

REPEALED BY ORDINANCE #151

77. AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE 62 CONCERNING THE PARKING OF VEHICLES IN THE CITY OF GROTON

(SEPTEMBER 3, 1991)

The Ordinance Concerning the Parking of Vehicles in the City of Groton, adopted September 15, 1986, is hereby amended by striking Sections 4.3 and 4.4 and substituting therefore the following:

Section 4.3

The penalty to be paid pursuant to Sections 4.1 and 4.2 above for the violation of any provision of this ordinance shall be the sum of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) per violation, provided however, that such payment is received by the specified City authority no later than one hundred twenty (120) hours from the time and date of the violation specified in said notice. If such payment is not received in such one hundred-twenty (120) hour period the penalty shall increase to the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) per violation.

Section 4.4

Any motor vehicle found parked in violation of any State Statute, or City of Groton Ordinance shall be towed, or immobilized, if such vehicle has parking liens against it in the amount of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) or more which have not been paid. Such vehicle may be immobilized in such a manner as to prevent its operation, except that no such vehicle shall be immobilized by any means other than by use of a device or other mechanism which will cause no damage to such vehicle unless it is moved when such device or mechanism is attached.

In any case wherein a vehicle is immobilized pursuant to this section, the person immobilizing said vehicle shall cause to be placed upon such vehicle, in a conspicuous manner, notice sufficient to warn any individual to the effect that any attempt to move such vehicle with the device or mechanism in place will result in damage to the vehicle.

The vehicle, if towed, shall be towed under the direction of a member of the City of Groton Police Department, to a public garage in the City of Groton, or if this is not possible to the next nearest public garage.

Before the vehicle is released to the owner, towing storage charges shall be paid, and, all parking tickets owed to the City of Groton shall be paid.

Any attempt to remove any immobilization device attached to a vehicle pursuant to this section shall be a violation of this section punishable by a fine of one hundred dollars (\$100.00).

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Effective date of this Amendment (Ordinance #77) shall be October 1, 1991.

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Catherine Kolnaski, Mayor



James C. Carlson, City Clerk