

Disabled Parking rules in the City of Monterey

Disabled parking spaces are available in all off-street parking lots and garages. However, patrons who choose to park in these facilities are obligated to pay any applicable parking rates. This applies to both private and public off-street parking lots and garages.

Here is a list of privileges and limitations of the disabled parking placard or plate: of the placard:

Disabled Person Parking Privileges:

- In parking spaces with the International Symbol of Access (wheelchair symbol).
- Next to a blue curb authorized for persons with disabilities parking.
- Next to a green curb (green curbs indicate limited time parking). There is no time limit with a DP placard, DP license plates, or DV license plates.
- In an on-street metered parking space at no charge.
- In an area that indicates it requires a resident or merchant permit.

Disabled Person Parking Limitations:

- Vehicles may not park in the crosshatched pattern located next to a space displaying the International Symbol of Access (wheelchair symbol). The crosshatched sections of these spaces are for wheelchair and wheelchair lift access.
- Vehicles may not park next to red curbs, which indicate no stopping, standing or parking.
- Vehicles may not park next to yellow curbs or yellow top of the meters, which are for commercial vehicles to load and unload passengers or freight.
- Vehicles may not park next to white curbs, which are for loading and unloading passengers, or depositing mail in an adjacent mailbox, for longer than the 3 minutes.
- DP parking spaces are available in all off-street parking lots and garages. However, patrons who choose to park in these facilities are obligated to pay any applicable parking rates. This applies to both private and public off-street parking garages and parking lots. California Vehicle Code privileges for free parking with DP placards and license plates only apply to on-street parking.
- For privately owned off-street garages and parking lots which do not charge fees, vehicles with DP placards must abide by any posted ordinances or restrictions for those facilities.
- 72 Hour parking Limit: Vehicles are not allowed to park on the street, off-street parking lots and garages, in the same location, for more than 72 hours per Monterey City Code 20-72