

## Polk State College District Board of Trustees Rule

Rule Number	Subject	Rule Making Authority	Statutory Reference	SBE Rule Reference	Effective Date
6Hx21 2.18	Campus Parking Policy	FS 1001.64	FS 1001.64 (24)		1/25/16

The District Board of Trustees has established the following rule to govern parking within College boundaries. The President is directed to adopt procedures to implement this policy.

1. Designated parking shall be provided for people with disabilities, visitors, college employees, and motorcycles.
2. Parking decals will be issued to persons authorized to use designated College employee spaces.
3. Temporary parking permits may be issued by the Facilities department to persons requiring special parking considerations, such as, but not limited to, people with disabilities, news media, service persons, and those attending special group meetings.
4. All parking spaces not designated will be open parking.
5. Violations of this rule will be enforced to assure the orderly use of parking areas and will include the following:
  - a. Unauthorized vehicles parked in a reserved area
  - b. A vehicle parked in any area not designated as a parking space (example of this, but not limited to, fire lanes, driveways, lawn areas, sidewalks, entrance ways)
  - c. Any vehicle considered by College authorities to be abandoned
  - d. Vehicles parked in such a manner as to impede traffic, create a safety hazard, or be in conflict with the orderly operation of the College

6. The President is authorized to levy appropriate fines and impose penalties for violations of this rule. Enforcement procedures for this rule will include the following:
  - a. Vehicles parked adjacent to marked fire lane curbs will be towed without prior warning.
  - b. In certain extraordinary circumstances such as, or resulting from, an accident, fire, or an act of God, vehicles may be removed without prior warning.
  - c. Except as indicated in (a) and (b) above, a citation may be placed on a vehicle found illegally parked. A restriction may be placed on a student's record until the fine has been satisfied.
  - d. Repeated violations of this rule may result in the vehicle being towed.
7. Drivers or owners whose vehicles are towed as a result of a violation of this rule shall be liable for all expenses related to the towing.

## **History**

**Adopted:** November 22, 1976

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