

# Policy

## MOBILITY PARKING POLICY

<b>COUNCIL COMMITTEE:</b>	Environmental Services
<b>DEPARTMENT:</b>	Regulatory
<b>RESPONSIBILITY:</b>	Environmental Monitoring Manager
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<b>REVIEW:</b>	Every five years or as required
<b>CONSULTATION:</b>	No consultation required
<b>RELATED DOCUMENTS:</b>	Transportation and Parking Bylaw, Parking Activity Management Plan.

### Policy Objective

To ensure holders of mobility permits have access to appropriate vehicle parking.

### Definitions

**Metered parking space:** a parking space which requires a fee to be paid. Metered parking spaces have a maximum time limit of between 30 and 120 minutes, depending on the location. (Includes both 'pay and display' and regular-style meters). Payment and time restrictions are enforced by Council.

**Mobility parking space:** A parking space which is wider and/or longer than standard parks and closer to venues. These spaces are marked with the disability symbol, and yellow lines. Only mobility parking permit holders can use mobility parking spaces.

**Mobility permit:** A permit issued by CCS Disability Action which allows the holder to park in mobility parking spaces and entitles them to concessions in time restricted and metered parking spaces.

**Standard parking space:** All Council-enforced public parking spaces, excluding mobility parking spaces.

**Time restricted parking space:** A parking space which places a maximum length of time a vehicle can be parked (e.g.: P30). Time-restricted parking spaces have a maximum time limit of between 10 and 120 minutes, depending on the location. Time restrictions are enforced by Council.

## Policy Statement

### 1. Mobility Parking Spaces

- 1.1. Council provides designated mobility parking spaces in various locations throughout the district. Each request for a mobility parking space is considered and approved by Council on a case by case basis.
- 1.2. Only holders of a mobility permit are entitled to park in mobility parking spaces.

### 2. Concessions with Mobility Permit

- 2.1. Mobility permit holders are entitled to the following parking concessions when parking in a standard time-limited or metered space:
  - **P30 parking space:** 30 minutes extra time, up to 60 minutes total
  - **P60 parking space:** 60 minutes extra time, up to 120 minutes total
  - **P30 metered parking space:** free of charge with 30 minutes extra time, up to 60 minutes total
  - **P60 metered parking space:** free of charge with 60 minutes extra time, up to 120 minutes total

### 3. Exceptions

- 3.1. There are no concessions for time restrictions under 30 minutes (e.g.: P5, 10, 15).
- 3.2. There are no concessions for time restrictions over 60 minutes (e.g.: P120, P180)
- 3.3. There are no concessions for parking in a designated mobility car park where time restrictions apply.

### 4. Display of Mobility Permit

- 4.1. A valid mobility permit must be displayed clearly on the inside of the vehicle's windscreen or on the dashboard. The membership number on the permit must be visible.
- 4.2. A mobility permit may only be used by the holder of that permit.
- 4.3. Failure to display a current mobility permit while occupying one of these spaces may result in an infringement fine.

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