PARKING AND TRAFFIC REGULATIONS

The following parking and traffic regulations are effective August 1, 2008 and are subject to change at any time with public notice. All vehicles parked on UAB property, owned or leased, must be registered with Parking and Transportation Services and must properly display the appropriate permit. Upon request, a vehicle may be legally parked only in the lot for which its permit is designated with the following exceptions:

– Vehicles displaying a valid nonremote employee permit may park in the nonresident lots of the designated permit for the registered owner of the vehicle
– Resident permits are valid in the nonresident lots (Lot 15) after 5:00 p.m.
– Lot 49 permits are honored in nonresident lots.

The privilege of parking a motor vehicle on the UAB campus is upon the condition that those persons operating or parking a motor vehicle on campus obey the parking regulations as explained in this handbook to he regulations are enforced by Parking and Transportation Services and the University Police Department to ensure close adherence to the rules providing maximum benefit to all parkers.

Parking and Transportation Services and the University Police Department are continuously working to improve traffic and parking conditions on campus. Any problem relating to parking on campus should be brought to the attention of the Parking and Transportation Services Department at 934-3513 or the University Police at 934-4434. Parking violation notification is made through the University Police Department at 934-4434. Each violation is handled in accordance with university policy.

The University Police have the authority to impound any vehicle as provided by law.

A. RESPONSIBILITY:

1. Violations are made in writing by the date indicated on the citation. The decision of the Appeals Panel is final.
2. In cases involving repeated willful violations, unusually flagrant violations, and/or injuring or endangering the safety of persons or property.
3. Abandonment of an impounded vehicle for five or more days.

B. REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES:

The Parking Office, located in the Remote Parking Facility, 608 8th Street South, is open for vehicle registration Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Requirements for registration as an employee/student parking patron are as follows:

1. Payment of parking fee or arrangements for payroll deduction or student billing
2. A valid employee/student ID number
3. The hang tag permit may be transferred to any car the registered parker is driving.
4. All parking materials remain property of UAB.
5. Lost hang tag permits may only be replaced by purchasing a new permit at full fee unless the request for replacement is made within 14 days of the loss of the hang tag permit
6. All parking materials remain property of UAB.

C. PERMITS:

1. Only one hang tag permit may be issued to each registered parker.
2. The car of primary use must be registered with parking office.
3. The hang tag permit may be transferred to any car the registered parker is driving.
4. Parking offices display one hang tag permit on all vehicles in parking lots.
5. Lost hang tag permits may only be replaced by purchasing a new permit at full fee unless the request for replacement is made within 14 days of the loss of the hang tag permit
6. Use of a hang tag permit acquired through fraudulent, or otherwise improper means may be considered theft of service from the University of Alabama at Birmingham.
7. All parking materials remain property of UAB.

D. MOTORCycles/Bicycles:

Motorcycles are subject to all regulations governing general parking areas on campus. Bicycles will not be allowed in University buildings. Bicycles in violation will be impounded at owners expense. This includes vehicles which are properly permitted.

E. CHANGE OF STATUS:

Bicycles will be parked in racks where they are provided. At buildings of the institution. These powers may be delegated to various University officials for the benefit of all parkers.

F. FEIGNING OF PARKING:

Before parking in a facility, please read the sign(s) at the entrance. Permit restrictions are listed on these signs.

If a vehicle is parked at a UAB facility without being moved for at least ten days, the giving of the appearance of being abandoned, it may be impounded at owners expense. This includes vehicles which are properly permitted.

G. VISITOR:

Free passes are provided for visitors to campus that need to park in areas reserved for visitors. (Lot 34-101-3)

H. HANDICAPPED PARKING:

Handicap parking spaces are allowable for vehicles displaying a valid handicap permit. These spaces are reserved for authorized persons only. These spaces will be marked and identified with the International Symbol of Access. They shall be used only by vehicles displaying a valid handicapped parking permit. The inability to find a legal parking space will not be accepted as a defense for violations.

I. AVAILABILITY OF PARKING SPACE:

Spaces within lots are not reserved but are available on a first come first served basis. The number of spaces within each lot or system is not adequate to accommodate all authorized vehicles. The inability to find a legal parking space will not be accepted as a defense for violations.

J. CONFERENCES, MEETINGS AND VISITORS:

Visitors to the campus who are attending conferences, institutes, workshops and meetings will be provided parking upon request from the sponsoring department, availability of space, and payment of applicable fees. University departments sponsoring such events are responsible for contacting Parking and Transportation Services in writing one week prior to the event to make the necessary arrangements. Event sponsors may request specific arrangements, but Transportation Services retains the option of making the final determination of assignments. Visit the website at www.parking.uab.edu for details or call 934-1013.

K. BUS SERVICE:

A valid MAX bus sticker is available through Parking and Transportation Services to all registered parkers. This allows free access to the campus MAX bus route that serves the remote area system. A copy of the bus route and schedule can be found online at our website at www.parking.uab.edu or contacting Transportation Services at 934-3513.

L. EMPLOYEE CAMPUS RIDE SERVICE:

The UAB Employee Campus Ride is available to all UAB employees for conducting official University business. For further information call 705-3294.

M. MOTORIST ASISTED ROADSIDE SERVICE:

Hours of operation: 6:30 a.m.-10:30 p.m. Monday - Friday. Call 934-6277 for this free service.

N. RESERVATION OF SPACE:

The University of Alabama at Birmingham reserves the right to set aside areas for special events, i.e., concerts, athletic events, parades, etc. in all University controlled parking areas (remote lots and the University ID card system). The University Reserver the right to temporarily block certain areas of streets and/or parking lots to facilitate repairs to same, without giving notice or prior notice to the general public.

O. ENFORCEMENT HOURS:

Parking permits are required in all lots 24 hours per day. Monday through Friday, with the exception of student lots 15 after 5 p.m. Other restrictions within the University of Alabama at Birmingham are as follows:

P. GENERAL REGULATIONS:

1. All City ordinances and State statutes governing the use of motor vehicles shall be observed at all times.
2. Parking permits must correspond to the proper parking zone and be displayed in the marked vehicle.
3. Motor vehicles must be parked in designated parking spaces in all campus parking areas. Parking on or over a line is a violation of regulations.
4. Only one vehicle is permitted to be parked on the grass or sidewalk and parking at or crossing a sidewalk is prohibited.
5. Parking is not allowed in designated handicap spaces or areas designated as such.
6. If a vehicle is found in violation of any of the above listed regulations and the identity of the person who is registered, the person in whose name the vehicle is registered shall be held responsible.
7. All parking regulations are consistent with these regulations, the instruction on the signs takes precedence.
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