

ARTICLE V

Snow Alert

[Adopted 1-9-1967 (Ch. 117, Art. V, of the 1976 Borough Code)]

§ 390-39. Definitions.

For the purpose of this article, the following words shall have the following meanings:

EVEN-NUMBERED SIDE OF THE STREET — That side of a street bearing building numbers or designations which are exactly divisible by two.

ODD-NUMBERED SIDE OF THE STREET — That side of a street containing building numbers or designations which, when divided by two, leave a remainder of one.

PARKING — The standing of a vehicle, except police or fire department vehicles or ambulances, whether occupied or not, upon the street.

SNOW ALERT — That period of time from one hour after the snow first begins to fall until the snow ceases falling and until the snow is cleared off of both sides of the street by plowing.

STREET — Any public street, avenue, road, boulevard, highway, alley or other public place located in the Borough of Penndel and established for the use of vehicles.

VEHICLE — Any device in, upon or by which any persons or property may be transported or drawn upon a highway or street in the Borough of Penndel, except a device which is operated upon rails or tracks.

§ 390-40. Parking and stopping prohibited.

No person shall stop, stand or park a vehicle within the Borough limits of the Borough of Penndel during a snow alert, except as noted in § 390-41 below. Such restriction against parking shall be in effect until after the snow has ceased falling and has been cleared away by plowing or other mechanical means.

§ 390-41. Parking permitted under certain circumstances. [Amended 9-8-1998 by Ord. No. 98-2]

Residents of or visitors to premises located within the Borough of Penndel which do not have available to them off-street parking in driveways, parking lots, etc., shall be permitted to stop, stand or park vehicles in the area of the premises, except that during snow alerts the necessary parking will be restricted to the odd-numbered side of the street. Said restriction shall be for the purpose of permitting Borough employees to remove snow from the streets, and once the snow is removed from the opposite side of the street, the motor vehicles must be immediately moved to the cleared side of the street in order to permit the other side of the street to be similarly cleared of snow.

§ 390-42. Violations and penalties. [Amended 3-9-1976; 9-8-1998 by Ord. No. 98-2]

- A. Whenever any motor vehicle is found parked or stopped in violation of any of the restrictions imposed by this article, the Chief of Police is authorized to issue instructions to the police officers of the Borough of Penndel to remove the vehicle from the street or highway to the nearest garage or other place of safety or to a garage designated or maintained by the Police Department or otherwise maintained by the Borough.
- B. Immediate written notice of the removal of the vehicle shall be given to the owner of the vehicle. Said ownership can be procured from the license number. Notification of the removal of the vehicle and the location of the vehicle shall be sent or delivered to the owner no later than three days after the date of removal.
- C. The owner of the vehicle so removed shall pay for the cost of said removal.
- D. Any person, firm, association or corporation violating any of the provisions of this article shall be subject to such penalty as is provided by § 390-52B of this chapter.