

§5-406 CONFLICTING PROVISIONS.

Any provision of this article which becomes effective by declaration of the Mayor or his or her designated representative upon the occurrence of a snow emergency takes precedence, while temporarily in effect, over other conflicting provisions of law normally in effect, except that it shall not take precedence over provisions of law relating to traffic accidents, emergency travel of authorized emergency vehicles, or emergency traffic directions of a police officer.

§5-407 STALLED OR PARKED VEHICLES.

A. Members of the Police Department are hereby authorized to remove or have removed a vehicle from a street to another place or location on a street or to a lot, garage, storage yard, or other similar facility designated by the Police Department when:

1. The vehicle is parked on a snow emergency route on which a parking prohibition is in effect.
2. The vehicle is stalled on a snow emergency route on which there is a parking prohibition in effect and the person who is operating said vehicle does not appear to be removing it in accordance with the provisions of this article.
3. The vehicle is parked on any street in violation of any parking prohibition or provision of law contained in this article and is interfering or about to interfere with snow removal operations.

B. Such vehicle removal may be made by towing to the city automobile pound, or the Police Department may cause such vehicle to be removed to a private lot, garage, storage yard or other similar facility. Any such vehicle shall not be released therefrom except upon payment by the owner of the vehicle to the person or persons in charge of the lot, garage, storage yard or other similar facility for the costs of towing and storage. A receipt for such fees shall be issued to the owner of the vehicle.

C. It shall be the duty of the person or persons in charge of the lot, garage, storage yard or other similar facility designated by the Police Department to keep a record of the names of the owners of all vehicles towed in under the provisions hereof, together with the registration number of each vehicle, the nature and circumstances of each violation and the amount of fees collected hereunder. A report of each day's transactions shall be delivered to the Chief of Police not later than one day after the record is made.

§5-408 VIOLATION; PENALTY.

Any person who violates any of the prohibitions or any provision of any article or section of this chapter shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor. Unless otherwise specified in the particular article or section for which the person stands convicted of violating, the penalty for such violation shall be in any amount not to exceed \$100.00 in the discretion of the court.

