#### **ORDINANCE NO. 54-2018**

Presented by: Mr. Griffin

# TITLE: AMENDING CHAPTER 355 OF THE BARBERTON CODIFIED ORDINANCES

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 355 OF THE BARBERTON CODIFIED ORDINANCES REGARDING PARKING IN RESERVED SPACES IN MUNICIPAL PARKING LOTS.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Council of the City of Barberton, State of Ohio:

**SECTION 1.** That Section 355.02, which refers to the use of Municipal Parking Lots, which now reads as follows:

## 355.02 USE OF LOTS.

- (a) Municipal Parking Lots A, B, and C shall be utilized as a combined use for both reserved and public parking. Lots D, E, F, and G shall be used only for public parking. Except where specifically limited by this chapter, the Director of Public Safety shall have discretion in the assignment of reserved parking spaces and the time periods for which spaces are reserved. He shall cause Municipal lots to be properly marked and painted with appropriate signage depicting the location of reserved spaces and time restrictions. The Director of Public Safety may temporarily close any Municipal lot, or any portion thereof, to public use, due to special events or the temporary needs of the City.
- (b) Not more than thirty-seven parking spaces in Lots A, B, and C shall be designated and reserved for various City officials, employees, vehicles or special uses. Such thirty-seven spaces are in addition to those reserved for police use.
- (c) The two northernmost rows of parking located in Lot A shall be occupied and used for the parking of vehicles so reserved to the exclusion of all others, twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week. The balance of Lot A shall be utilized by the public and shall be limited to two-hour parking, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Saturday. Two spaces in Lot A shall be reserved for City Council purposes.
- (d) The two northernmost rows of parking located in Lot B shall be occupied and used for the parking of vehicles so reserved to the exclusion of all others between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The balance of Lot B shall be utilized by the public, restricted only as provided in Section 355.03.
- (e) The east row of parking located in Lot C shall be occupied and used for the parking of vehicles so reserved to the exclusion of all others between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The balance of Lot C shall be utilized by the public, restricted only as provided in Section 355.03.
- (f) On days of regularly scheduled Council meetings, the Director of Public Safety shall cause an adequate number of spaces to be designated and reserved for Council members from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. These spaces shall be located in Municipal Lot A, but in no event shall any of the spaces marked "Police" be used for such purpose.
  - (g) Spaces marked "Police" in Lot A shall be occupied and used only for the

parking of authorized police vehicles. These spaces shall be reserved for such vehicles twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week, to the exclusion of all others. The east ramp of the City Building shall also be reserved for police patrol car storage, with one space provided for the Municipal Building custodian.

- (h) Spaces marked "Reserved Space" shall be occupied and used only for the parking of the authorized person (or designee), and parking in properly marked reserved spaces is prohibited during business hours from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, and shall be subject to citation for violation.
- (i) No unauthorized person shall park in the Municipal Parking Lot in violation of any of the above restrictions.
- (j) The Police Division shall have the authority to tow all unauthorized vehicles parked illegally in any space designated reserved in accordance with this section.

## be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

#### **355.02 USE OF LOTS.**

- (a) Municipal Parking Lots A, B, and C shall be utilized as a combined use for both reserved and public parking. Lots D, E, F, and G shall be used only for public parking. Except where specifically limited by this chapter, the Director of Public Safety shall have discretion in the assignment of reserved parking spaces and the time periods for which spaces are reserved. He shall cause Municipal lots to be properly marked and painted with appropriate signage depicting the location of reserved spaces and time restrictions. The Director of Public Safety may temporarily close any Municipal lot, or any portion thereof, to public use, due to special events or the temporary needs of the City.
- (b) Not more than thirty-seven parking spaces in Lots A, B, and C shall be designated and reserved for various City officials, employees, vehicles or special uses. Such thirty-seven spaces are in addition to those reserved for police use.
- (c) Lot A shall be occupied and used for the parking of vehicles so reserved to the exclusion of all others from 6:00 am until 6:00 pm, Monday through Friday. Reserved space #1 shall be occupied and used for the parking of the vehicle so reserved and to the exclusion of all others 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Reserved spaces #28 and #29, (A.D.A. compliant) in the southern most row and closest to the driveway apron on W. Tuscarawas, shall be available to the public 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. One space in Lot A shall be reserved for City Council purposes.
- (d) The northern most row located in Lob B. shall be occupied and used for parking of vehicles so reserved to the exclusion of all others 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. The remainder of Lot B shall be open to the public and city employees working in the Municipal Building.
- (e) The east row of parking located in Lot C shall be occupied and used for the parking of vehicles so reserved to the exclusion of all others between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The balance of Lot C shall be utilized by the public, restricted only as provided in Section 355.03.
- (f) On days of regularly scheduled Council meetings, the Director of Public Safety shall cause an adequate number of spaces to be designated and reserved for Council members from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. These spaces shall be located in Municipal Lot A, but in no event shall any of the spaces marked "Police" be used for such purpose.
  - (g) Spaces marked "Police" in Lot A shall be occupied and used for the

parking of authorized police vehicles. These spaces shall be reserved for such vehicles 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, to the exclusion of all others. The east ramp of the Municipal Building shall also be reserved for police patrol car storage, with on space provided for the Municipal Building custodian.

- (h) Spaces marked "Reserved" shall be occupied and used for parking only by the authorized person or the authorized person's designee. Parking in property marked spaces by any other person is prohibited as specified in 1), b), c), d), and g) of this ordinance.
- (i) No unauthorized person shall park in any Municipal Parking Lot in violation of any of the above restrictions.
- (j) The Police Division shall have the authority to tow all unauthorized vehicles parked illegally in any space designated reserved in accordance with this section.

**SECTION 2.** That it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this ordinance were taken in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were meetings open to the public in compliance with the law.

**SECTION 3.** That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed	2018
Clerk of Council	President of Council
Approved	2018
	Mayor