

ORDINANCE NO. 801
Replaces Ordinance No. 69

**AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF HIGHWAYS
WITHIN THE CITY OF NEW YORK MILLS, MINNESOTA, AND
IMPOSING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF.**

The Council of the City of New York Mills do ordain as follows:

Section 1. **PARKING TIME LIMIT.** The City Council may entirely prohibit or fix a time limit for the parking and standing of vehicles in any street, or streets and the parking and standing of any vehicle in any street, or streets for a period of time longer than fixed shall constitute a violation of this title. In addition: each period of time that any vehicle shall remain in any parking space beyond the period of time prescribed for such parking space shall constitute a separate and distinct offense. During the restricted parking period before twelve o'clock noon or the period after twelve o'clock noon, in any one day it shall be unlawful for any vehicle to be parked on the same side of the same street in the same block for a period or periods of time, the total of which time is greater than the period of time so designated for parking on such street.

Section 2. **PARKING – COLOR LEGEND. YELLOW.** The use of Yellow paint upon the curb of any street shall indicate that parking and standing of vehicles in entirely prohibited.

Section 3. **OWNER OF VEHICLE RESPONSIBLE FOR PARKING.** If any vehicle is found upon any street or alley in violation of any of the provisions of this title regulating the standing or parking of vehicles, and the identity of the driver cannot be determined, the owner or person in whose name such vehicle is registered shall be held prima facie responsible for such violation.

Section 4. **ANGLE AND PARALLEL PARKING.** Except where angle parking is permitted, each vehicle stopped or parked upon a two-way roadway where there is an adjacent curb shall be so stopped or parked with the right-hand wheels of the vehicle parallel with and within 12 inches of the right-hand curb.

The City Council may designate any street or portions of any street upon which vehicles shall be parked at an angle with the curb. All vehicles parked forty-five (45) degrees with the curb and with the right front wheel at the curb. The angle of said parking and parking stalls or spaces for the parking of vehicles shall be indicated by lines painted upon the pavement or curb, or both, and when so indicated, vehicles shall be parked within such stalls. The following described streets or portions of streets are hereby designated for angel parking:

1. Main Avenue from Centennial 84 Drive and Park Street, both sides.

Section 5. **TWENTY-FOUR HOUR PARKING.** It shall be unlawful for any person to park any vehicle, trailer, or combination thereof or to permit such vehicle, trailer, or combination thereof to stand a street for a period of time longer than twenty-four hours.

Section 6. DRIVING WITHIN SIDEWALK SPACE. It shall be unlawful for the driver of any vehicle to drive such vehicle within any sidewalk space, except, at a permanent or temporary driveway.

Section 7. RIDING ON OUTSIDE OF VEHICLE. It shall be unlawful for the operator of any vehicle to permit any person to ride on the hood, top or fenders of any motor vehicle, or to ride while sitting or standing on the doors or on the top of the seatback of any motor vehicle; and it shall be unlawful for any person to ride on the hood, top or fenders of any motor vehicle, or to ride while sitting or standing on the doors or the top of the seat-back of any motor vehicle.

Section 8. BACKING AGAINST TRAFFIC. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a motor vehicle other than in the same general direction as other vehicular traffic on the same side of the street or to back a motor vehicle, except a motor vehicle may be backed in moving it from an angle parking position, in moving it into a parallel parking position. In backing a vehicle as permitted in this section such vehicle shall be backed only when such movement can be made in safety and in backing into a parallel parking position such vehicle shall not be backed more than one and one-half lengths of such vehicle, including its parked position at the curb.

Section 9. OVERTAKING VEHICLES WITHIN STREET INTERSECTIONS. It shall be unlawful for the driver of any vehicle to overtake or pass another vehicle while proceeding in the same direction while traversing a street intersection.

Section 10. ANGLE PARKING ON OPPOSITE SIDE OF STREET. It shall be unlawful for the driver to angle park by crossing the oncoming lane of traffic and making a one-hundred and thirty-five (135) degree turn to park on the opposite side of street from which he was traveling.

Section 11. PENALTY. Any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished with a fine as identified in the city's fee schedule.

Passed by the Council this 9th day of July, 2024.

Marsha Maki, Mayor

ATTEST:

Julie Roberts, City Clerk Treasurer