



HANDICAPPED PARKING

INFORMATIONAL

PRESENTATION



TOWN OF BARNSTABLE
PARKING MANAGEMENT

Disabled individuals in the State of MA are eligible to apply for a Disabled Plate/Placard or a Disabled Veteran Plate.



Disabled Plate

- You must be a registered and titled owner of a vehicle to apply for a Disabled Plate or a DV Plate.
- A letter from the Veteran Administration must accompany your application for a DV plate.
- An Disabled Plate or DV plate is assigned to a registered and titled owner of a vehicle and may ONLY be used by that individual upon exiting or entering that vehicle when parking at HP locations.



Disability Placard



- Each disability placard is assigned to an individual and may be used in any private passenger vehicle.
- The disabled individual must be exiting or entering the vehicle for proper use of the placard.
- A placard holder *may not* park in a Handicapped space while picking up another person other than the person photographed on the placard.



HANDICAPPED PARKING HELPFUL REMINDERS

Do:

Display your placard while parking in a handicapped parking space.



Your placard should be hung from rearview mirror facing towards the front of the vehicle so the expiration date is visible.

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*you may use the privacy sleeve to cover personal information. **DO NOT** cover up expiration date.

Do:

Do park in the handicapped parking space within the lines



Don't:

Drive while your placard is hung from your rearview mirror.

Allow anyone to use your placard.

Park in striped access aisles.



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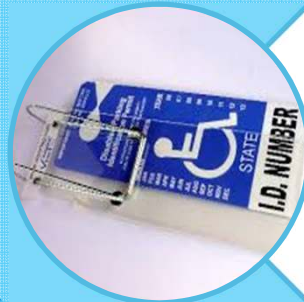


*violations will result in a citation and fines.



Helpful Reminders

- You are exempt from metered paying when you properly display your valid placard at a metered parking space on a public way.
- Placards do not exempt you from paying at a meter space on Public off-street parking lots.
- Lock your vehicle and close all windows when displaying your placard to protect it from theft.



*there are
adaptive aids
available online

Rules of the Road

Always park in a marked space

Do not park within 10' of a fire hydrant

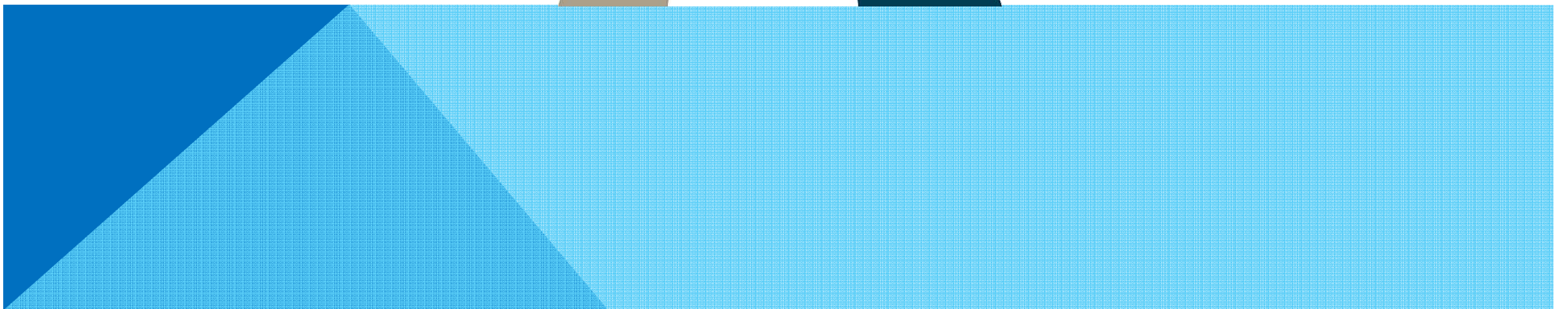
Always park facing with traffic

Do not park in a fire lane or a crosswalk

Do not park within 20' of an intersection

Do not park more than 12" from the curb.

And remember...



Have questions?

Need to report a
parking issue?

Please contact our
team at 508-862-4771

