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PARKING LOCAL LAW 2000**PART 1—DEFINITION AND OPERATION****1.1 Title and operation**

(1) This local law may be referred to as the *Town of Kwinana Parking Local Law 2000*.

(2) This local law will come into operation on the fourteenth day after the day on which it is published in the *Government Gazette*.

1.2 Repeal

(1) The Town of Kwinana Local Law Relating to Parking Facilities published in the *Government Gazette* on 22 November, 1991 and an amendment to that local law published on 16 October 1992 is repealed.

(2) The Town of Kwinana Local Law Relating to the Parking of Commercial Vehicles on Street Verges published in the *Government Gazette* on 6 November 1981 and an amendment to that local law published on 16 July, 1982 is repealed.

1.3 Definitions

(1) In this local law unless the context otherwise requires—

“**Act**” means the *Local Government Act, 1995*;

“**authorised person**” means a person authorised by the local government under section 9.10 of the Act, to perform any of the functions of an authorised person referred to in this local law;

“**authorised vehicle**” means a vehicle authorised by the local government, CEO, authorised person or by any written law, to park on a thoroughfare or parking facility;

“**bicycle**” means any wheeled vehicle that is designed to be propelled solely by human power;

“**bus**” means an omnibus as defined by the *Road Traffic Act*;

“**bus embayment**” has the same meaning given to it in the Code;

“**caravan**” means a vehicle that is fitted or designed to allow human habitation and which is drawn by another vehicle, or which is capable of self-propulsion;

“**carriageway**” means a portion of a thoroughfare that is improved, designed or ordinarily used for vehicles and includes the shoulders and areas, including embayments at the side or centre of the carriageway, used for the parking of vehicles. Where a thoroughfare has two or more of those portions divided by a median strip, the expression means each of those portions, separately;

“**centre**” in relation to a carriageway, means a line or a series of lines, marks or other indications placed at, or near, the middle of the carriageway or, in the absence of any such lines, marks or other indications, the middle of the main travelled portion of the carriageway;

“**children’s crossing**” has the same meaning given to it in the Code;

“**CEO**” means the Chief Executive Officer of the local government;

“**Code**” means the *Road Traffic Code 1975*;

“**commercial vehicle**” means a motor vehicle constructed for the conveyance of goods or merchandise, or for the conveyance of materials used in any trade, business, industry or work whatsoever, other than a motor vehicle for the conveyance of passengers, and includes any motor vehicle that is designed primarily for the carriage of persons, but which has been fitted or adapted for the conveyance of the goods, merchandise or materials referred to, and is in fact used for that purpose;

“**council**” means the council of the local government;

“**district**” means the district of the local government;

“**driver**” means any person driving or in control of a vehicle;

“**emergency vehicle**” has the same meaning given to it in the Code;

“**footpath**” includes every footpath, pedestrian access way, lane or other place—

- (a) intended for the use of pedestrians only, or in the case of a dual use path, for the use of pedestrians and bicyclists only; or
- (b) habitually used by pedestrians and not by vehicles or, in the case of a dual use path, by pedestrians and bicyclists and not by vehicles other than bicycles;

- “**form**” means a form in the Third Schedule to this local law;
- “**loading zone**” means a parking stall which is set aside for use by commercial vehicles if there is a sign referable to that stall marked “loading zone”;
- “**local government**” means the Town of Kwinana;
- “**median strip**” has the same meaning given to it in the Code;
- “**metered space**” means a section or part of a metered zone that is adjacent to a parking meter and that is marked or defined by painted lines or by metallic studs or similar devices for the purpose of indicating where a vehicle may be parked on payment of a fee or charge;
- “**metered zone**” means any thoroughfare or reserve, or part of any thoroughfare or reserve, in which parking meters regulate the parking of vehicles;
- “**motorcycle**” means a motor vehicle that has two wheels, or where a sidecar is attached, three wheels;
- “**motor vehicle**” means a self-propelled vehicle that is not operated on rails; and the expression includes a trailer, semi-trailer or caravan while attached to a motor vehicle, but does not include a power assisted pedal cycle;
- “**no parking area**” means a portion of a carriageway that lies—
- (a) between two consecutive signs inscribed with the words “No Parking”, or with an equivalent symbol depicting this purpose and each with an arrow pointing generally towards the other of them; or
 - (b) between a sign inscribed with the words “No Parking”, or with an equivalent symbol depicting this purpose and the end of the carriageway or an area in which parking is prohibited and that lies in the general direction indicated by an arrow inscribed on the sign;
- “**notice**” means a notice in the form of Form 1, Form 2, Form 3 or Form 4 in the Third Schedule to this local law;
- “**obstruct**” means to interfere with or impede or hinder the passage of any vehicle or person and ‘obstruction’ has a corresponding meaning;
- “**one-way carriageway**” means a carriageway on which vehicles are permitted to travel in one direction, only;
- “**occupier**” has the same meaning given to it in the Act;
- “**owner**” where used in relation to a vehicle, means a person who is the registered holder of the requisite vehicle licence under the Road Traffic Act in respect of that vehicle, or, if the vehicle is not licensed under that Act, the person who owns the vehicle or is entitled to its possession; and where used in relation to land has the same meaning given to it by the Act;
- “**park**” in relation to a vehicle, means to permit a vehicle, whether occupied or not by any person, to remain stationary for any period of time except for the purpose of—
- (a) avoiding conflict with other traffic; or
 - (b) complying with the provisions of any law when the vehicle is being driven;
- “**parking area**” means a portion of a carriageway—
- (a) between two consecutive signs inscribed with the word “Parking” or with an equivalent symbol depicting this purpose and each with an arrow pointing generally towards the other of them; or
 - (b) extending from a sign inscribed with the word “Parking”, or with an equivalent symbol depicting this purpose in the general direction indicated by an arrow inscribed on the sign, to any other sign inscribed with the words, “No Parking”, or with an equivalent symbol depicting this purpose, or to the end of the carriageway or an area in which the parking of vehicles is prohibited,
- and is on that side of the carriageway of the thoroughfare nearest the sign;
- “**parking facilities**” includes land, buildings, shelters, metered zones, metered spaces, parking stalls and other facilities open to the public generally for the parking of vehicles with or without charge, and signs, notices and facilities used in connection with the parking of vehicles;
- “**parking meter**” includes the stand on which the meter is erected and a ticket-issuing machine;
- “**parking region**” means that portion of the district which is specified in the First Schedule;
- “**parking stall**” means a section or part of a thoroughfare or of a parking station which is marked or defined in any way to indicate where a vehicle may be parked, but does not include a metered space;
- “**parking station**” means any land or other structure provided for the purpose of accommodating vehicles with or without charge, but does not include a metered zone or metered space;
- “**pedestrian crossing**” has the same meaning given to it in the Code;
- “**property line**” means the boundary between the land comprising a thoroughfare and the land that abuts thereon;
- “**public place**” means any place to which the public has access whether or not that place is on private property;
- “**reserve**” means any land—
- (a) which belongs to the local government;
 - (b) of which the local government is the management body under the *Land Administration Act 1997*; or
 - (c) which is an “otherwise unvested facility” under section 3.53 of the Act;

“**Residential Zone**” means land within the residential zone under the local government’s town planning scheme dealing with zoning;

“**Road Traffic Act**” means the *Road Traffic Act 1974*;

“**Schedule**” means a Schedule to this local law;

“**sign**” includes a traffic sign, inscription, mark, structure or device approved by the council on which may be shown words, numbers, expressions or symbols, and which is placed or erected on or near a thoroughfare or within a parking station or a reserve for the purpose of prohibiting, regulating, guiding, directing or restricting the parking of vehicles;

“**special purpose vehicle**” means a public utility service truck, a tow truck, a vehicle being used for official duties by a member of the Police Service, a motor breakdown service vehicle or a vehicle being used by a government authority or council in connection with its functions, but does not include an emergency vehicle;

“**symbol**” includes any symbol specified by Australian Standard 1742.11-1989 and any symbol specified from time to time by Standards Australia for use in the regulation of parking and any reference to the wording of any sign in this local law shall be also deemed to include a reference to the corresponding symbol;

“**taxi**” has the same meaning as “taxi-car” in section 47Z of the *Transport Co-ordination Act 1966*;

“**thoroughfare**” has the same meaning given to it in the Act;

“**ticket-issuing machine**” means a parking meter which issues, as a result of money being inserted in the machine or such other form of payment as may be permitted to be made, a ticket showing the period during which it shall be lawful to remain parked in a metered space to which the machine is referable;

“**trailer**” means any vehicle without motive power of its own, designed for attachment to a motor vehicle for the purpose of being towed, but does not include the rear portion of an articulated vehicle, or a side car;

“**two-way carriageway**” means any carriageway that is not a one-way carriageway;

“**vehicle**” includes every conveyance not being a train, vessel or aircraft, and every object capable of being propelled or drawn on wheels by any means; and

“**verge**” means the portion of a thoroughfare which lies between the boundary of a carriageway and the adjacent property line, but does not include a footpath.

(2) For the purposes of the application of the definitions “no parking area” and “parking area” an arrow inscribed on a traffic sign erected at an angle to the boundary of the carriageway is deemed to be pointing in the direction in which it would point, if the signs were turned at an angle of less than 90 degrees until parallel with the boundary.

(3) Unless the context otherwise requires, where a term is used, but not defined, in this local law and that term is defined in the Road Traffic Act or in the Code, then the term shall have the meaning given to it in that Act or the Code.

1.4 Application and pre-existing signs

(1) Subject to sub-clause (2), this local law applies to the parking region.

(2) This local law does not apply to a parking facility or a parking station that is not occupied by the council, unless the council and the owner or occupier of that facility or station have agreed in writing that this local law will apply to that facility or station.

(3) The agreement referred to in sub-clause (2) may be made on such terms and conditions as the parties may agree.

(4) Where a parking facility or a parking station is identified in the Fourth Schedule, then the facility or station shall be deemed to be a parking station to which this local law applies and it shall not be necessary to prove that it is the subject of an agreement referred to in sub-clause (2).

(5) A sign that—

(a) was erected by the council or the Commissioner of Main Roads prior to the coming into operation of this local law; and

(b) relates to the parking of vehicles within the parking region,

shall be deemed for the purposes of this local law to have been erected by the council under the authority of this local law.

(6) An inscription or symbol on a sign referred to in sub-clause (5) operates and has effect according to its tenor, and where the inscription or symbol relates to the standing of vehicles, it shall be deemed for the purposes of this local law to operate and have effect as if it related to the parking of vehicles.

1.5 Class of vehicles

For the purpose of this local law, vehicles are divided into classes as follows—

(a) buses;

(b) commercial vehicles;

(c) motorcycles and bicycles;

(d) taxis; and

(e) all other vehicles not otherwise classified.

1.6 Application of signs

Where under this local law the parking of vehicles in a thoroughfare is controlled by a sign, that sign shall be read as applying to that part of the thoroughfare which—

- (a) lies beyond the sign;
- (b) lies between the sign and the next sign beyond that sign; and
- (c) is on that side of the thoroughfare nearest to the sign.

PART 2—METERED ZONES

2.1 Determination of metered zones

(1) The council may by resolution constitute, determine and vary and also indicate by signs, metered spaces and metered zones.

(2) In respect of metered spaces and metered zones, the council may by resolution determine, and may indicate by signs—

- (a) permitted times and conditions of parking depending on and varying with the locality;
- (b) classes of vehicles which are permitted to park;
- (c) the amount payable for parking; and
- (d) the manner of parking.

2.2 Parking fee to be paid

Subject to clause 11, a person shall not park a vehicle in a metered space unless the appropriate fee as indicated by a sign on the parking meter referable to the space is inserted into the parking meter.

2.3 Limitation on parking in metered space

The payment of a fee under clause 2.2 shall entitle a person to park the vehicle in a metered space for the period shown on the parking meter; but does not authorise the parking of the vehicle during any time when parking in that space may be prohibited in accordance with this local law.

2.4 No parking when meter is expired

Subject to clause 2.5, a person shall not leave or permit a vehicle to remain parked in a metered space during the hours when a fee is payable to park the vehicle in the space when the parking meter referable to that space exhibits the sign "Expired" or a negative time.

2.5 Suspension of requirement to pay fee

The council may from time to time by a resolution declare that the provisions of clauses 8 and 10 shall not apply during the periods and days specified in the resolution.

2.6 Vehicles to be within metered space

A person shall not park a vehicle in a metered space in a thoroughfare otherwise than parallel to and as close to the kerb as practicable and wholly within the space, provided that where a metered space is set out otherwise than parallel to the kerb the vehicle need only park wholly within the space.

2.7 Permitted insertions in parking meters

(1) A person shall not insert into a parking meter anything other than the designations of coin or banknote or such other permitted form of payment indicated by a sign on the parking meter.

(2) The insertion of a coin or banknote into any parking meter or the making of payment in such other form as may be permitted shall be effected only in accordance with the instructions printed on that particular meter.

2.8 Parking ticket to be clearly visible

A driver of a vehicle left parked in a metered zone which is regulated by a ticket issuing machine shall on purchasing a ticket from the machine for a period of parking, place the ticket inside the vehicle in such a position that the ticket is clearly visible to and the expiry time or time for which the ticket remains valid is able to be read by an authorised person examining the ticket from outside the vehicle.

2.9 One vehicle per metered space

A person shall not park or attempt to park a vehicle in a metered space in which another vehicle is parking.

2.10 No parking when hood on meter

Notwithstanding any other provision of this local law and notwithstanding any other sign or notice, a person shall not park a vehicle in a metered space if the parking meter referable to such metered space has a hood marked "No Parking", "Reserved Parking" or "Temporary Bus Stand" or equivalent symbols depicting these purposes, except with the permission of the council or an authorised person.

PART 3—PARKING STALLS AND PARKING STATIONS

3.1 Determination of parking stalls and parking stations

The council may by resolution constitute, determine and vary and also indicate by signs from time to time—

- (a) parking stalls;
- (b) parking stations;

- (c) permitted time and conditions of parking in parking stalls and parking stations which may vary with the locality;
- (d) permitted classes of vehicles which may park in parking stalls and parking stations;
- (e) permitted classes of persons who may park in specified parking stalls and parking stations; and
- (f) the manner of parking in parking stalls and parking stations.

3.2 Vehicles to be within parking stall on thoroughfare

(1) Subject to sub-clause (2), a person shall not park a vehicle in a parking stall in a thoroughfare otherwise than—

- (a) parallel to and as close to the kerb as is practicable;
- (b) wholly within the stall; and
- (c) headed in the direction of the movement of traffic on the side of the thoroughfare in which the parking stall is situated.

(2) Where a parking stall in a thoroughfare is set out otherwise than parallel to the kerb, then a person must park a vehicle in that parking stall wholly within it.

3.3 Payment of fee to park in parking station

A person shall not park a vehicle or permit a vehicle to remain parked in any parking station during any period for which a fee is payable unless—

- (a) in the case of a parking station having an authorised person on duty, the appropriate fee is paid when demanded; or
- (b) in the case of a parking station equipped with parking meters, the appropriate fee is inserted in the meter or the required payment is made in such other form as may be permitted.

3.4 Suspension of parking station restrictions

The council may by resolution declare that the provisions of clause 3.3 do not apply during periods on particular days in relation to particular parking stations as specified in such resolution.

3.5 Vehicle not to be removed until fee paid

A person shall not remove a vehicle that has been parked in a parking station until there has been paid the appropriate fee for the period for which the vehicle has been parked.

3.6 Entitlement to receipt

A person paying a fee at a parking station is to be entitled to receive a receipt on demand showing the period of parking covered by such payment.

3.7 Parking ticket to be clearly visible

A driver of a vehicle in a parking station which is equipped with a ticket issuing machine shall on purchasing a ticket from the machine for a period of parking, place the ticket inside the vehicle in such a position that the ticket is clearly visible to and the expiry time or time for which the ticket remains valid is able to be read by an authorised person examining the ticket from outside the vehicle.

3.8 Vehicle to be within parking stall in parking station

Unless otherwise directed by an authorised person, a person shall not park a vehicle in a parking station otherwise than wholly within a parking stall.

3.9 Parking prohibitions and restrictions

(1) A person shall not—

- (a) park a vehicle so as to obstruct an entrance to, or an exit from a parking station, or an access way within a parking station;
- (b) except with the permission of the council or an Authorised person, park a vehicle on any part of a parking station contrary to a sign referable to that part;
- (c) permit a vehicle to park on any part of a parking station, if an authorised person directs the driver of such vehicle to move the vehicle; or
- (d) park or attempt to park a vehicle in a parking stall in which another vehicle is parked but this paragraph does not prevent the parking of a motorcycle and a bicycle together in a stall marked "M/C", if the bicycle is parked in accordance with sub-clause (2).

(2) No person shall park any bicycle—

- (a) in a parking stall other than in a stall marked "M/C"; and
- (b) in such stall other than against the kerb.

PART 4—PARKING GENERALLY

4.1 Prohibition and regulation of parking by signs

The council may by resolution prohibit or regulate by signs or otherwise the parking of any vehicle or class of vehicles in any part of the parking region but must do so consistently within the provisions of this local law.

4.2 Restrictions on parking in particular areas

(1) A person shall not park a vehicle in a thoroughfare or part of a thoroughfare, or any part of a parking station—

- (a) if by a sign it is set apart for the parking of vehicles of a different class;
- (b) if by a sign it is set apart for the parking of vehicles by persons of a different class; or
- (c) during any period when the parking of vehicles is prohibited by a sign.

(2) A person shall not park a vehicle—

- (a) in a no parking area;
- (b) in a parking area, except in accordance with both the signs associated with the parking area and with this local law;
- (c) in a stall marked "M/C" unless it is a motorcycle without a sidecar or a trailer, or it is a bicycle.

(3) A person shall not park a motorcycle without a sidecar or a trailer, or a bicycle in a parking stall unless the stall is marked "M/C".

(4) A person shall not, without the prior permission of the council, the CEO, or an authorised person, park a vehicle in an area designated by a sign stating "Authorised Vehicles Only".

(5) In a loading zone, a person shall not—

- (a) park a vehicle other than a commercial vehicle which is being loaded or unloaded with goods; or
- (b) park a commercial vehicle which is being loaded or unloaded with goods for more than 30 minutes.

(6) In paragraph (b) of sub-clause (5) "goods" means an article or collection of articles weighing at least 13.6 kg and of which the cubic measurement is not less than 0.17 m³.

4.3 Parking vehicle on carriageway

Subject to the provisions of clauses 4.4, 4.5 and 4.6, a person parking a vehicle on a carriageway shall park it—

- (a) in the case of a two-way carriageway, so that it is as near as practicable to and parallel with, the left boundary of the carriageway and headed in the direction of the movement of traffic on the side of the thoroughfare on which the vehicle is parked;
- (b) in the case of a one-way carriageway, so that it is as near as practicable to and parallel with either boundary of the carriageway and headed in the direction of the movement of the traffic on the side of the thoroughfare on which the vehicle is parked;
- (c) so that at least 3 metres of the width of the carriageway lies between the vehicle and the farther boundary of the carriageway, or between the vehicle and a vehicle parked on the farther side of the carriageway;
- (d) so that it is not less than 1.2 metres from any other vehicle, except a motorcycle without a trailer, or a bicycle parked in accordance with this local law;
- (e) so that it does not obstruct any vehicle on the carriageway; and
- (f) so that it is entirely within the confines of any parking stall marked on the carriageway.

4.4 Vehicle to be wholly within parking area

A person shall not park a vehicle partly within and partly outside a parking area.

4.5 When parallel and right-angled parking apply

Where a traffic sign or signs associated with a parking area are not inscribed with the words "angle parking" (or with an equivalent symbol depicting this purpose), then unless a sign associated with the parking area indicates or marks on the carriageway indicate that vehicles have to park in a different position, where the parking area is—

- (a) adjacent to the boundary of a carriageway, a person parking a vehicle in the parking area shall park it as near as practicable to and parallel with that boundary; and
- (b) at or near the centre of the carriageway, a person parking a vehicle in that parking area shall park it at approximately right angles to the centre of the carriageway.

4.6 When angle parking applies

(1) This clause does not apply to—

- (a) a passenger vehicle or a commercial vehicle with a mass including any load, of over three tonnes; or
- (b) a person parking either a motorcycle without a trailer or a bicycle.

(2) Where a sign associated with a parking area is inscribed with the words "angle parking" (or with an equivalent symbol depicting this purpose), a person parking a vehicle in the area shall park the vehicle at an angle of approximately 45 degrees to the centre of the carriageway unless otherwise indicated by the inscription on the parking sign or by marks on the carriageway.

4.7 General prohibitions on parking

- (1) (a) This clause does not apply to a vehicle parked in a metered space or a parking stall nor to a bicycle in a bicycle rack.
- (b) Paragraphs (c), (e) and (g) of sub-clause (2) do not apply to a vehicle which parks in a bus emplacement.

- (2) A person shall not park a vehicle so that any portion of the vehicle is—
- (a) between any other stationary vehicles and the centre of the carriageway (double parking);
 - (b) on or adjacent to a median strip;
 - (c) obstructing a right of way, private drive or carriageway or so close as to deny a vehicle reasonable access to or egress from the right of way, private drive or carriageway;
 - (d) alongside or opposite any excavation, works, hoarding, scaffolding or obstruction on the carriageway, if the vehicle would obstruct traffic;
 - (e) on or within 9 metres of any portion of a carriageway bounded by a traffic island;
 - (f) on any footpath or pedestrian crossing;
 - (g) on a bridge or other elevated structure or within a tunnel or underpass;
 - (h) between the boundaries of a carriageway and any double longitudinal line consisting of two continuous lines or between a double longitudinal line consisting of a continuous line and a broken or dotted line and the boundary of a carriageway nearer to the continuous line, unless there is a distance of at least 3 metres clear between the vehicle and the double longitudinal line;
 - (i) on an intersection, except adjacent to a carriageway boundary that is not broken by an intersecting carriageway;
 - (j) within 1 metre of a fire hydrant or fire plug, or of any sign or mark indicating the existence of a fire hydrant or fire plug;
 - (k) within 3 metres of a public letter pillar box, unless the vehicle is being used for the purposes of collecting postal articles from the pillar box; or
 - (l) within 6 metres of the nearer property line of any thoroughfare intersecting the thoroughfare on the side on which the vehicle is parked.
- (3) A person shall not park a vehicle so that any portion of the vehicle is within 9 metres of the departure side of—
- (a) a sign inscribed with the words “Bus Stop” or “Hail Bus Here” or with equivalent symbols depicting these purposes unless the vehicle is a bus stopped to take up or set down passengers;
 - (b) a children’s crossing established on a two-way carriageway; or
 - (c) the nearest rail of a railway level crossing.
- (4) A person shall not park a vehicle so that any portion of the vehicle is within 18 metres of the approach side of—
- (a) a sign inscribed with the words “Bus Stop” or “Hail Bus Here” or with equivalent symbols depicting these purposes unless the vehicle is a bus stopped to take up or set down passengers;
 - (b) a pedestrian crossing or children’s crossing; or
 - (c) the nearest rail of a railway level crossing.

4.8 Parking on verges

- (1) A person shall not—
- (a) park a vehicle;
 - (b) park a commercial vehicle or bus, or a trailer or caravan unattached to a motor vehicle; or
 - (c) park a vehicle during any period when the parking of vehicles on that verge is prohibited by a sign adjacent and referable to that verge,

so that any portion of it is on a verge.

(2) Sub-clause (1)(a) does not apply to the person if he or she is the owner or occupier of the premises adjacent to that verge, or is a person authorised by the occupier of those premises to park the vehicle so that any portion of it is on the verge.

(3) Sub-clause (1)(b) does not apply to a commercial vehicle when it is being loaded or unloaded with reasonable expedition with goods, merchandise or materials collected from or delivered to the premises adjacent to the portion of the verge on which the commercial vehicle is parked, provided no obstruction is caused to the passage of any vehicle or person using a carriageway or a footpath.

4.9 Limitation on parking of heavy vehicles on carriageway

A person shall not park a vehicle having a tare in excess of 2,000 kilograms on a carriageway for more than 2 hours consecutively.

4.10 Limitation on parking of over length vehicles on carriageway

A person shall not park a vehicle or any combination of vehicles that together with anything in or on that vehicle is more than 8 metres in length, on a carriageway for more than 2 hours consecutively.

4.11 Directions by authorised persons

The driver of a vehicle shall not park that vehicle on any part of a thoroughfare in contravention of this local law after an authorised person has directed the driver to move it.

4.12 Authorised person may mark tyres

(1) An authorised person may mark a tyre or tyres of a vehicle parked in a parking facility with chalk or any other non-indelible substance for any purpose connected with or arising out of the authorised person’s duties or powers.

(2) A person shall not remove or interfere with any mark made by an authorised person so that the purpose of affixing of any such mark is defeated or is likely to be defeated.

4.13 No movement of vehicles to avoid time limitation

(1) Where the parking of vehicles in a parking facility is permitted for a limited time, a person shall not move a vehicle within the parking facility so that the total time of parking exceeds the maximum time allowed for parking in the parking facility.

(2) Where the parking of vehicles in a thoroughfare is permitted for a limited time, a person shall not move a vehicle along that thoroughfare so that the total time of parking exceeds the maximum time permitted, unless the vehicle has first been removed from the thoroughfare for at least 2 hours.

4.14 No parking of vehicles exposed for sale and in other circumstances

A person shall not park a vehicle on any portion of a thoroughfare—

- (a) for the purpose of exposing it for sale;
- (b) if that vehicle is not licensed under the *Road Traffic Act*;
- (c) if that vehicle is a trailer or a caravan unattached to a motor vehicle;
- (d) for the purpose of effecting repairs to it, other than the minimum repairs necessary to enable the vehicle to be moved to a place other than a thoroughfare; or
- (e) for the purpose of wrecking the vehicle or sale of parts of the vehicle.

4.15 Parking on private land

(1) In this clause, a reference to “land” does not include land—

- (a) which belongs to the local government;
- (b) of which the local government is the management body under the *Land Administration Act 1997*;
- (c) which is an “otherwise unvested facility” within section 3.53 of the Act;
- (d) which is the subject of an agreement referred to in clause 4 (2); or
- (e) which is identified in the Fourth Schedule.

(2) A person shall not park a vehicle on land without the consent of the owner or occupier of the land on which the vehicle is parked.

(3) Where the owner or occupier of the land, by a sign referable to that land or otherwise, consents to the parking of vehicles of a specified class or classes on the land for a limited period, a person shall not park a vehicle on the land otherwise than in accordance with the consent.

4.16 Parking on reserves

No person other than an employee of the local government in the course of his or her duties, or a person authorised by the local government, shall drive or park a vehicle upon or over any portion of a reserve other than upon an area specifically set aside for that purpose.

4.17 Suspension of parking limitations for urgent, essential or official duties

(1) Where by a sign the parking of vehicles is permitted for a limited time on a portion of a thoroughfare or parking facility, the council, the CEO or an authorised person may, subject to the Code, permit a person to park a vehicle in that portion of the thoroughfare or parking facility for longer than the permitted time in order that the person may carry out urgent, essential or official duties.

(2) Where permission is granted under sub-clause (1), the council, the CEO or an authorised person may prohibit the use by any other vehicle of that portion of the thoroughfare or parking facility to which the permission relates, for the duration of that permission.

4.18 Special event parking

(1) The local government may by use of signs, set aside any area for any period specified on the signs, for the parking of vehicles by persons attending a special event.

(2) A person shall not park a vehicle in a parking station or area set aside under sub-clause (1) during the period for which it is set aside unless a ticket purchased from, or issued by, the council in respect of the special event is clearly visible to and is able to be read by an authorised person from outside the vehicle.

(3) During the period referred to in sub-clause (1) any prohibition or parking restriction indicated by a sign as applying to that parking station or area shall not apply.

4.19 Vehicles prohibited in the Residential and Special Residential Zones

No person within the Residential and Special Residential Zones shall—

- (1) park for more than 4 hours consecutively;
 - (a) more than one commercial vehicle;
 - (b) any vehicle which, due to its size or load, is not capable of being completely housed within a garage or building approved by council; or
 - (c) a vehicle which, together with its load, exceeds 3 metres in height;
- (2) repair, service or clean a commercial vehicle unless such work is carried out whilst the vehicle is completely housed within a garage or building approved by council; or
- (3) park or allow to remain stationary a commercial vehicle of a load capacity exceeding 2 tonnes.
- (4) sub-clauses (1) and (3) do not apply to a commercial vehicle when it is being loaded or unloaded with reasonable expedition with goods, merchandise or materials collected from or delivered to the premises or a commercial vehicle associated with building works being carried out on the premises.

PART 5—MISCELLANEOUS

5.1 Removal of notices on vehicles

A person, other than the driver of the vehicle or a person acting under the direction of the driver of the vehicle, shall not remove from the vehicle any notice put on the vehicle by an authorised person.

5.2 Unauthorised signs and defacing of signs

A person shall not without the authority of the council—

- (a) mark, set up or exhibit any sign purporting to be or resembling a sign marked, set up or exhibited by the council under the authority of this local law;
- (b) remove, damage, deface or misuse any sign or property, set up or exhibited by the council under this local law or attempt to do any such act; or
- (c) affix any board, sign, placard, notice or other thing to or paint or write upon any part of a sign set up or exhibited by the council under this local law.

5.3 Signs must be complied with

An inscription or symbol on a sign operates and has effect according to its tenor and a person contravening the direction on a sign commits an offence under this local law.

5.4 General provisions about signs

(1) A sign marked, erected, set up, established or displayed on or near a thoroughfare is, in the absence of evidence to the contrary presumed to be a sign marked, erected, set up, established or displayed under the authority of this local law.

(2) The first three letters of any day of the week when used on a sign indicate that day of the week.

5.5 Special purpose and emergency vehicles

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this local law, the driver of—

- (a) of a special purpose vehicle may, only in the course of his or her duties and when it is expedient and safe to do so, stop, or park the vehicle in any place, at any time; and
- (b) an emergency vehicle may, in the course of his or her duties and when it is expedient and safe to do so or where he or she honestly and reasonably believes that it is expedient and safe to do so, stop, or park the vehicle at any place, at any time.

5.6 Vehicles not to obstruct a public place

(1) A person shall not leave a vehicle, or any part of a vehicle, in a public place so that it obstructs the use of any part of that public place without the permission of the council or unless authorised under any written law.

(2) A person will not contravene sub-clause (1) where the vehicle is left for a period not exceeding 24 hours.

PART 6—PENALTIES

6.1 Offences and penalties

(1) Any person who fails to do anything required or directed to be done under this local law, or who does anything which under this local law that person is prohibited from doing, commits an offence.

(2) An offence against any provision of this local law is a prescribed offence for the purposes of section 9.16 (1) of the Act.

(3) Any person who commits an offence under this local law shall be liable, upon conviction, to a penalty not exceeding \$1,000, and if the offence is of a continuing nature, to an additional penalty not exceeding \$100 for each day or part of a day during which the offence has continued.

(4) The amount appearing in the final column of the Second Schedule directly opposite a clause specified in that Schedule is the modified penalty for an offence against that clause.

6.2 Averment on complaint as to clause 4 (2) agreement

An averment on a complaint that this local law applies to a parking facility or a parking station under an agreement referred to in clause 4 (2), shall be sufficient proof that this local law applies to that facility or station, unless there is proof to the contrary that such an agreement does not exist.

6.3 Form of notices

For the purposes of this local law—

- (a) the form of the notice referred to in section 9.13 of the Act is that of Form 1 in the Third Schedule;
- (b) the form of the infringement notice referred to in section 9.17 of the Act is that of Form 2 in the Third Schedule;
- (c) the form of the infringement notice referred to in section 9.17 of the Act which incorporates the notice referred to in section 9.13 of the Act, is that of Form 3 in the Third Schedule; and
- (d) the form of the notice referred to in section 9.20 of the Act is that of Form 4 in the Third Schedule.

First Schedule
PARKING REGION

The parking region is the whole of the district as altered from time to time under the Act, but excludes the following portions of the district—

- (a) the approach and departure prohibition areas of all existing and future traffic control signal installations as determined by the Commissioner of Main Roads; and
- (b) prohibition areas applicable to all existing and future bridges and subways as determined by the Commissioner of Main Roads; and
- (c) any thoroughfare which comes under the control of the Commissioner of Main Roads, unless the control of parking and parking facilities on that thoroughfare has been delegated by the Commissioner of Main Roads to the council.

Second Schedule
PRESCRIBED OFFENCES

Item No.	Clause No.	Nature of Offence	Modified Penalty
1	2.2	Failure to pay fee for metered space	\$50
2	2.4	Parking when meter has expired	\$50
3	2.8	Failure to display ticket clearly in metered zone	\$45
4	2.10	Parking contrary to a meter hood	\$45
5	3.3	Failure to pay parking station fee	\$50
6	3.5	Leaving without paying parking station fee	\$50
7	3.7	Failure to display ticket clearly in parking station	\$45
8	3.9 (1) (a)	Causing obstruction in parking station	\$45
9	3.9 (1) (b)	Parking contrary to sign in parking station	\$45
10	3.9 (1) (c)	Parking contrary to directions of authorised person	\$50
11	4.2 (1) (a)	Parking wrong class of vehicle	\$40
12	4.2 (1) (b)	Parking by persons of a different class	\$40
13	4.2 (1) (c)	Parking during prohibited period	\$50
14	4.2 (2) (a)	Parking in no parking area	\$50
15	4.2 (2) (b)	Parking contrary to signs or limitations	\$35
16	4.2 (2) (c)	Parking vehicle in motorcycle only area	\$35
17	4.2 (3)	Parking motorcycle in stall not marked "M/C"	\$40
18	4.2 (5) (a)	Parking in loading zone	\$40
19	4.3 (a)	Fail to park on the left of two-way carriageway	\$35
20	4.3 (b)	Fail to park on boundary of one-way carriageway	\$35
21	4.3 (a)+(b)	Parking against the flow of traffic	\$40
22	4.3 (c)	Parking when distance from farther boundary less than 3 metres ..	\$45
23	4.3 (e)	Causing obstruction	\$45
24	4.7 (2) (a)	Double parking.....	\$40
25	4.7 (2) (c)	Denying access to private drive or right of way	\$50
26	4.7 (2) (d)	Parking beside excavation or obstruction so as to obstruct traffic	\$45
27	4.7 (2) (e)	Parking within 9 metres of traffic island	\$40
28	4.7 (2) (f)	Parking on footpath/pedestrian crossing	\$50
29	4.7 (2) (g)	Parking on bridge or in tunnel	\$40
30	4.7 (2) (i)	Parking on intersection	\$40
31	4.7 (2) (l)	Parking within 6 metres of intersection	\$40
32	4.7 (3) (a)	Parking vehicle within 9 metres of departure side of bus stop	\$45
33	4.7 (4) (a)	Parking vehicle within 18 metres of approach side of bus stop	\$45
34	4.7 (4) (b)	Parking vehicle within 18 metres of approach side of pedestrian/ children's crossing	\$45
35	4.8 (1) (b)	Parking commercial vehicle, bus or caravan on verge	\$40
36	4.8 (1) (c)	Parking on verge contrary to sign	\$30
37	4.9	Parking vehicle with tare of over 2000 kgs for over 2 hours	\$50
38	4.10	Parking over length vehicle in excess of 2 hours	\$50
39	4.11	Parking contrary to direction of authorised person	\$50
40	4.14 (b)	Parking an unlicensed vehicle on thoroughfare	\$35
41	4.14 (c)	Parking a trailer/caravan on a thoroughfare	\$35
42	4.15 (2)	Parking on land that is not a parking facility without consent	\$50
43	4.15 (3)	Parking on land not in accordance with consent	\$35

Item No.	Clause No.	Nature of Offence	Modified Penalty
44	4.18	Failure to display ticket in parking station or area set aside	\$45
45	4.16	Driving or parking on reserve	\$35
46	4.19 (1)(a)	Parking more than one commercial vehicle in excess of 4 hours in a Residential or Special Residential Zone	\$60
47	4.19 (1)(b)	Parking oversize vehicle in excess of 4 hours in a Residential or Special Residential Zone	\$60
48	4.19 (1)(c)	Parking vehicle over 3m in height in excess of 4 hours in a Residential or Special Residential Zone	\$60
49	4.19 (2)	Repairing, servicing or cleaning commercial vehicle other than in a garage or building in a Residential or Special Residential Zone	\$45
50	4.19 (3)	Parking commercial vehicle exceeding 2 tonnes load capacity in a Residential or Special Residential Zone.	\$60
51	5.6 (1)	Leaving vehicle so as to obstruct a public place	\$45
52		All other offences not specified	\$30

Third Schedule

Local Government Act 1995

Form 1

TOWN OF KWINANA PARKING LOCAL LAW 2000

NOTICE TO OWNER OF VEHICLE INVOLVED IN OFFENCE

Date:...../...../.....

TO:

OF:

It is alleged that on/...../..... at am/pm

at.....your vehicle

VEHICLE DETAILS:

Make:

Model:

Registration:

was involved in the commission of the following offence:

contrary to clause..... of the **Town of Kwinana Parking Local Law 2000**.

You are required under section 9.13 of the Local Government Act 1995 to identify the person who was the driver or person in charge of the vehicle at the time when the offence is alleged to have been committed.

If you do not prove otherwise, you will be deemed to have committed the offence unless—

- (a) within 28 days after being served with this notice;
 - (i) you inform the Chief Executive Officer or another authorised officer of the Town of Kwinana as to the identity and address of the person who was the driver or person in charge of the vehicle at the time the offence is alleged to have been committed; and
 - (ii) you satisfy the Chief Executive Officer that the vehicle had been stolen, or was being unlawfully used, at the time the offence is alleged to have been committed;

or

- (b) you were given an infringement notice for the alleged offence and the modified penalty specified in it is paid within 28 days after the notice was given or such further time as is allowed.

.....(Signature of authorised person)

.....(Full Name).....(Title)

Third Schedule

Local Government Act 1995

Form 2

TOWN OF KWINANA PARKING LOCAL LAW 2000

INFRINGEMENT NOTICE

TO:SERIAL NO:

OF:DATE:

It is alleged that on the...../...../.....atam/pm
at.....

in respect of the following vehicle:

Make:

Model:

Registration:

you committed the following offence:

contrary to clause.....of the **Town of Kwinana Parking Local Law 2000**.

The modified penalty prescribed for this offence is \$

If you do not wish to have a complaint of the alleged offence heard and determined by a Court, the amount of the modified penalty may be paid to an authorised person at the Town of Kwinana Administration Centre, cnr Gilmore Avenue & Sulphur Road, Kwinana within a period of 28 days of the date of the service of this notice.

If you take no action this infringement notice may be registered with the Fines Enforcement Registry, after which your driver's licence or any vehicle licence held by you may be suspended. If the matter is registered with the Registry, additional costs will also be payable.

If the above address is not your current address, or if you change your address, it is important that you advise us immediately. Failure to do so may result in your driver's licence or any vehicle licence you hold being suspended without your knowledge.

..... (Signature of authorised person)

.....(Full Name)(Title)

Third Schedule

Local Government Act 1995

Form 3

TOWN OF KWINANA PARKING LOCAL LAW 2000

INFRINGEMENT NOTICE

TO:SERIAL NO:

OF:DATE:

(Not to be completed where notice is attached to or left in or on the vehicle)

It is alleged that on the...../...../.....atam/pm
at.....

in respect of the following vehicle:

Make:

Model:

Registration:

you committed the following offence:

contrary to clause..... of the **Town of Kwinana Parking and Parking Facilities Local Law 2000**.

The modified penalty prescribed for this offence is \$.....

If you do not wish to have a complaint of the alleged offence heard and determined by a Court, the amount of the modified penalty may be paid to an authorised person at the Town of Kwinana Administration Centre, cnr Gilmore Avenue & Sulphur Road, Kwinana within a period of 28 days of the date of the service of this notice.

Unless, within 28 days after the date of the service of this notice—

- (a) you pay the modified penalty; or

- (b) you;
 - (i) inform the Chief Executive Officer or an authorised officer of the council, as to the identity and address of the person who was the driver or person in charge of the above vehicle at the time the offence is alleged to have been committed; or
 - (ii) satisfy the Chief Executive Officer of the council that the above vehicle had been stolen or was being unlawfully used at the time the offence is alleged to have been committed,
 you will, in the absence of proof to the contrary, be deemed to have committed the above offence and Court proceedings may be instituted against you.

If you take no action this infringement notice may be registered with the Fines Enforcement Registry, after which your driver's licence or any vehicle licence held by you may be suspended. If the matter is registered with the Registry, additional costs will also be payable.

If the above address is not your current address, or if you change your address, it is important that you advise us immediately. Failure to do so may result in your driver's licence or any vehicle licence you hold being suspended without your knowledge.

..... (Signature of authorised person)
(Full Name)(Title)

Third Schedule

Local Government Act 1995
 Form 4

TOWN OF KWINANA PARKING LOCAL LAW 2000
WITHDRAWAL OF INFRINGEMENT NOTICE

TO: SERIAL NO:
 OF: DATE:

Infringement Notice No: dated:.....

in respect of the following vehicle:

Make:

Model:

Registration:

for the alleged offence of:

has been withdrawn.

The modified penalty of \$.....

* has been paid and a refund is enclosed.

* has not been paid and should not be paid.

** delete as appropriate*

..... (Signature of authorised person)
(Full Name)(Title)

Fourth Schedule

TOWN OF KWINANA PARKING LOCAL LAW 2000
PARKING STATIONS OF THE REGION

Station No. 1 Kwinana Hub Shopping Centre being part lot 3 bounded by Gilmore, Chisham and Challenger Avenues, Town Centre, Kwinana.

Dated this 8th day of November 2000.

The Common Seal of the Town of Kwinana was affixed in the presence of—

J. H. D. SLINGER, Mayor
 F. R. EDWARDS, Chief Executive Officer.



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