

**ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MANAGER
TO REGULATE PARKING**

Sec 4-411. Restricted And No-Parking Areas Generally; Powers Of Town Manager

1. The town manager is hereby authorized and directed to make, promulgate and enforce rules and regulations for the parking, stopping or standing of vehicles within town limits and to designate the time, place and manner in which such vehicles may be allowed to park, stop, or stand within the town. The town manager shall also be authorized to designate areas for bus stops, taxi stands and loading zones. The town manager may also revoke, alter or amend such rules and regulations at any time when in his opinion traffic conditions and the use of the roads require. It shall be the duty of the town manager, upon the promulgation of such regulations, and before the same shall become effective, to give public notice by establishing and posting signs, or otherwise, as may be reasonably adequate, to make clear to the operators of vehicles in "no-parking" or "restricted parking" areas, the existence, nature and requirements of such regulations. From and after the effective date of regulations imposed in any area by virtue of the provisions of this chapter, it shall be unlawful for any person to stop, park, or stand any vehicle in any restricted or prohibited area otherwise than in accordance with these regulations.
2. In any prosecution charging a violation of any such ordinance, regulation or rule, proof that the vehicle described in the complaint, summons or warrant was parked in violation of such ordinance, regulation or rule, together with proof that the defendant was at the time of such parking the registered owner of the vehicle, as required by Code of Virginia, Chapter 3 (Section 46.2-600 et seq.) shall constitute in evidence a prima facie presumption that the registered owner of the vehicle was the person who committed the violation.

State law reference—Code of Va., § 46.2-1220.

Adopted by the Town Council of Bowling Green, Virginia, this 6th day of February, 2020.



Hon. Jason Satterwhite, Mayor

ATTEST:



Clerk of the Council