

CITY OF OCEAN CITY

AMERICA'S GREATEST FAMILY RESORT

HANDICAPPED PARKING SPACE APPLICANT

Please read the information listed below and complete the attached application form. The completed application must include copies of your current handicapped placard, driver's license, vehicle registration and insurance card. Return the application to the Ocean City Police Department's Traffic Safety Unit. Your application will be reviewed by an Officer in the Traffic Safety Unit who will contact you to discuss your application. If you should have any questions about the application process please feel free to contact the Traffic Safety Unit at (609) 525-9137.

Definition

The term "handicapped person" as defined herein shall include any person who has lost the use of one (1) or more limbs as a consequence of paralysis, amputation or other permanent disability or who is permanently disabled as to be unable to ambulate without the aid of an assisting device or whose mobility is otherwise limited as certified by a physician with a plenary license to practice medicine and surgery; a podiatrist licensed to practice in this State or a bordering state; a physician stationed at a military or naval installation located in the State who is licensed to practice in any state; or a chiropractic physician licensed to practice in this State or a bordering states. (Ord. #01-26.)

The applicant shall not be entitled to a residential handicapped parking space if the applicant's property is served by off-street parking, such as a driveway, or if the applicant's property may be accessed through an alley. If the applicant's home provides off-street parking or alley access, but because of particular topography, location, design or other characteristics of the property, it is difficult or infeasible for the applicant to gain access to their home, the applicant shall be entitled to the residential handicapped parking space. The Traffic Safety Unit shall evaluate these criteria and determine whether the handicapped parking space shall be approved.

Annual Review

The Traffic Safety Unit will review the residential handicapped parking spaces annually to determine if the factors continue to exist to justify their location. In the event these factors do not exist, the signs shall be removed. <u>Any misuse of the Handicapped Parking Space will result in the removal of the sign and space.</u>

Thank you for your cooperation.

William F. Campbell Chief of Police



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NAME:
LOCAL ADDRESS:
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OUT OF TOWN ADDRESS:
LOCAL PHONE NUMBER:
OUT OF TOWN PHONE NUMBER:
PROVIDE A DESCRIPTION OF THE PARKING ACCOMODATION NEEDED.
SIGNATURE