areas shall be by permit affixed to the lower portion of the rear window, left side; or left side rear window. Permits are obtained only by residents with vehicles registered in the Town of Trumbull; the fee and point of distribution to be determined by the Board of Park Commissioners.
- (d) Misuse of a park permit is prohibited.
- (e) All vehicles within any town park shall be operated, parked and controlled in accordance with the regulations and directions of the Board of Park Commissioners as follows:
 - (1) No motor vehicle shall be driven at a speed in excess of fifteen (15) miles per hour.
 - (2) No park road shall be used for driver training instruction.
 - (3) No person shall wash, clean, paint, repair or maintain a motor vehicle in Town parks.
 - (4) No motor vehicle shall be parked in any area other than those so designated and posted by the Board of Park Commissioners. Owners of vehicles parked in violation of such regulations shall be subject to such fines and tow-away charges as may from time to time be in force and effect in the Town applicable to parking on public highways. The Police Commission is authorized to designate one (1) or more suitable places for impounding motor vehicles. An impounded motor vehicle may be repossessed only upon payment of a towing charge and a daily storage charge, which charges shall be set from time to time and a schedule of such charges is on file in the Town Clerk's office.
 - (5) No motor vehicle including all-terrain vehicles (ATV), dirtbikes, snowmobiles, motorcycles, motorbikes, etc. shall be driven or ridden off the designated roadways or parking lots of a park. No motor vehicles are allowed off established roadways on trails or fireroads without permission of the Board of Park Commissioners.

(Code 1962, §§ 9-14—9-16; Res. No. TC15-162, 6-5-95)

Cross reference— Motor vehicles and traffic, Ch. 12.