

RESOLUTION NO. 18 - 7

**RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING RULES AND REGULATIONS
FOR WASHINGTON STREET AND FRANKLIN STREET PARKING LOTS**

WHEREAS, the County Commissioners adopted rules and regulations governing the use of the County parking lot located between Collins Street and Washington Street in Snow Hill, Maryland by resolution which passed on July 27, 1982 and have since passed additional resolutions to modify said rules and regulations; and

WHEREAS, since that time the County Commissioners have developed an additional County parking lot on Franklin Street to serve the Worcester County Court House and the Worcester County Government Center which was completed in 2002; and

WHEREAS, the County Commissioners have determined it necessary to rescind all prior Resolutions governing the Washington Street Parking lot in order to adopt new rules and regulations for the Washington Street parking lot and to include the Franklin Street parking lot; and

WHEREAS, the County Commissioners of Worcester County, Maryland deem it to be in the best interest of its employees, citizens and visitors of Worcester County to amend the rules and regulations for the Washington Street and Franklin Street Parking lots for the protection of the health, safety, security, morals and welfare of everyone that utilizes the parking lots located on Washington Street and Franklin Street, Snow Hill, Maryland.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF WORCESTER COUNTY, MARYLAND THAT:

1. It shall be unlawful to park any vehicle in or obstruct any driveway into, out of, or within the lot.
2. Any parking space indicated as being reserved shall be used only by the person or group of persons for whom the space is reserved. Violation of this rule shall subject the offending vehicle to being towed and the violator shall be responsible for any costs and fees associated with towing said vehicle.
3. Alcoholic beverages in open containers on the lot or any drive serving the lot shall be unlawful.
4. Solicitation or advertising with the use of signs, literature, or public address system not authorized by the County Commissioners is prohibited .
5. No person, other than a law enforcement officer or other authorized officer, shall carry, possess or discharge a firearm or weapon of any kind in County Parking lots.
6. Littering of any kind is prohibited in the parking lots.
7. Loitering shall be unlawful in the parking lots or in any driveway serving it.
8. Any person who violates the parking rules and regulations adopted by the County Commissioners shall be guilty of violating Section 4-404(c) of the County Government Article of the County Code of Public Local Laws of Worcester County, Maryland (Rules and regulations regarding County-owned property) and shall be guilty of a Civil Infraction and subject to a fine.

AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall take effect upon its passage.


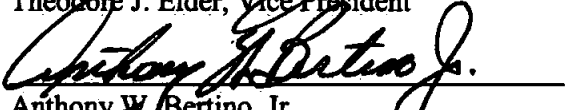

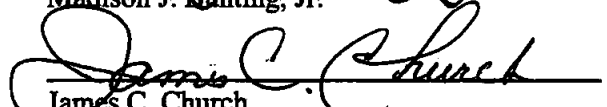
PASSED AND ADOPTED this 20th day of February, 2018.

ATTEST:



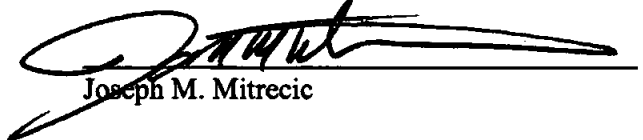
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