ORDINANCE NO. 16,470

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Municipal Code of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, 2000, adopted by Ordinance No. 13,827, passed June 5, 2000, as heretofore amended, is hereby amended, by amending Sections 114-305.03 114-354.01, 114-357, 114-358, 114-360, 114-361, 114-361.01, 114-361.03, 114-361.05, 114-361.06, 114-361.07, 114-361.08, 114-361.10, 114-361.11, 114-361.12, 114-361.13, 114-361.14, 114-361.15, 114-361.16, 114-361.17, 114-366.05, 114-603, 114-604, 114-605, 114-609, 114-610, 114-611, 114-612, 114-613, 114-613.02, 114-614, 114-620, 114-621, 114-623, 114-624, 114-625, 114-626, 114-627, 114-628.01, 114-630, 114-640, 114-641, 114-643, 114-645, 114-646, 114-647, 114-648, 114-668 and 114-1104, relating to parking fines and parking meters.

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa:

Section 1. That the Municipal Code of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, 2000, adopted by Ordinance No. 13,827, passed June 5, 2000, as heretofore amended, is hereby amended, by amending Sections 114.305-03, 114-354.01, 114-357, 114-358, 114-360, 114-361, 114-361.01, 114-361.03, 114-361.05, 114-361.06, 114-361.07, 114-361.08, 114-361.10, 114-361.11, 114-361.12, 114-361.13, 114-361.14, 114-361.15, 114-361.16, 114-361.17, 114-366.05, 114-603, 114-604, 114-605, 114-609, 114-610, 114-611, 114-612, 114-613, 114-613.02, 114-614, 114-620, 114-621, 114-623, 114-624, 114-625, 114-626, 114-627, 114-628.01, 114-630, 114-640, 114-641, 114-643, 114-645, 114-646, 114-647, 114-648, 114-668, 114-1104 relating to parking fines and parking meters, as follows:

Sec. 114-305.03. One-way street parking.

- (a) Unless prohibited by this Code or other city ordinances regulating or restricting the parking or standing of vehicles on the streets as designated in division 5 of article XVI of this chapter, vehicles may be stopped or parked on such one-way streets with the lefthand wheels adjacent to and within 18 inches but not closer than two inches of the lefthand curb of such streets. Any motorcycle may be stopped or parked with its rear wheel within 18 inches of the lefthand curb.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-354.01. Buses.

- (a) The operator of a bus shall not stop such vehicle upon any street at any place for the purpose of loading or unloading passengers or their baggage other than at a bus stop, bus stand or passenger loading zone, except in an emergency.
- (b) The operator of a bus shall enter a bus stop, bus stand or passenger loading zone on a public street in such a manner that the bus, when stopped to load or unload passengers or baggage, shall be in a position with the right front wheel of the vehicle not further than 18 inches from the curb and the bus approximately parallel to the curb so as not to impede unduly the movement of other vehicular traffic.
- (c) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-357. Parking on viaducts.

- (a) No person shall park or permit a vehicle to stand on any viaduct within the city.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-358. Prohibited in specified places.

- (a) No person shall stop, stand or park a vehicle, except when necessary to avoid a conflict with other traffic or in compliance with the directions of a police officer or traffic control device, in any of the following places:
 - (1) On a sidewalk.
 - (2) In front of or within two feet of a public or private driveway.
 - (3) Within an intersection.
 - (4) On a crosswalk.
 - (5) Within 25 feet upon the approach to any flashing beacon, stop sign or traffic control signal located at the side of a roadway.
 - (6) Between a safety zone and the adjacent curb or within ten feet of points on the curb immediately opposite the ends of a safety zone.
 - (7) Within 50 feet of the nearest rail of a railroad crossing, except when parked parallel with such rail and not exhibiting a red light.
 - (8) Alongside or opposite any street excavation or obstruction when such stopping, standing or parking would obstruct traffic.
 - (9) On the roadway side of any vehicle stopped or parked at the edge or curb of a street.
 - (10) Adjacent to or on the center parkway or dividing area of any divided street.
 - (11) In front of a curb cut or ramp which is located on public or private property in a manner which blocks access to the curb cut or ramp.
 - (12) Adjacent to or in front of a curb bump-out when such stopping, standing or parking would obstruct traffic.
 - (13) Within a minimum of 40 feet approaching an intersection and within 25 feet following an intersection.
 - (14) Within a minimum of 25 feet of a marked crosswalk not located within an intersection.

A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a \$20.00 fine.

Sec. 114-360. Parking in spaces in front of assembly places.

- (a) A space of 25 feet is reserved at the side of the street in front of every theater, auditorium, hotel having more than 25 sleeping rooms, office building having more than three stories or other building where large assemblages of people are being held. No motor vehicle shall be left standing, parked or stopped within these spaces except in taking on or discharging passengers or freight or picking up tickets, and then only for a length of time necessary for such purposes, provided that such spaces shall first be marked by signs with the words "no parking loading zone" or "no parking ticket pick-up" thereon, as appropriate, or the curbing adjacent thereto painted with yellow paint.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-361. Parking at righthand curb.

- (a) Except as otherwise provided in this chapter and including as specifically provided in section 114-305.03 of this chapter as to one-way streets, every vehicle stopped or parked upon a roadway where there is an adjacent curb shall be stopped or parked with the righthand wheels of the vehicle parallel with and within 18 inches but not closer than two inches of the righthand curb.
- (b) It shall be unlawful to drive any vehicle against or upon any curb damaging any part thereof.
- (c) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-361.01. Angle parking.

- (a) The initiation of angle parking at any location where such parking is not in existence is prohibited except at the following locations:
 - (1) Bridal Row, on the east side, from Fifteenth Street to Pleasant Street.
 - (2) Court Avenue, on the south side, from Water Street to Fifth Avenue.
 - (3) Keosauqua Way, on both sides, from Sixth Avenue to Seventh Street.
 - (4) East Hillside Avenue, on the south side, from Southeast Sixth Avenue to 240 feet west thereof.
 - (5) Murphy Street, on the south side, from Southwest Eleventh Street to 500 feet east thereof.
 - (6) East Market Street, on the south side, from Southeast Fifth Street to Southeast Sixth Street.
- (b) The initiation of back-in angle parking at any location is prohibited except at the following locations:
 - (1) Court Avenue, on the south side, from Water Street to East Third Street.
 - (2) Walnut Street, on the north side, from Water Street to East First Street.
 - (3) East Fourth Street, on the west side, from Locust Street to Grand Avenue.
 - (4) East Fourth Street, on both sides, from Grand Avenue to Des Moines Street.
 - (5) East Fifth Street, on the east side, from Walnut Street to Grand Avenue.
 - (6) Shaw Street, on the south side, from Southeast Fifth Street to Southeast Sixth Street.
 - (7) Twenty-third Street, on the west side, from Ingersoll Avenue to High Street.
 - (8) Chamberlain Avenue, on the north side, from Forty-second Street to a point 135 feet west thereof.
 - (9) Southeast Seventh Street, on the west side, from East Vine Street to East Elm Street
 - (10) East Vine Street, on the south side, from Southeast Sixth Street to Southeast Seventh Street.
- (c) When signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall park a vehicle in any parking space designated for back-in angle parking except by positioning their vehicle entirely within the marked space, with the rear of the vehicle to the curb side of the street and the front of the vehicle to the traveled lanes of the street.

- (d) Angle parking shall be permitted to continue at locations where the distance between the painted centerline and the parking curb line is equal to or greater than the minimum requirement established by the following formula:
 - Minimum Width from Centerline to Parking Curb line = $VAVE/400 \times 10' + 19'$
- (e) The letters "VAVE" as used in the formula in subsection (b) of this section represent the average hourly volume of cars during the four highest hours of a day.
- (f) The cost of installing and maintaining facilities for angle parking shall be borne by the abutting property owners, and if they or any of them shall fail to refuse to do so, the city reserves the right to withdraw the privilege of this method of parking.
- (g) Nothing within this section shall prohibit parking by more than one motorcycle within one parking space as otherwise provided in this chapter.
- (h) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-361.03. Designation of parking spaces for city employees and officials on city-owned property.

- (a) The following described parking areas are reserved parking space for city employees and officials, designated by the city manager:
 - (1) The north 133.4 feet of block 3, East Fort Des Moines, lying south of and adjoining East Grand Avenue between Robert D. Ray Drive and East Second Street.
 - (2) All of the entire paved parking lot lying between the west curbline of East First Street and the Des Moines River and between the north line of East Vine Street and the main line track of the Des Moines Union Railway Company.
 - (3) All of the entire paved parking lot lying between the south line of the Municipal Court Building and such line projected east, and a line ten feet north of and parallel to the centerline of the main line track of the Des Moines Union Railway Company and extending from the east line of East First Street to the west line of East Second Street.
 - (4) All of the entire paved parking lot lying between the south line of the police department garage and such line projected west and the south line of the Municipal Court Building projected east and extending from the east line of the Municipal Court Building to the west line of East Second Street.
 - (5) All of the entire paved right-of-way under the Eighth Street Viaduct from Cherry Street to a point 180 feet north thereof.
 - (6) The south 20 feet of vacated East Vine Street from the east right-of-way line of East First Street to the west right-of-way line of East Second Street, and the north 22 feet of lot 5, all of lots 6 and 7 and the vacated north/south alley of and adjoining lot 7, all in block C, Scott and Dean's Addition.
 - (7) All that part of vacated East Elm Street lying south of and adjoining block 30, Town of De Moine.
 - (8) All of the entire gravel parking lot including lots 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 and all that part of the vacated north/south alley right-of-way lying west of and adjoining said lots 10 and 11, all in Block D, Scott and Dean's Addition.
- (b) Only the designated city employees and officials shall park in the reserved and restricted areas. Every such employee and official must display an authorized city parking permit on the vehicle.

(c) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-361.05. Designation of parking spaces for school district lots.

- (a) No person shall drive, stop or park a vehicle onto or upon property controlled by the Des Moines Independent Community School District between the hours of 6:00 a.m. to 12:00 midnight, Monday through Friday, except those persons who have obtained permission from the school district and clearly display a permit to park on such property. A violation of this section shall place such vehicle in the status of an illegally parked vehicle and, upon complaint of the school district, the vehicle may be dealt with pursuant to section 114-485.11 of this chapter.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-361.06. Public Library and Public Park lots.

- (a) No person shall park a vehicle in the underground reserved section of the main library parking lot at Tenth Street and Grand Avenue without authorization granted by the library director. All non-reserved parking spaces in this area are considered public parking spaces and is restricted to two hour parking only
- (b) No person shall park a vehicle in the paved parking lot immediately south of the branch library at 3516 Fifth Avenue after business hours. This lot is reserved for library customers only during business hours.
- (c) No person shall park a vehicle in the paved parking lot adjacent to the branch library at 5000 Franklin Avenue after business hours. This lot is reserved for library customers only during business hours.
- (d) No person shall park a vehicle in the paved parking lots immediately adjacent to the midcity branch library at 1305 University Avenue and directly south of the branch library on the south side of University after business hours. These lots are reserved for library customers only during business hours.
- (e) No person shall park a vehicle in the paved parking lot on the east side of Second Avenue immediately southwest of the Women of Achievement Bridge after 11:00 p.m. This lot is restricted to two hour parking only during park hours.
- (f) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-361.07. Armory parking lot; designation of parking spaces.

(a) The following described portion of the city-owned parking lot located north of and adjacent to the Armory Building at East First and Des Moines Streets is reserved as parking spaces for authorized American Legion employees and city employees and officials:

Lot 1 of block 1, East Fort Des Moines Addition, except the south 27 feet thereof; lot 1, through and including lot 12, Sibley Addition, except the south 27 feet of lot 12; the 14-foot wide alley between lot 9, Water Power Place Plat Two and Sibley Addition; part of lot 9, Water Power Place Plat Two beginning at the northeast corner of such lot 9 thence southerly 330 feet along the east lot line; thence westerly to the top of the riverbank; thence northerly along the riverbank to the east abutment of the Center Street Dam; thence northerly along the

east abutment to the north lot line; thence easterly along such north lot line to the point of beginning; also, the south half of lot 13, Griffiths Outlots and the alley between such lot 13 and lot 1, Sibley Addition.

No person except those designated persons shall park in the reserved and restricted area between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. All designated persons must display an authorized city parking permit on their vehicle.

- (b) No person shall park a motor truck at any time in the armory parking lot.
- (c) The city engineer is directed to erect appropriate signs informing the general public of the restrictions.
- (d) A person who parks a vehicle in violation of any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-361.08. Parking without valid registration plates.

- (a) No person shall park nor shall any owner knowingly permit to be parked upon any street, park road or publicly owned parking facility any motor vehicle required to be registered unless there shall be attached thereto and displayed thereon when and as required by law a valid registration plate issued therefor for the current registration year.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-361.10. Parking outside curblines.

- (a) No person shall park a vehicle on any portion of any street between the curbline and the lot line, except that on recommendation of the city engineer, duly approved by resolution of the city council, parking may be permitted at such locations when requested in writing by property owners.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-361.11. Parking near mail collection boxes adjacent to streets.

- (a) No vehicle shall be parked within a distance of 20 feet on either side of a United States post office-owned mail collection box which is so placed and equipped as to permit the deposit of mail from vehicles on the roadway.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-361.12. Parking under bridge or viaduct.

- (a) No person shall park a motor vehicle under any bridge or viaduct within the city when signs giving notice of the regulation have been posted under the bridge or viaduct.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-361.13. Parking continuously in one place more than 24 hours.

(a) No person shall park any vehicle and permit it to remain standing upon any public street or public metered lot in the city continuously and in one place for a period of more than 24 hours.

(b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-361.14. Parking for certain purposes prohibited.

- (a) No person shall stand or park a vehicle upon any roadway for the principal purpose of:
 - (1) Advertising.
 - (2) Displaying it for sale.
 - (3) Washing, greasing or repairing it, except for repairs necessitated by an emergency.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-361.15. Erection of temporary signs prohibiting parking near excavations and obstructions.

- (a) No person shall excavate or obstruct any street until he or she shall have first obtained a permit authorizing such excavation.
- (b) The city engineer may authorize the erection of temporary no parking signs alongside or opposite the area of excavation if the stopping, standing or parking of vehicles therein would obstruct traffic.
- (c) A person who parks a vehicle in violation of the no parking signs erected by authority of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-361.16. Parking on cul-de-sac and on dead-end streets.

- (a) When signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall park a motor vehicle on any cul-de-sac.
- (b) When signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall park in the turnaround area nor at any place between the posted sign and the dead end of a dead-end street.
- (c) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-361.17. No parking on emergency order of chief of police.

- (a) The chief of police may, upon issuance of an emergency order, cause temporary no parking signs to be posted on or about streets of the city. No person shall park in violation of signs so posted.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-366.05. Stopping, standing or parking.

(a) No person shall stop, park or leave standing any vehicle, whether attended or unattended, within any fenced portion of the right-of-way of the Des Moines Freeway, also known as Interstate Highway 235 and as the MacVicar Freeway, except duly authorized construction, maintenance and law enforcement vehicles and vehicles present for the purpose of servicing or removing a disabled vehicle or aiding the injured. This subsection shall not apply to the driver of any vehicle which is disabled in such manner and to such extent that it is impossible to avoid stopping and temporarily leaving a disabled vehicle in such position.

- (b) The driver of a disabled vehicle shall, if possible, stop or push the vehicle off the paved or improved part of the main traveled part of the right-of-way. Whenever any peace officer finds a vehicle standing upon such right-of-way in violation of this section or disabled, such officer is authorized to remove the vehicle or to cause the driver or other person in charge of the vehicle to remove the vehicle.
- (c) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-603. Stopping or standing prohibited during certain hours and days.

When signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall park a vehicle between the hours specified in this section on certain days at any of the locations designed in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction:

- (1) No standing or stopping 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on any school day.
- (2) No standing or stopping 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- (3) No standing or stopping 9:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.
- (4) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-604. No stopping or standing at any time.

- (a) When signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall stop or stand a vehicle at any time at any of the locations designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-605. No stopping or standing except buses.

- (a) When signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall stop or stand a vehicle except buses at any time at any of the locations designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-609. School bus loading zones.

- (a) When signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall park any vehicle other than a school bus for the purpose of loading and unloading passengers between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on school days, at any of the locations designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction for a time exceeding 20 minutes.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-610. School passenger loading and unloading zones.

- (a) When signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall park any vehicle for other than the purpose of loading or unloading school passengers at any time or at the times specified in this section at any of the locations designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction:
 - (1) School passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. school days.

- (2) School passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. school days; no parking at all other times.
- (3) School passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. school days, 20 minutes only; no parking at all other times.
- (4) School passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. school days, 20 minutes only.
- (5) School passenger loading and unloading, 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. school days, 20 minutes only.
- (6) School passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. school days, 30-minute limit.
- (7) School passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., 30-minute limit.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-611. Bus loading zones.

- (a) When signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall park any vehicle, other than a bus for the purpose of loading or unloading passengers at any of the locations designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction.
 - (1) If days and times are indicated on the sign, bus loading and unloading is allowed only during those dates and times.
 - (2) Unless posted otherwise, such bus shall not park for such purpose for a time exceeding 20 minutes.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-612. Passenger loading and unloading zones.

- (a) When signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall park any vehicle for other than the purpose of loading or unloading passengers at any time or at the times specified in this section at any of the locations designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction:
 - (1) Passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.
 - (2) Passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, 20 minutes only.
 - (3) Passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.
 - (4) Passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., 20 minutes only, Monday through Friday.
 - (5) Passenger loading and unloading, ten minutes only.
 - (6) Passenger loading and unloading, 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., 20 minutes only.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-613. Taxicab stands.

(a) No person shall stop, stand, or park a vehicle other than a taxicab in a taxicab stand designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction and

appropriately signed, except that the driver of a passenger vehicle may temporarily stop therein for the purpose of and while actually engaged in loading or unloading passengers when stopping does not interfere with any taxicab waiting to enter or about to enter the zone.

(b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-613.02. Parking in spaces designated for city of Des Moines municipal employee permit parking.

- (a) When official signs are erected, no person shall park a vehicle in a parking space designated as a space for city of Des Moines municipal employee permit parking unless the vehicle properly displays a municipal employee parking permit.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-614. Parking spaces for police department personnel.

- (a) When official signs are erected no person except police department personnel shall park a vehicle in those spaces and at those locations designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-620. Parking spaces for sheriffs.

- (a) When official signs are erected no person except sheriffs shall park a vehicle in those spaces and at those locations designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-621. Parking spaces for office of clerk of district court.

- (a) When official signs are erected it shall be unlawful for any person except assigned employees of the clerk of the district court to park a vehicle in those spaces and at those locations designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-623. Parking spaces for United States Marshals.

- (a) When official signs are erected, no person except United States Marshals shall park a vehicle in those spaces and at those locations designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-624. Parking spaces for Department of the Treasury.

- (a) When official signs are erected no person except Department of the Treasury officials shall park a vehicle in those spaces and at those locations designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-625. One-hour parking between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

- (a) Subject to all other sections of this article and when signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall park a vehicle continuously in any one block for more than one hour between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., except Sundays, New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day, at any of the locations designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-626. Two-hour parking.

- (a) Subject to all other sections of this chapter and when signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall park a vehicle continuously in any one block for more than two hours at any of the locations designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-627. Two-hour parking between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

- (a) Subject to all other sections of this chapter and when signs are erected giving notice thereof, no person shall park a vehicle continuously in any one block for more than two hours between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., except Sundays, New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day, at any of the locations designated in division 9 of article XVI of this chapter as subject to such restriction.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-628.01. Parking in municipal buildings.

- (a) No person shall park any vehicle across any line or marking or in an area designated as a public parking space in a city-owned or controlled parking garage or city-owned or controlled parking lot in such a manner that the vehicle shall not be entirely within the parking area designated by lines, markings or traffic control signing which indicates the limits of a designated parking space.
- (b) A person who violates such provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-630. Prohibited within certain downtown areas between 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.

(a) No person shall stop, stand or park a vehicle for the purpose of unloading and delivering or picking up and loading of any articles or materials of any kind, between the hours of

- 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m., upon any of the streets within the boundary of the downtown area, not including alleys, as set forth in subsection (b) of this section.
- (b) The downtown area shall be an area commencing at the southwest corner of the intersection of Sixteenth Street and Mulberry Street; thence easterly along the south curbline of Mulberry Street to the southwest corner of the intersection of Fifth Avenue and Mulberry Street; thence southerly along the west curbline of Fifth Avenue to the southwest corner of the intersection of Fifth Avenue and Court Avenue; thence easterly along the south curbline of Court Avenue to the west bank of the Des Moines River; thence northerly to Center Street; thence westerly along the north curbline of Center Street to the northwest corner of Ninth Street and Center Street; thence southerly along the west curbline of Ninth Street to the northwest corner of the intersection of Ninth Street and High Street, thence westerly along the north curbline of High Street to the northwest corner of the intersection of High Street and Ingersoll Avenue; thence westerly along the north curbline of Ingersoll Avenue to the northwest corner of the intersection of Eighteenth Street and Ingersoll Avenue; thence southerly along the west curbline of Eighteenth Street to the southwest corner of the intersection of Eighteenth Street and Locust Street; thence easterly along the south curbline of Locust Street to the southwest corner of the intersection of Locust Street and Sixteenth Street; thence southerly along the west curbline of Sixteenth Street to the point of beginning.
- (c) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-640. Designation of parking spaces.

The city traffic engineer may apportion the appropriate parts of the streets in the parking meter district into individual metered parking spaces and may cause such parking spaces to be designated by meters or appropriate signage placed on the sidewalk or border area of the street. No vehicle shall be parked which is not entirely within the limits of the space adjacent to the parking meter or appropriate signage. The city traffic engineer may cause the removal of any parking meter or signage placed for any parking space.

Sec. 114-641. Installation, construction and maintenance of meters.

In the parking meter district the city traffic engineer shall cause parking meters or appropriate signage to be installed for the metered parking spaces designated in section 114-640 of this division. The parking meters may be either multi-space parking meters or pay stations or be single space parking meters and shall be devices that take payment and measure the permissible, predetermined metered time for permitted parking. Metered time is credited to an individual metered parking space for payment of the applicable parking rate and such metered time runs continuously from the time of payment until expiration. The city traffic engineer shall be responsible for the regulation, control, operation, maintenance and use of parking meters. Each device shall be constructed to display a record of legal permitted metered parking time for the metered parking space upon payment method. Each device or display record shall indicate when the lawful metered parking period has expired. The right of such vehicle to occupy such metered parking space shall cease upon expiration of the metered parking period.

Sec. 114-643. Parking meter rates and time zones.

(a) Three parking meter rate and time zones within the parking meter district designated as zone I, zone II and zone III shall be established and may subsequently be amended by resolution adopted by the city council. The parking meter rate and time zones may be comprised of contiguous or non-contiguous area. Zone I shall designate a peak pricing area and all zones shall designate the locations of handicapped meter parking spaces. The resolution establishing the parking meter rate and time zones together with all appended zone maps and descriptions incorporated therein shall be filed in the office of the city clerk. The following parking rates, peak pricing parking rates and maximum parking time limits for each zone are as follows:

Zone	Parking Rate per hour	Peak Pricing	Maximum Parking
		Parking Rate	Time Limit
		per hour	
<u>I</u>	<u>\$1.25</u>	<u>\$1.75</u>	4 hours
<u>II</u>	<u>\$0.75</u>	<u>None</u>	<u>None</u>
III	\$0.25	None	None

- (b) No vehicle shall be parked in a metered parking space in Zone I beyond the maximum parking time limit.
- (c) At the direction of the city traffic engineer, temporary reduced parking meter rates may be charged during all or any designated times of meter operation for any parking spaces for up to six months, as an incentive to attract additional parking customers during times when unused spaces are available. Such temporary reduced rates shall be charged only when a preliminary analysis has indicated that total parking revenues will increase at the parking spaces where such reduced rates are proposed. The implementation of temporary reduced rates shall be subject to the prior review and approval of the city manager and city attorney to ensure compliance with any financial obligations of the parking facilities system. Any time that temporary reduced rates are charged, the city traffic engineer shall conduct an analysis to determine the impact on actual revenues and shall terminate the temporary reduced rates if such rates have an adverse impact on actual revenues to the parking facilities system.

Sec. 114-645. Parking related fines.

A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00 unless otherwise provided.

Sec. 114-646. Use of parking spaces.

(a) No part of a vehicle shall be parked in a metered parking space parallel to the curb in a manner that infringes upon another metered parking space. No part of a vehicle shall be parked outside the designated lines or markings for an angled metered parking space. Payment shall be made for the total number of parking spaces occupied by a vehicle,

- with or without a trailer, that is too large to be confined to a single metered parking space and such vehicle shall be parked in a manner that occupies the least number of required metered parking spaces.
- (b) No motorcycle shall be parked in a metered parking space unless each motorcycle is parked with its rear wheel no further than 18 inches from the curb and the front of each motorcycle faces away from the curb. No motorcycle shall be parked in a metered parking space that is also occupied by a vehicle that exceeds two wheels. No part of a motorcycle shall extend outside the metered parking space.

Sec. 114-647. Injuring or tampering with meter.

No person shall deface, injure, tamper with, open or willfully break, destroy or impair the usefulness of any parking meter installed under this chapter. A person who violates this provision shall be guilty of a simple misdemeanor punishable under section 1-15 of this code.

Sec. 114-648. False or unapproved payment prohibited.

No vehicle may be parked in a metered parking space where a person has deposited or caused to be deposited any false or unapproved form of payment.

Sec. 114-668. Scope of division.

- (a) Parking of vehicles is limited in the locations specifically designated in this division between the hours stated for each location.
- (b) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Sec. 114-1104. Parking after hours.

- (a) No person shall park a vehicle or allow a parked vehicle to remain in any public park, cemetery, community center or city recreational facility, except during the park facility hours set for that property in section 74-101 or in violation of section 114-361.06 of this Code, unless special permission shall have been given by the parks and recreation director for such vehicle to remain there.
- (b) A violation of this section shall place such vehicle in the status of an illegally parked vehicle, and the vehicle may be dealt with pursuant to section 114-485.11 of this chapter.
- (c) A person who violates any provision of this section shall pay a fine of \$20.00.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect beginning July 1, 2025.

FORM APPROVED: Reagan Peterson, Assistant City Attorney

Connie Boesen, Mayor

Attest: I, Laura Baumgartner, City Clerk of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true copy of an Ordinance (Roll Call No. 25-0792), passed by the City

Council of said City at the meeting held on May 19, 2025 and signed by the Mayor on May 19, 2025 and published and provided by law in the Business Record on June 6, 2025. Authorized by Publication Order No. 13027.

Laura Baumgartner, City Clerk