

ORDINANCE NO. 2712

AN ORDINANCE to amend and reordain Section 3-2-354, Article S, Chapter 2, Title 3 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1981, as amended; which Title 3 relates to FINANCE, TAXATION AND PROCUREMENT, which Chapter 2 relates to TAXATION, which Article S relates to PAYMENT, CONTEST AND ENFORCEMENT OF PARKING CITATIONS and which Section 3-2-354 relates to PENALTIES FOR UNCONTESTED PARKING CITATIONS.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. That Section 3-2-354, Article S, Chapter 2, Title 3 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1981, as amended, be and the same hereby is amended and reordained to read as follows:

Sec. 3-2-354. Penalties for uncontested parking citations.

Any other provisions of this Code to the contrary, notwithstanding the penalty for a violation for which a citation is issued when the citation is uncontested, shall be as follows:

(a) If payment is tendered within 30 calendar days from the date the citation is issued:

(1) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-1, "Stopping contrary to directions of police officers;"

(2) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-2, "Permitting vehicle to remain parked contrary to the directions of an official sign;"

(3) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-3, "Right to parking space;"

(4) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-4, "Stopping so as to obstruct traffic or on crossing;"

(5) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-5, "Double parking;"

(6) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-6, "Parking trucks or commercial vehicles in residential districts;"

(7) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-7, "Parking of vehicles by businesses on streets;"

(8) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-8, "Parking for more than 72 continuous hours;"

- (9) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-9, "Parking trailers or recreational vehicles in residential districts;"
- (10) \$25.00 for a violation of section 10-4-10, "Parking on sidewalk;"
- (11) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-11, "Parking in alleys or courts;"
- (12) \$15.00 for a violation of section 10-4-12, "Parking of vehicles on private property;"
- (13) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-13, "Stopping for purpose of sale, repairs, etc.;"
- (14) \$25.00 for a violation of section 10-4-14, "Use of bus stops;"
- (15) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-15, "Stopping for loading or unloading passengers or cargo generally;"
- (16) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-16, "Permit for parking truck beside railroad car on public right-of-way;"
- (17) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-17, "Angle parking for loading and unloading;"
- (18) \$25.00 for a violation of section 10-4-18, "Use of loading zones;"
- (19) \$25.00 for a violation of subsection (a) of section 10-4-19, "Parking in spaces reserved for handicapped persons;"
- (20) \$7.00 for a violation of section 10-4-22, "How meter and space to be used;"
- (21) \$7.00 for a violation of section 10-4-23, "Overtime parking;"
- (22) \$7.00 for a violation of section 10-4-24, "Depositing coin in meter for purpose of extending time;"
- (23) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-25, "Permitting vehicle to remain parked at meter after expiration of time limit;"
- (24) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-28, "Parking across lines designating parking space;"
- (25) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-30, "Interfering with enforcement of division;"

(26) \$10.00 for a violation of section 10-4-33, "Use of metered parking lots by vehicles other than private passenger automobiles;"

(27) \$20.00 for a violation of section 10-4-34, "Parking illegally in permit parking district;"

(28) \$10.00 for a violation of section 5-8-114, "Designation of parking spaces; parking across lines;"

(29) \$10.00 for a violation of section 46.1-248(b) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended (incorporated into this Code by reference by section 10-1-1 of this Code), "Parking on the wrong side of the street."

(b) If payment is tendered after the expiration of 30 calendar days from the date the citation is issued, \$10.00 in addition to the penalty imposed by subsection (a) above for the violation for which the citation was issued; provided, that in the event the 30th calendar day from the date the citation is issued is a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, such additional penalty shall not be imposed if payment is tendered in the amount required by subsection (a) above on the next succeeding business day; and provided, further, that if such payment is remitted to the director of finance in a sealed envelope bearing a postmark on or before midnight of the 30th calendar day from the date the citation is issued, no such additional penalty shall be imposed.

Section 2. That the title of and an informal memorandum explaining this ordinance shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation published in the city not later than five days following its introduction together with a notice containing the time and place for a public hearing. The city clerk shall have the full text of this ordinance printed in sufficient numbers to supply copies to meet request. The city clerk shall note the date of introduction and first reading, the date of publication, the date of the public hearing, and the date of the second reading and final passage in the minutes of the meeting. This ordinance shall become effective January 1, 1983.

CHARLES E. BEATLEY, JR.
Mayor

Final Passage: September 14, 1982