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#### GENERAL REGULATIONS

#### §101. DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION.

- 1. Words and phrases, when used in this Chapter, except for sections or parts to which different or additional definitions apply, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in The Vehicle Code, the Act of June 17, 1976, P.L. 162 No. 81, as amended, except that, in this Chapter the word "street" may be used interchangeably with the word "highway", and shall have the same meaning as the word "highway" as defined in the Vehicle Code.
- 2. The term "legal holidays" as used in this Chapter shall mean and include: New Year's Day, Martin Luther King's Birthday, Presidents Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day.
- 3. In this Chapter, the singular shall include the plural, the plural shall include the singular, and the masculine shall include the feminine.
- 4. Although the streets in the Borough of Bedford run generally in a northeast-southwest and a northwest-southeast direction, for the purposes of this Chapter, Juliana Street and the streets running parallel or generally parallel to Juliana Street shall be deemed to run in a north-south direction, and Pitt Street and the streets parallel or generally parallel to Pitt Street shall be deemed to run in an east-west direction.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

# §102. MANNER OF ADOPTING PERMANENT TRAFFIC AND PARKING REGULATIONS.

All traffic and parking regulations of a permanent nature shall be enacted as ordinances, as parts of ordinances, as amendments to ordinances, or as amendments to this Chapter, except where the law specifically authorizes less formal action.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §103. PROVISIONS TO BE CONTINUATION OF EXISTING REGULATIONS.

The provisions of this Chapter, so far as they are the same as those of ordinances and regulations in force immediately before the enactment of this Chapter, are intended as a continuation of those earlier ordinances and regulations, and not as new enactments. Nothing in this Chapter shall affect any act done or liability incurred, or any suit or prosecution pending or to be instituted under any of those repealed or superseded ordinances or regulations.

(Ord. 2-2<u>001</u>, 7/2/2001)

#### §104. TEMPORARY AND EMERGENCY REGULATIONS.

- 1. The authorized representative of the Borough of Bedford shall have the following powers to regulate traffic and parking temporarily and in time of emergency:
  - A. In the case of fire, flood, storm or other emergency, to establish temporary traffic and/or parking regulations; and,
  - B. In the case of emergency or to facilitate public works, or in the conduct of parades, processions or public events, to restrict or prohibit traffic and/or parking in limited areas for periods of not more than seventy-two (72) hours.
- 2. Such temporary and emergency regulations shall be enforced by the Police Department in the same manner as permanent regulations. Any person who shall operate or park a vehicle or tractor in violation of any such regulations, or who shall move, remove, destroy, injure or deface any sign or marking erected, posted or made to give notice of any such regulation, shall upon conviction thereof, be subject to the penalty set forth in the law or elsewhere in this Chapter for a violation of such nature, and, in case of a violation for which no specific penalty is set forth in the law or elsewhere in this Chapter, to a fine of not more than \$25 together with costs of prosecution.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §105. EXPERIMENTAL REGULATIONS.

The Borough Council may, from time to time by resolution, designate places upon and along the highways in the Borough where, for a period of not more than 90 days, specific traffic and/or parking regulations, prohibitions and restrictions shall be in force and effect, and shall designate such locations by proper signs and markings. Such regulations, prohibitions and restrictions shall be effective as if they had been specified in this Chapter. No person shall operate and no person shall move, remove, destroy or deface any sign or marking erected, posted or made by authority of this Section. Any person who shall violate any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction thereof, be subject to the penalty set forth in the law or elsewhere in this Chapter for a violation of such nature, and in case of a violation for which no specific penalty is set forth in the law or elsewhere in this Chapter, to a fine of not more than \$25 together with costs of prosecution; provided, the purpose of this Section is to allow for the test and experimental determination of the feasibility and desirability of permanent changes in the ordinances of the Borough of Bedford relative to traffic and parking.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

# §106. TRAFFIC ON STREETS CLOSED OR RESTRICTED FOR CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE OR SPECIAL EVENTS.

1. The Borough Council shall have authority to close any street or specific part of a street to vehicular traffic and to place barriers or station police officers at each end of the closed portion, while construction or maintenance work is under way or a special event is being conducted on the closed portion. It shall be unlawful for any person to drive a vehicle upon any such closed portion.

- 2. The Borough Council shall have authority to establish a restricted traffic area upon any street where construction or maintenance work is under way and to station flag-men at each end of the restricted portion. It shall be unlawful for any person to drive a vehicle upon any such restricted traffic area at any time when the flagman is displaying a sign directing that vehicle to stop, or is signaling that vehicle, by a flag or other device, not to proceed.
- 3. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §107. USE OF STREETS BY PROCESSIONS AND ASSEMBLAGES.

1. For the purpose of this Section, the words "assemblage" and "procession" shall have the following meanings:

**ASSEMBLAGE** - a gathering of people without vehicles, which interferes with the movement of pedestrian or vehicular traffic on any street.

**PROCESSION** - a group of individuals, vehicles, animals and/or objects moving along a street in a way that interferes with the normal movement of traffic. A procession shall not include a funeral caravan or military convoy.

- 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to hold or participate in any assemblage unless the person organizing or conducting the assemblage first obtains permission from the Parade Committee and the Council of the Borough of Bedford. Application for permission shall be made at least 30 days in advance of the day on which the assemblage is proposed to be held. The application shall state the place where and when the assemblage is to be formed, the route of the assemblage, the place and when the assemblage is to be dispersed and any other information deemed to be pertinent. It shall be unlawful for any person to hold or participate in any assemblage unless permission has been granted, or at any time other than that authorized by the Parade Committee or the Council of the Borough of Bedford.
- 3. It shall be unlawful for any person to hold or participate in any procession unless the person organizing or conducting the procession first obtains from the Parade Committee and the Council of the Borough of Bedford. Application for permission shall be made at least 30 days in advance of the day which the procession is proposed to be held. The application shall state the place where and when the procession is to be formed, the route of the procession, the place and when the procession is to be dispersed and any other information deemed to be pertinent. It shall be unlawful for any person to hold or to participate in any procession unless permission has been granted, or at any time or place other than that authorized by the Parade Committee or the Council of the Borough of Bedford.
- 4. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

#### §108. AUTHORITY OF POLICE OFFICERS.

The police officers of the Borough of Bedford are hereby authorized to direct traffic on the highways of the Borough and at intersections thereof and to otherwise enforce the provisions of this Chapter.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §109. AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OF SPEED TIMING DEVICES.

- 1. The Borough Police Department is hereby authorized to use all speed timing devices for the determination of speed of a motor vehicle as are approved or will be approved by the Department of Transportation of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with Title 75, Pa. C.S.A. §3368.
- 2. This Section authorizes the use of said devices upon all highways within the Borough be they Borough, county or State highways, and does also hereby elect to exercise all powers granted to "local authorities" under the Vehicle Code of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, 75 Pa. C.S.A. §6101 et seq., (1977), as hereafter amended, supplemented, modified or reenacted by the General Assembly of Pennsylvania.

#### TRAFFIC REGULATIONS

#### §201. MAXIMUM SPEED LIMITS ESTABLISHED ON CERTAIN STREETS.

1. Maximum speed limits are established on portions of specified streets, as follows, and it shall be unlawful for any person to drive a vehicle, on any part of a street where a maximum speed limit applies, at a higher speed than the maximum prescribed for that part of the street:

<u>Street</u>	<u>Between</u>	Speed Limit
Anderson St.	John St. and Penn St.	25 mph
Blackburn Ave.	Green Lane and southern Borough line	25 mph
Davidson St.	Pitt St. and Raystown Branch Juniata	25 mph
	River	
Fort Bedford Dr.	Juliana St. and Thomas St.	25 mph
Green Lane	Blackburn Ave. and King St.	25 mph
John St.	Anderson St. and West St.	25 mph
Juliana St.	Broad St. and Fort Bedford Dr.	25 mph
Limestone Ave.	Borough Line and Penn St.	25 mph
Watson St.	Grant St. and Meadowbrook Terrace	25 mph

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$35. Any person exceeding the maximum speed limit by more than five miles per hour shall pay an additional fine of \$2 per mile for each mile in excess of five miles per hour over the maximum speed limit.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §202. MAXIMUM SPEED LIMITS ESTABLISHED IN PARKS.

1. A speed of 15 miles per hour is established on all streets and roadways in the public parks maintained and operated by the Borough as follows:

<u>Park</u>	<u>Street</u>	Location	Maximum Speed Limit
Fort Bedford Park	Fort Bedford Drive	Juliana Street to West	15 mph
		Street	
Fort Bedford Park	Juliana Street	Pitt Street to Fort	15 mph
		Bedford Drive	
Fort Bedford Park	Thomas Street	Pitt Street to Fort	15 mph
		Bedford Drive	_
Fort Bedford Park	West Street	Pitt Street to Fort	15 mph
		Bedford Drive	_

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$35. Any person exceeding the maximum speed limit by more than five miles per hour shall pay an additional fine of \$2 per mile for each mile in excess of five miles per hour over the maximum speed limit.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §203. TRAFFIC SIGNALS AT CERTAIN LOCATIONS.

1. At the following locations, traffic signals as indicated below shall be erected (or are ratified if previously erected), and traffic at those locations shall be directed by those signals:

<u>Location</u>	Type of Signal
Penn Street and Juliana Street	Traffic Control Lights
Penn Street and Richard Street	Traffic Control Lights
Pitt Street and Juliana Street	Traffic Control Lights
Pitt Street and Richard Street	Traffic Control Lights
Richard Street and Sunnyside Road	Traffic Control Lights

2. Any driver of a vehicle who disobeys the directions of any traffic signal shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §204. ONE-WAY STREETS ESTABLISHED.

1. The following are established as one-way streets, and it shall be unlawful for any person to drive a vehicle on any one-way street other than in the direction established for traffic on that street:

<u>Street</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	Direction of Travel
Cameron Ave.	Central Way	W. Penn St. Ext.	Southwestbound
Central Way	Juliana St.	Lafayette Ave.	Westbound
Central Way	West St.	Cameron Ave.	Northwestbound
Fort Bedford Dr.	N. West St.	N. Thomas St.	Eastbound
Huntingdon Ave.	Vondersmith Ave.	Penn St.	Northbound
Lafayette Ave.	W. Pitt St.	Penn St.	Southbound
Limestone Ave.	W. Penn St. Ext.	West St.	Northeastbound
W. Penn St. Ext.	Cameron Ave.	Limestone Ave.	Southeastbound
N. West St.	W. Pitt St.	Fort Bedford Dr.	Northbound

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001; as amended by: Ord. 2010-4, 9/7/2010)

#### §205. TURNING AT CERTAIN INTERSECTIONS PROHIBITED OR RESTRICTED.

1. It shall be unlawful for the driver of any vehicle, of the type indicated, traveling upon the first-named street at any of the following intersections, in the direction or directions indicated in each case, to make a left turn and/or a right turn into the second-named street, as indicated, at any time when such a turn is prohibited by this Section:

<u>Vehicles</u>	Direction	Not to Make			Type of Vehicle
Traveling on	of Travel	<u>Turn</u>	<u>Into</u>	When _	Applicable To
Richard Street	South	Left	Pitt Street	Anytime	All

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §206. THROUGH HIGHWAYS ESTABLISHED.

1. The following highways are established as through highways, thus authorizing stop or yield signs to be erected facing traffic approaching every intersection with the through highway except for those intersections with traffic signals, or with exceptions or modifications as indicated below. Every driver of a vehicle approaching a stop or yield sign authorized by this section shall stop the vehicle or yield right-of-way as required by §§3323(b) or 3323(c) of the Vehicle Code, as the case may be, and shall not proceed into or across the through highway until he has followed all applicable requirements of that Section of the law:

<u>Highway</u>	<u>Between</u>	
Juliana Street	Pitt Street and Broad Street	
Penn Street	East Borough Line and West Street	
Pitt Street	East Borough line and west Borough line	
Richard Street	North Borough line and south Borough line	

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

### §207. STOP INTERSECTIONS ESTABLISHED.

1. The following intersections (in addition to intersections with the through highways established by §206) are established as stop intersections, and official stop signs shall be erected (or are ratified if previously erected) in such a position as to face traffic approaching the second-named street (the intersecting or through street) on the first-named street (the stop street) in the direction or directions indicated for that intersection. Every driver of a vehicle approaching the intersection on the first named or stop street, in the direction indicated in each case, shall stop the vehicle as required by §3323(b) of the Vehicle Code, and shall not proceed into or across the second-named or intersecting or through street until he has followed all applicable requirements of that Section of the law.

Stop Street	Through Street	Direction of Travel
Allegheny Avenue	Thomas St.	Westbound
Anderson Street	John St.	Southbound
Apple Avenue	Watson St.	Northeastbound
Barclay Drive	Echo Vale Dr.	Eastbound
Barclay Drive	Fyan Lane	Southwestbound

Stop Street	Through Street	Direction of Travel
Barclay Drive	Jefferson Rd.	Northeastbound
Bedford Street	John St.	Northbound and southbound
Bedford Street	Simpson St.	Northbound and southbound
Bedford Street	Watson St.	Northbound and southbound
Cambria Avenue	Bedford St.	Eastbound
Central Way	Anderson St.	Eastbound
Central Way	Bedford St.	Eastbound and westbound
Central Way	Cumberland Rd.	Northwestbound and
Contrar Way	Cumocrana Ita.	southeastbound
Central Way	East St.	Eastbound and westbound
Central Way	Huntingdon Ave.	Eastbound and westbound
Central Way	Lafayette Ave.	Eastbound and westbound
Central Way	Thomas St.	Eastbound and westbound
Central Way	West St.	Westbound
Central Way	Wood St.	Eastbound and westbound
Chamberlain Street	Spring St.	Northeastbound and
		southwestbound
Concord Drive	Forbes Rd.	Westbound
Concord Drive	Simpson St.	Southbound
Court Street	Watson St.	Southwestbound
Crestview Avenue	Blackburn Ave.	Northwestbound
East Street	John St.	Southbound
East Street	Watson St.	Northbound
Echo Vale Drive	Barclay Dr.	Northeastbound
Echo Vale Drive	Fyan Lane	Southwestbound
Forbes Road	Barclay St.	Southbound
Forbes Road	Oakwood Dr.	Northwestbound
Fyan Lane	Green Lane	Southeastbound
George Street	North St.	Southbound
Grant Street	Butler Ave.	Northbound
Green Lane	Lafayette Ave.	Northeastbound
Grove Lane	Bedford Street	Westbound
Hall Street	Blackburn Ave.	Southwestbound
Hall Street	Fyan Lane	Northeastbound
Hammer Street	Barclay St.	Northbound
Hammer Street	King St.	Southbound
Hibbs Drive	Crestview Ave.	Northeastbound
Hibbs Drive	Crestview Ave.	Northeast
Huntingdon Avenue	Central Way	Southbound
Huntingdon Avenue	Indiana Ave.	Northbound and southbound
Huntingdon Avenue	Mann St.	Northbound and southbound
Huntingdon Avenue	North St.	Northbound
Huntingdon Avenue	Railroad St.	Southbound
Huntingdon Avenue	Simpson St.	Northbound and southbound
Huntingdon Avenue	Somerset Ave.	Northbound and southbound
Indiana Avenue	Huntingdon Ave.	Eastbound and westbound
Indiana Avenue	Lafayette Ave.	Westbound
Jefferson Avenue	Butler Ave.	Northbound
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Stop Street	Through Street	Direction of Travel
John Street	Anderson St.	Westbound
John Street	Bedford St.	Eastbound and westbound
John Street	West St.	Westbound
Juliana Street	Mann St.	Northbound and southbound
Juliana Street	North St.	Northbound
Juliana Street	Railroad Street	Southbound
King Street	Barclay Dr.	Northwestbound
Lafayette Avenue	Barclay St.	Northbound and southbound
Lafayette Avenue	Central Way	Southbound
Lafayette Avenue	King St.	Northbound and southbound
Lafayette Avenue	Simpson St.	Northbound and southbound
Lafayette Avenue	Vondersmith Ave.	Northbound
Lafayette Avenue	Walnut St.	Southbound
Lafayette Avenue	Watson St.	Northbound
Limestone Avenue	West St.	Northeastbound
Lincoln Drive	Forbes Rd.	Southwestbound
Lincoln Drive	Union St.	Northeastbound
Mann Street	Railroad St.	Westbound
Penn Street Extended	Cumberland Rd.	Northwestbound
Preston Street	Blackburn Ave.	Southwestbound
Preston Street	Fyan Lane	Northeastbound and
		southwestbound
Preston Street	King St.	Northeastbound
Ritchey Avenue	Bedford St.	Westbound
Simpson Street	Forbes Rd.	Westbound
Smithfield Street	Watson St.	Northeastbound
Somerset Avenue	Huntingdon Ave.	Eastbound and westbound
Somerset Avenue	Lafayette Ave.	Westbound
Spring Street	Davidson St.	Southeastbound
Thomas Street	Barclay St.	Northbound and southbound
Thomas Street	John St.	Southbound
Thomas Street	King St.	Southbound
Thomas Street	Mann St.	Northbound and southbound
Thomas Street	North St.	Northbound
Thomas Street	Railroad St.	Southbound
Thomas Street	Simpson St.	Northbound
Union Street	Grant St.	Eastbound
Union Street	Jefferson Ave.	Westbound
Vondersmith Avenue	Anderson St.	Eastbound and westbound
Vondersmith Avenue	Bedford St.	Eastbound and westbound
Vondersmith Avenue	East St.	Eastbound and westbound
Vondersmith Avenue	Huntingdon Ave.	Eastbound and westbound
Vondersmith Avenue	Juliana St.	Eastbound and westbound
Vondersmith Avenue	Lafayette Ave.	Eastbound
Vondersmith Avenue	West St.	Eastbound and westbound
Vondersmith Avenue	Wood St.	Eastbound and westbound
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Stop Street	Through Street	<u>Direction of Travel</u>
Walnut Street	Green Lane	Westbound
Watson Street	Bedford St.	Eastbound and westbound
Watson Street	Watson St.	southwestbound
Watson Street	Watson Street/Smithfield Street	Northwestbound and
		southeastbound
Wilson Drive	Watson St.	Southwestbound
Wood Street	John St.	Southbound

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001; as amended by: Ord. 2006-1, 4/3/2006; Ord. 2010-2, 2/1/2010; and Ord. 2010-4, 9/7/2010)

#### §208. OPERATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES RESTRICTED ON PUBLIC LANDS.

- 1. No motor vehicle including a motorcycle, pedalcycle or minibike shall be operated on any property owned by the Borough or any other public agency or instrumentality within the Borough without the permission of the property owner and a permit from the Chief of Police of the Borough of Bedford.
- 2. Any person who violates a provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

### RESTRICTIONS ON SIZE, WEIGHT AND TYPE OF VEHICLE AND LOAD

#### §301. TRUCK TRAFFIC RESTRICTED ON CERTAIN STREETS.

1. It shall be unlawful for any person to drive a vehicle other than a passenger car on any of the following streets or parts of streets:

<u>Street</u>	<u>Between</u>
Juliana Street	King Street and Broad Street

<u>Provided</u>: nothing in this Section shall prohibit any person from driving an emergency vehicle on any of those streets or parts of streets, or from driving on any of those streets or parts of streets a truck or other commercial vehicle making local deliveries to or pickups from premises located along that street or part of a street.

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001; as amended by: Ord. 2012-4, 7/2/2012)

#### GENERAL PARKING REGULATIONS

# §401. VEHICLES TO BE PARKED WITHIN MARKED SPACES; VEHICLES TO BE PARKED IN THE PERMITTED DIRECTION OF FLOW OF TRAFFIC; UNLAWFUL TO PARK VEHICLES IN CERTAIN MARKED AND UNMARKED AREAS.

- 1. Wherever a space is marked off on any street, avenue, drive, lane, road or way for the parking of an individual vehicle, every vehicle parked there shall be parked wholly within the lines bounding that space, and it shall be a violation of this Part for any person to park a vehicle or allow it to remain parked otherwise.
- 2. All vehicles parked on any street, avenue, drive, lane, road or way, whether parking spaces are marked or not, shall be parked only in the direction of the permitted traffic flow for that side of the street, avenue, drive, lane, road or way, and it shall be a violation of this Part for any person to park a vehicle or allow it to remain parked otherwise. This shall not apply to the southern side of Penn Street between West Street and Limestone Avenue where perpendicular parking is permitted.
- 3. It shall be unlawful to park any vehicle at any time: which in any way will block the intersection of any street, avenue, drive, lane, road or way or the entrance or exit of any street, avenue, drive, lane, road or way; within the painted line area adjacent to any fire hydrant or within fifteen (15') feet of any fire hydrant if no painted line area exists, whichever is greater; within the painted line area marking the permissible distance to park from any intersection; in any area where erected signs or painted lines indicate a "No Parking" area; which in any way will block any public sidewalk, private or public driveway or access way to a parking lot, parking facility or other facility of the Borough and it shall be a violation of this Part for any person to park a vehicle or allow it to remain parked in any manner herein described.

(Ord. 2006-1, 4/3/2006)

#### §402. PARKING PROHIBITED AT ALL TIMES IN CERTAIN LOCATIONS.

Parking shall be prohibited at all times in the following locations:

<u>Street</u>	<u>Side</u>	<u>Location</u>
Central Way	Both	Between Anderson Street and
		Chamberlain Street
Clarion Avenue	Both	Between Davidson Street and
		Forrest Avenue
Davidson Street	West	Between the Raystown Branch
		of the Juniata River and Pitt
		Street
East Street	East	Between driveway entrance to
		222 Ritchey Avenue and
		Watson Street
Erie Avenue	Both	Between Mann Street and
		Railroad Street

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Street	<u>Side</u>	Location
Fort Bedford Drive	North	Between Juliana St. and West
		St.
Grant Street	Both	Between Butler Avenue and
		Watson Street
Huntingdon Avenue	Both	Between John Street and the
		Raystown Branch of the Juniata
		River
John Street	North	Between the driveway of 230
		W. John Street and a point 44
		feet west of the driveway of 230
		W. John Street
John Street	South	Between a point 18 feet west of
		the driveway of 233 W. John
		Street and a point 18 feet east of
		the driveway of 233 W. John
		Street
Juliana Street	East	Between John Street and a point
		55 feet north of John Street
Lafayette Avenue	Both	Between Butler Avenue and the
		Raystown Branch of the Juniata
		River
Limestone Avenue	Both	Between Borough Line and
		Penn St.
Limestone Avenue	Both	Between the Borough Line and
		Penn Street
Penn Street	North	Between a point 50 feet east of
		Richard Street and a point 35
		feet west of Richard Street
Penn Street	South	Between the first parking space
		immediately west of Richard
		Street and a point 127 feet east
		of Richard Street
Penn Street	North	Between West St. and
		Limestone Ave.
Pitt Street	South	Between Anderson St. and a
		point 246 feet west of Anderson
		St.
Pitt Street	South	Between the western Borough
		line and a point 62 feet east of
		the eastbound exit of the Route
		220 by-pass
Pitt Street	North	Between a point 120 feet east of
		Fulton Avenue and Fulton
		Avenue
Pitt Street	South	Between the first parking space
		immediately west of Richard
		Street and Richard Street

Street	Side	Location
Pitt Street	South	Between a point 40 feet west
		of Thomas Street and the first
		parking space east of Thomas
		Street
Pitt Street	South	Between a point 258 feet west
		of Cumberland Road and a
		point 60 feet east of
		Cumberland Road.
Pitt Street	South	Between a point 250 feet east
		of the eastbound exit of the
		Route 220 by-pass and
		Chamberlain Street
Pitt Street	North	Between a point 120 feet east
		of Chamberlain Street and a
		point 426 feet east of Fulton
		Avenue
Pitt Street	North	Between Richard Street and
	1.02.02	the first parking space west of
		Richard Street
Pitt Street	North	In front of 434 and 444 West
	1.02.02	Pitt Street
Pitt Street	North	Between a point 160 feet east
		of Juliana Street and Juliana
		Street
Pitt Street	North	Between a point 46 feet east of
	1,0101	Thomas Street and a point 46
		feet west of Thomas Street
Pitt Street	North	Between a point 140 feet east
	1,0101	of Davidson Street and
		Davidson Street
Pitt Street	North	Between a point 46 feet east of
The Succe		West Street and a point 96 feet
		west of West Street
Richard Street	West	Between a point 90 feet north
Trichard Street	, rest	of John Street and a point 140
		feet south of John Street
Richard Street	West	Between a point 50 feet north
Richard Street	West	of Cambria Avenue and a
		point 36 feet south of Cambria
		Avenue
Richard Street	West	Between a point 59 feet south
		of Penn St. and the private
		driveway of the Motel Town
		House
Richard Street	West	Between Railroad Street and a
Idenaid Succi	**************************************	point 37 feet south of Penn
		Street
		Bucci

<u>Street</u>	Side	<u>Location</u>
Richard Street	West	Between Vondersmith Ave.
		and a point 29 feet south of
		Vondersmith Ave.
Richard Street	West	Between North St. and a point
		76 feet south of North St.
Richard Street	East	Between Vondersmith Ave.
		and a point 29 feet south of
		Vondersmith Ave.
Richard Street	West	Between Vondersmith Ave.
		and a point 29 feet north of
		Vondersmith Ave.
Richard Street	West	Between a point 134 feet north
Richard Street	W est	of Watson Street and a point 50
		feet south of Watson Street
Richard Street	East	Between the first parking space
Richard Street	Last	immediately south of the
		Raystown Branch of the Juniata
		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
		River and the northern Borough Line
Richard Street	East	Between Vondersmith Ave.
Richard Street	East	
		and a point 39 feet north of
7.1.10		Vondersmith Ave.
Richard Street	East	Between a point 50 feet south
		of Watson Street and a point 76
		feet north of Cambria Avenue
Richard Street	East	Between a point 87 feet south
		of Penn Street and Penn Street
Richard Street	East	Between a point 118 feet north
		of Cambria Avenue and a point
		90 feet north of John Street
Richard Street	East	Between Penn Street and the
		private driveway south of 133
		South Richard Street
Richard Street	East	Between Pitt Street and the first
		parking space north of Pitt
		Street
Richard Street	East	Between the first parking space
		immediately south of Pitt Street
		and Pitt Street
Vondersmith Avenue	North	Between Thomas St. and West
		St.
Vondersmith Avenue	Both	Between Bedford St. and
		Richard St.
Watson Street	North	Between the western end of the
abon Sirect	TOTAL	bridge over Shobers Run and
		the entrance to/exit from the
		Bedford High School parking
		lot

<u>Street</u>	<u>Side</u>	<u>Location</u>
Watson Street	North	Between the entrance to/exit from the Bedford High School football field and Bedford Street
Watson Street	South	Between a point 80' west of the western end of the bridge over Shobers Run and the western end of the bridge over Shobers Run

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001; as amended by: Ord. 2006-1, 4/3/2006 and Ord. 2006-3, 12/4/06)

# §403 PARKING OF TRUCKS, BUSES AND CERTAIN OTHER VEHICLES PROHIBITED IN CERTAIN LOCATIONS.

- 1. It shall be unlawful for any person to park, or allow to remain parked, on any of the streets or parts of streets within the Borough of Bedford any prohibited vehicle as defined in subsection (2) hereof.
- 2. As used in this Section, a "prohibited vehicle" shall mean any truck, truck tractor, trailer, semi trailer, bus, full trailer, motor home, recreational trailer, house trailer, implement of husbandry or combination as those terms are further defined in the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code. As used in this Section, a prohibited vehicle shall not include a pick-up truck or any emergency vehicle.
- 3. This Section shall not prohibit the momentary parking of a prohibited vehicle for the purpose of and while actually engaged in loading or unloading property; provided that such parking is done in a manner and location where nonprohibited vehicles would otherwise be permitted to park.

(Ord. 2-2<u>001</u>, 7/2/2001)

# §404. PARKING TIME LIMITED IN CERTAIN LOCATIONS CERTAIN DAYS AND HOURS.

No person shall park a vehicle or allow it to remain parked for longer than the specified time limit on the days and/or between the hours listed in any of the below locations. Excepting parking spaces designated with 15 Minute Time Limits, no person shall park a vehicle or allow the same to remain parked on any one (1) block of any street, containing the locations listed below, on any one (1) day for more than the specified time.

Street	<u>Side</u>	Location	Days and/or Hours	Time Limit
Bedford Street	Both	Between Penn St.	Sept. 1 thru May 31	2 hrs.
		and John St.	except holidays	
			8 a.m 4 p.m.	
Bedford Street	East	Between John St.	Sept. 1 thru May 31	2 hrs.
		and Watson St.	except holidays	
			8 a.m 4 p.m.	

Street	Side	Location	Days and/or Hours	Time Limit
Bedford Street	West	Between John St. and Cambria Ave.	Sept. 1 thru May 31 except holidays 8 a.m 4 p.m.	2 hrs.
East Street	West	Between Vondersmith Ave. and John St.	Sept. 1 thru May 31 except holidays 8 a.m 4 p.m.	2 hrs.
East Street	Both	Between Penn St. and Vondersmith Ave.	Sept. 1 thru May 31 except holidays 8 a.m 4 p.m.	2 hrs.
John Street	South	Between a point 48' west of Richard St. and a point 104' west of Richard St.	Monday - Friday except holidays 9 a.m 6 p.m.	2 hrs.
John Street	Both	Between Richard St. and Wood St.	Sept. 1 thru May 31 except holidays 8 a.m 4 p.m.	2 hrs.
Juliana Street	Both	Between John St. and the entrance to Fort Bedford Park	Monday - Friday except holidays 9 a.m 6 p.m.	2 hrs.
Juliana Street	East	First space immediately north of Central Way Ave.	Sunday thru Saturday	15 mins.
Juliana Street	West	First space immediately south of Penn St.	Sunday thru Saturday	15 min.
Juliana Street	West	First space immediately north of Central Way Ave.	Sunday thru Saturday	15 min.
Penn Street	Both	Between Richard St. and Thomas St.	Monday - Friday except holidays 9 a.m 6 p.m.	2 hrs.
Penn Street	South	First and second spaces immediately west of Huntingdon Ave.	Sunday thru Saturday	15 min.

Street	Side	Location	Days and/or Hours	Time Limit
Penn Street	North	First space immediately west of Huntingdon Ave.	Sunday thru Saturday	15 min.
Pitt Street	Both	Between Bedford St. and Thomas St.	Monday - Friday except holidays 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.	2 hrs.
Pitt Street	South	First space immediately east of Richard Street	Sunday thru Saturday	15 min.
Pitt Street	South	First space immediately west of Huntingdon Ave.	Sunday thru Saturday	15 min.
Pitt Street	North	First space immediately west of Juliana St.	Sunday thru Saturday	15 min.
Pitt Street	South	First space immediately east of Lafayette Avenue	Sunday thru Saturday	15 min.
Pitt Street	South	Between a point 62 feet east of the eastbound exit of the southbound Route 220 bypass and a point 250 feet east of the eastbound exit of the southbound Route 220 bypass	Monday - Saturday except holidays	0 hrs.
Pitt Street	North	Between a point 426 feet east of Fulton Ave. and a point 120 feet east of Fulton Ave.	Monday - Saturday except holidays	0 hrs.

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Street	<u>Side</u>	Location	Days and/or Hours	Time Limit
Richard Street	East	Between the	Monday - Friday	2 hrs.
		northern	except holidays	
		property line of	9 a.m 6 p.m.	
		the Catholic		
		Church and the		
		last private		
		driveway south		
		of the bridge		
		over the		
		Raystown		
		Branch of the		
		Juniata River		
Richard Street	East	First space	Sunday thru	15 min.
		immediately	Saturday	
		north of Central		
		Way Ave.		
Richard Street	East	Two spaces	Sunday thru	15 min.
		between a point	Saturday	
		76 feet north of		
		Cambria Ave.		
		and a point 118		
		feet north of		
		Cambria Ave., in		
		front of N/F		
		United		
		Telephone Co.		
		building		
Watson Street	North	Between	Sept. 1 thru May 31	2 hrs.
		Bedford Street	except holidays	
		and Richard	8 a.m 4 p.m.	
		Street		
Wood Street	West	Between	Monday - Friday	2 hrs.
		Vondersmith	except holidays	
		Ave and John St.	9 a.m 6 p.m.	

(<u>Ord. 2-2001</u>, 7/2/2001; as amended by: <u>Ord. 2006-3</u>, 12/4/06; <u>Ord. 2007-1</u>, 3/5/2007; <u>Ord. 2010-4</u>, 9/7/2010; <u>Ord. 2011-3</u>, 11/7/2011; and <u>Ord. 2012-5</u>, 9/4/2012)

# §405. SPECIAL PURPOSE PARKING ZONES ESTABLISHED; PARKING OTHERWISE PROHIBITED.

The following are established as special purpose parking zones, and it shall be unlawful for any person to park a vehicle or to allow it to remain parked, in any such zone, except as specifically provided for that zone:

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Street	<u>Side</u>	<u>Location</u>	Authorized
A 1	E	Fig. (1st)	Purpose or Vehicle
Anderson	East	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space immediately south of	Handicapped
Street	Г .	driveway at 118 Anderson Street	TT 1' 1
Anderson	East	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space immediately north of	Handicapped
Street	***	driveway at 118 Anderson Street	
East Street	West	Three (3) spaces immediately north of	Loading and Unloading
		Central Way	only 7 a.m. – 5 p.m.
			Mon. – Fri.;
T . G	<b>.</b>		9 a.m. – 12 p.m. Sat.
East Street	East	One (1) space located between 60 feet and	Loading and Unloading
		80 feet north of Central Way	only 7 a.m. – 5 p.m.
			Mon. – Fri.;
		71 (45)	9 a.m. – 12 p.m. Sat
John Street	North	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space immediately east of	Handicapped
	~ .	Juliana Street	
John Street	South	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space immediately west of the	Handicapped
		No Parking Zone in front of the High	
		School Gymnasium	
John Street	South	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space immediately east of the	Handicapped
		No Parking Zone in front of the High	
		School Gymnasium	
John Street	South	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space immediately west of the	Handicapped
		High School Cafeteria entrance	
John Street	South	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space immediately east of the	Handicapped
		High School Cafeteria entrance	
Juliana Street	East	Two (2) spaces in front of 215 S. Juliana	Doctor's Patient's
		Street – Dr Markwood's office	Vehicles
Juliana Street	East	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space north of Vondersmith	Handicapped
		Avenue	
Juliana Street	East	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space south of Central Way	Handicapped
Juliana Street	West	Second (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) space south of Penn Street	Handicapped
Penn Street	North	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space immediately east of	Handicapped
		Huntingdon Avenue	
Penn Street	North	Fourth (4 <sup>th</sup> ) space immediately west of	Handicapped
		Lafayette Avenue	
Penn Street	North	Between a point 250 feet east of West	Official Business
		Street and West Street	
Penn Street	South	First (1st) three (3) spaces immediately	Reserved Parking 7:45
		east of Thomas Street	a.m. – 8:30 a.m. and
			2:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.
			Student Loading Zone

Street	Street Side Location		Authorized
			Purpose or Vehicle
Pitt Street	South	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space immediately west of	Handicapped
		Lafayette Avenue	
Pitt Street	South	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space immediately west of	Police Department
		Juliana Street	
Pitt Street	South	Second (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) space immediately west of	Handicapped
		Huntingdon Avenue in front of Hotel	
		Pennsylvania Apartments	
Pitt Street	South	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space immediately west of	Loading and Unloading
		Huntingdon Avenue in front of Hotel	No Trucks
		Pennsylvania Apartments	
Richard	East	One (1) space between a point 61 feet	Loading and Unloading
Street		north of Vondersmith Avenue and a point	
		100 feet north of Vondersmith Avenue in	
		front of Fort Bedford Inn Apartments	
Richard	East	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space south of Pitt Street in	Handicapped
Street		front of Fort Bedford Inn Apartments	
Richard	East	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space immediately south of Pitt	Handicapped
Street		Street	
Richard	East	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space immediately north of Pitt Handicapped	
Street		Street	
Thomas	East	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space immediately north of	Loading and Unloading
Street		Central Way	
Watson	South	First (1 <sup>st</sup> ) space east of Juliana Street – Dr.	Doctor's Patient's
Street		Cullen's office	Vehicles
Watson	South	Two (2) spaces in front 224 E. Watson Doctor's Patient's	
Street		Street – Dr. Seitz's office Vehicles	
West Street	East Space adjacent to rear entrance of AME		Handicapped
		Zion Church	

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001; as amended by: Ord. 2006-3, 12/4/06; Ord. 2007-2, 5/7/2007; Ord. 2009-2, 7/6/2009; Ord. 2010-6, 12/27/2010; Ord. 2011-2, 7/5/2011; and Ord. 2012-4, 7/2/2012)

### §406. STANDING OR PARKING ON ROADWAY FOR LOADING OR UN-LOADING.

It shall be unlawful for any person to stop, stand or park a vehicle (other than a pedalcycle) on the roadway side of any vehicle stopped or parked at the edge or curb of any street.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §407. RESERVED PARKING SPACES FOR HANDICAPPED MAY BE PROVIDED.

The Borough Council, at its discretion, may provide, at convenient and suitable locations, reserved parking spaces for handicapped and shall designated those spaces by appropriate signs. It shall be unlawful and a violation of this Part, for any reason, to park in any such reserved parking space any vehicle unless that vehicle bears or displays either: a "handicapped registration plate," a "handicapped parking placard," a "disabled veteran registration plate" or a "disabled veteran placard." Provided, all

provisions, requirements and restrictions contained in other Section of this Part shall apply to vehicles lawfully parked in reserved parking spaces for handicapped.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

# §408. TICKETING OF VEHICLES PARKED UNLAWFULLY; EFFECT OF PAYMENT WITHIN 48 HOURS.

- 1. It shall be the duty of the police officers and traffic attendants of the Borough of Bedford, acting in accordance with the directions of the Chief of Police, to report:
  - A. The number of each parking space, when available, of the vehicle occupying the parking space that is, or has been, parked in violation of any provision of this Part.
  - B. The date and hour of such violation.
  - C. The license number of the vehicle.
  - D. Any other facts, the knowledge of which is necessary for a thorough under-standing of the circumstances attending the violation.
- 2. The police officers or traffic attendants making the report shall also place on or attach to the vehicle a notice to the owner or driver of the vehicle that the vehicle was:
  - A. Parked in violation of a "non-handicapped" related provision of this Part and instructing the owner or driver that if he will pay the sum of \$20 to the Borough, for the use of the Borough, by enclosing \$20 in the envelope provided and either hand delivering the said envelope to the Borough Office or mailing the said envelope to the Borough Office, within forty-eight (48) hours after the time of the notice, that the act will save the violator from prosecution and from payment of the fine prescribed in \$409 of this Part.
  - B. Parked in violation of a "handicapped" related provision of this Part and instructing the owner or driver that if he will pay the sum of \$50 to the Borough, for the use of the Borough, by enclosing \$50 in the envelope provided and either hand delivering the said envelope to the Borough Office or mailing the said envelope to the Borough Office, within forty-eight (48) hours after the time of the notice, that the act will save the violator from prosecution and from payment of the fine prescribed in \$409 of this Part.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001; as amended by: Ord. 2012-4, 7/2/2012)

#### §409. PENALTY FOR VIOLATION.

Any person who violates any provision of this Part and who fails to pay the fine set forth in §408 within 48 hours of the violation shall be cited and, upon conviction, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 plus costs.

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(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

## §410. EXCEPTIONS.

By resolution, the Borough Council may temporarily suspend in whole or in part the parking regulations set forth in this Part during such days and hours as may be designated by them.

### OFF-STREET UNMETERED PARKING

#### §501. UNMETERED PARKING LOT ESTABLISHED.

No person shall park a vehicle or allow it to remain parked on any one (1) day in the below parking lot for longer than the specified time limit on the days and between the hours listed.

Lot	Location	Maximum Parking Time	Days in Operation	Hours of Enforcement
Central	Central Way	4 hours	Mon Sat.	9 a.m 6 p.m.
Business	and		except	_
	Huntingdon Ave.		holidays	

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001; and as amended by: Ord. 2007-1, 3/5/2007; and Ord. 2012-5, 9/4/2012)

#### §502. RESERVED PARKING SPACES FOR HANDICAPPED MAY BE PROVIDED.

The Borough Council at its discretion, may provide, at convenient and suitable locations in one or more of the unmetered parking lots, reserved parking spaces for handicapped, and shall designate those spaces by appropriate signs. It shall be unlawful, and a violation of this Part, for any person to park in any such reserved parking space, any vehicle unless that vehicle bears or displays either: a "handicapped registration plate," a "handicapped parking placard," a "disabled veteran registration plate," or a "disabled veteran placard." Provided, all provisions, requirements and restrictions contained in the other sections of this Part shall apply to vehicles lawfully parked in reserved parking spaces for handicapped.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §503. UNLAWFUL TO PARK OVERTIME OR WHEN LOT CLOSED.

It shall be unlawful for any person to park a vehicle, or to allow a vehicle to remain parked in any unmetered parking lot:

- A. For longer than the maximum parking time prescribed by §501 of this Part.
- B. At any time when the lot is not in operation and is closed to public use.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §504. UNMETERED LOTS FOR CERTAIN TYPES OF VEHICLES.

The unmetered parking lots established by §501 of this Part shall be for the use of passenger cars, passenger vans and pickup trucks only, and it shall be unlawful for any person to park any other kind or class of vehicle in any such lot.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §505. MANNER OF PARKING.

Every vehicle parked in an unmetered parking lot shall be parked wholly within the lines bounding or marking the individual parking space assigned to that vehicle, and shall be parked headed into the parking space. It shall be unlawful for any person:

- A. To park a vehicle otherwise than as required by this Section.
- B. To park a vehicle elsewhere than in an individual parking space, the prohibited areas including, but not limited to, the access and exit driveways and turning and maneuvering spaces.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

# §506. TICKETING OF VEHICLES PARKED UNLAWFULLY; EFFECT OF PAYMENT WITHIN 48 HOURS.

- 1. It shall be the duty of the police officers and traffic attendants of the Borough of Bedford, acting in accordance with the directions of the Chief of Police, to report:
  - A. The number of each parking space when available of the vehicle occupying the parking space that is, or has been, parked in violation of any of the provisions of this Part.
  - B. The date and hour of such violation.
  - C. The license number of the vehicle.
  - D. Any other facts, the knowledge of which is necessary for a thorough under-standing of the circumstances attending the violation.
- 2. The police officers or traffic attendants making the report shall also place on or attach to the vehicle a notice to the owner or driver of the vehicle that the vehicle was:
  - A. Parked in violation of a "non-handicapped" related provision of this Part and instructing the owner or driver that if he will pay the sum of \$20 to the Borough, for the use of the Borough, by enclosing \$20 in the envelope provided and either hand delivering the said envelope to the Borough Office or mailing the said envelope to the Borough Office, within forty-eight (48) hours after the time of the notice, that the act will save the violator from prosecution and from payment of the fine prescribed in §507 of this Part.
  - B. Parked in violation of a "handicapped" related provision of this Part and instructing the owner or driver that if he will pay the sum of \$50 to the Borough, for the use of the Borough, by enclosing \$50 in the envelope provided and either hand delivering the said envelope to the Borough Office or mailing the said envelope to the Borough Office, within forty-eight (48) hours after the time of the

notice, that the act will save the violator from prosecution and from payment of the fine prescribed in §507 of this Part.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001; as amended by: Ord. 2012-4, 7/2/2012)

### §507. PENALTY FOR VIOLATION.

Any person who violates any provision of this Part and who fails to pay the fine set forth in §507 within 48 hours of the violation shall be cited and, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

### §508. EXCEPTIONS.

By resolution, the Borough Council may temporarily suspend, in whole or in part, the parking regulations set forth in this Part during such days and hours as may be designated by them.

#### REMOVAL AND IMPOUNDMENT OF ILLEGALLY PARKED VEHICLES

#### §601. APPLICABILITY AND SCOPE.

This Part is enacted under authority of \$6109(a-22) of the Vehicle Code and gives authority to the Borough to remove and impound those vehicles which are parked in violation of parking regulations of this Chapter. Vehicles which have been abandoned (as defined by the Vehicle Code) or which are parked in such a manner as to interfere with traffic or pose a hazard to others, may be towed under the provisions of the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### **§602.** AUTHORITY TO REMOVE AND IMPOUND.

The Borough shall have authority to remove and impound, or to order the removal and impounding, of any vehicle parked overtime or otherwise illegally, provided that the circumstances of its parking were within the conditions stated in §601 of this Part. Provided: no such vehicle shall be removed or impounded except in strict adherence to the provisions of this Part, or the provisions of the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

# §603. DESIGNATION OF APPROVED STORAGE GARAGES; BONDING; TOWING AND STORAGE.

Removal and impounding of vehicles under this Part shall be done only by "approved storage garages" that shall be designated from time to time by the Borough Council. Every such garage shall submit evidence to the Borough Council that it is bonded or has acquired liability insurance in an amount satisfactory to the Borough Council as sufficient to indemnify owners of impounded vehicles against loss or damage to those vehicles while in the custody of the garage keeper for the purpose of towing or storage. The approved storage garage shall submit to the Borough Council its schedule of charges for towing and storage of vehicles under this Part, and, when the schedule is approved by Borough Council, those charges shall be adhered to by the approved storage garage; no different schedule of charges shall be demanded of or collected from any person whose vehicle is removed or impounded under this Part by any approved storage garage. The Borough Council shall delete from its list of approved storage garages any garage that makes any unapproved charge in connection with any vehicle removed or impounded under this Part.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §604. PAYMENT OF TOWING AND STORAGE CHARGES.

The payment of towing and storage charges shall not relieve the owner or driver of any vehicle from liability for any fine or penalty for the violation of the provision of this Part for which the vehicle was removed or impounded.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §605. RECLAMATION COSTS.

In order to reclaim his vehicle, the owner shall pay towing and storage costs, plus a \$25 fee of which \$10 shall be transferred to the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation by the garage to which the vehicle was taken.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §606. RECORDS OF VEHICLES REMOVED AND IMPOUNDED.

The Borough shall cause a record to be kept of all vehicles impounded under this Part and shall be able at all reasonable times to furnish the owners or the agents of the owners of those vehicles with information as to the place of storage of the vehicle.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §607. RESTRICTIONS UPON REMOVAL OF VEHICLES.

No vehicle shall be removed under the authority of this Part or the Vehicle Code if, at the time of the intended removal, the owner or the person for the time being in charge of the vehicle is present and expresses a willingness and intention to remove the vehicle immediately.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §608. PENALTY FOR VIOLATION.

Any person who shall violate any provision of this Part shall, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 together with all costs of disposing of the vehicle under provisions of the Vehicle Code, 75 P.S. §7301 et seq., (1977) as hereafter amended, supplemented, modified or reenacted by the General Assembly of Pennsylvania.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §609. REPORTS AND DISPOSITION OF UNCLAIMED VEHICLES.

If after a period of 15 days the vehicle in storage remains unclaimed, a report shall be filed with PennDOT in accordance with §7311 of the Vehicle Code, by the person having legal custody of the vehicle. If the vehicle has not been claimed after 30 days, the vehicle may be transferred to a licensed Salvor who will then be responsible for filing the proper reports and disposing of the vehicle in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 73 of the Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Code (75 Pa C.S.A. §101 et seq., as amended).

#### WINTER WEATHER EMERGENCY

#### §701. **DEFINITIONS.**

The following words, when used in this Part, shall have the following meanings unless the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

**SNOW** - any precipitation depositing any accumulation on the street, including snow, sleet, hail, ice, and freezing rain.

**STREET** - any street, highway, avenue, drive, lane, road, or way in the borough of Bedford used by a vehicle.

**VEHICLE** - any self propelled motorized vehicle licensed to travel upon streets in the Borough of Bedford.

**WINTER WEATHER EMERGENCY** - state of street conditions that are hazardous and dangerous to vehicular and pedestrian traffic, as so declared by the Borough Manager or such person designated by the Borough Manager.

(Ord. 2006-1, 4/3/2006)

#### §702. DECLARATION OF WINTER WEATHER EMERGENCY.

A Winter Weather Emergency is hereby declared to exist in the Borough of Bedford whenever snow falls so that, in the opinion of the Borough Manager or such person designated by the Borough Manager the street conditions are hazardous and dangerous to vehicular and pedestrian traffic because of snow accumulation. The Borough Manager or such person designated by the Borough Manager shall have the authority to declare a Winter Weather Emergency, notice of which shall immediately be issued to the local radio and news services. In either instance, a Winter Weather Emergency is presumed to exist from 11:00 p.m. on the day of the accumulation of the snow and/or ice until 7:00 a.m. of the following day or for such period of time as designated by the Borough Manager or such person designated by the Borough Manager.

(Ord. 2006-1, 4/3/2006)

#### §703. UNATTENDED VEHICLES PROHIBITED DURING EMERGENCY.

During such time as a Winter Weather Emergency is in effect, it shall be a violation of this Part for any person, firm, organization or entity to park, allow to remain parked, abandon or leave unattended any vehicle on any street, its adjacent right-of-way, or in any municipal parking lot within the boundaries of the Borough of Bedford. This prohibition shall not apply to any parking areas which have been specifically depicted by the Borough Manager or such person designated by the Borough Manager as Winter Weather Emergency parking areas, provided all terms of the special depiction are complied with.

(Ord. 2006-1, 4/3/2006)

# §704. TICKETING OF VEHICLES PARKED UNLAWFULLY; EFFECT OF PAYMENT WITHIN 48 HOURS.

- 1. It shall be the duty of the police officers and traffic attendants of the Borough of Bedford, acting in accordance with the directions of the Chief of Police, to report:
  - A. The number of each parking space, when available, of the vehicle occupying the parking space that is, or has been, parked in violation of any provision of this Part.
  - B. The date and hour of such violation.
  - C. The license number of the vehicle.
  - D. Any other facts, the knowledge of which is necessary for a thorough understanding of the circumstances attending the violation.
- 2. The police officers or traffic attendants making the report shall also place on or attach to the vehicle a notice to the owner or driver of the vehicle that the vehicle was parked in violation of \$703 of this Part and instructing the owner or driver that if he will pay the sum of \$20 to the Borough, for the use of the Borough, by enclosing \$20 in the envelope provided and either hand delivering the said envelope to the Borough Office or mailing the said envelope to the Borough Office, within forty-eight (48) hours after the time of the notice, that the act will save the violator from prosecution and from payment of the fine prescribed in \$705 of this Part. The continuation of such violation of \$703 of this Part for each successive twenty-four (24) hour time period shall constitute a separate offense.

(Ord. 2006-1, 4/3/2006; as amended by: Ord. 2012-4, 7/2/2012)

### §705. PENALTIES.

Any person who violates \$703 of this Part and who fails to pay the fine set forth in \$704 of this Part within forty-eight (48) hours of the violation shall be cited and, upon conviction, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 plus costs of prosecution.

(Ord. 2006-1, 4/3/2006)

#### REGULATION OF PEDALCYCLES AND NONMOTORIZED VEHICLES

# §801. RIDING OF PEDALCYCLES ON SIDEWALKS ALONG CERTAIN STREETS PROHIBITED.

It shall be unlawful for any person to ride a pedalcycle on the sidewalks along the following portions of the streets in the Borough:

Street	<u>Side</u>	<u>Between</u>	
Juliana Street	Both	Fort park entrance and John Street	
Penn Street	Both	Juliana Street and Richard Street	
Pitt Street	Both	Bedford Street and Thomas Street	
Richard Street	Both	Raystown Bridge and Vondersmith Avenue	

Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$5 and costs.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

#### §802. RESTRICTIONS ON USE OF PUSHCARTS.

- 1. The word "pushcart," as used in this Section, shall mean a vehicle, including a pedalcycle, propelled solely by human power and used, or intended for use, for the display, exhibit or sale of goods, wares or merchandise.
- 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to propel a pushcart upon any sidewalk in any business district except as necessary to move the pushcart to a location from which it is to be loaded or unloaded or from which goods, wares or merchandise are to be sold or dispensed under permit from the Borough Council as provided in subsection (3) of this Section.
- 3. It shall be unlawful for any person to park a pushcart upon any sidewalk for the purpose of selling or dispensing goods, wares or merchandise from that pushcart to passersby, except under permit from the Borough Council. Every such permit shall be issued to the person making application for the permit, upon payment of a fee, which shall be for the use of the Borough, set by the Borough Council pursuant to a Resolution. The permit shall be granted to the applicant, upon payment of the fee, and upon his signing an agreement with the Borough Council that he shall be bound by the conditions imposed by Borough Council and made a part of the permit, dealing with the following matters:
  - A. Restricting or limiting the parking of the pushcart to one or more stated locations upon the sidewalk and to stated days and hours at each location;
  - B. Stating requirements to be adhered to in connection with the disposal of garbage and refuse resulting from the operations carried on;

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- C. Requiring that there be no violation of any law, ordinance or regulation pertaining to health, sanitation and the handling of food or drink.
- 4. Any person who violates any provision of this Section, or any condition of any permit granted under this section, shall be guilty of a summary offense, and, upon conviction, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

(Ord. 2-2001, 7/2/2001)

# §803. SKATES, SKATEBOARDS, COASTERS, SLEDS AND OTHER TOY VEHICLES.

- 1. It shall be unlawful for any person to ride on a sled upon any sidewalk or upon any roadway in the Borough. Provided; nothing in this subsection shall prevent a pedestrian from pulling a sled, with or without a rider, upon a sidewalk or, in case no sidewalk exists, upon a roadway.
- 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to engage in roller-skating, skateboarding or to ride upon or propel any coaster or other toy vehicle upon any sidewalk or street in the business district, except that nothing in this subsection shall prevent a pedestrian from pulling a coaster or other toy vehicle, with or without a rider, upon any sidewalk or street.
- 3. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$5 and costs.