



<h2>Winter Parking Regulations</h2>	
<b>Motor Vehicle Act R.S.N.S., 2023</b>	<b>Chapter 293</b>
<b>Effective Date: December 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024</b>	

**WHEREAS** due to the congestion on the streets of the Town of Wolfville caused by vehicular and pedestrian traffic, and the limitation of the free use of the streets liable to be caused by the presence of snow and ice thereon, I am of the opinion that an emergency and a special condition exists, and I so declare:

**THEREFORE** under the authority of Section 202(1) of the Motor Vehicle Act, as Traffic Authority for the Town of Wolfville, I make the following temporary regulations:

1. Notwithstanding that certain signs have been erected in the Town of Wolfville prohibiting or permitting the parking or leaving standing or vehicles upon sections of highway during hours stated thereon and notwithstanding the provisions of the Regulations made by the Traffic Authority for the Town of Wolfville pursuant to Section 152(1) of the Motor Vehicle Act, respecting prohibiting or restricting the parking or leaving standing of vehicles upon any highway or part thereof within the limits of the city or incorporated town for which the traffic authority is appointed:
  - (a) No owner or driver or person having control or custody of any vehicle shall park or leave standing the same upon any highway or street in the Town of Wolfville between the hours of 12:01 o'clock in the morning and the hour of 6:00 o'clock in the morning of the same day.
  - (b) No owner or driver or person having control or custody of any vehicle shall park or leave that same standing in a manner as to hinder, inconvenience or prevent removal of snow or ice from such highway or street unless attended by a person authorized to move and capable of operating the same upon any highway or street in the Town of Wolfville.
  - (c) The provisions of Clauses (a) and (b) hereof shall not apply to:
    - i. The motor vehicle of a physician or surgeon parked reasonable for professional calls.
    - ii. Motor vehicle parked by a physician or surgeon who is engaged in his or her professional occupation and reasonably near where he or she is so engaged.
    - iii. Motor vehicles parked by an operator who is actually engaged in discharging his or her duties as a Peace Officer.
    - iv. Motor vehicles parked by an operator who is actually engaged in discharging his or her duties as a member of the Fire Department.
    - v. Commercial vehicles parked by an operator for the purpose of loading or unloading merchandise.
  - (d) No owner or driver or person having control or custody of any vehicle shall during the period from one hour after any snowfall has commenced to two hours after such snowfall has



stopped, park or leave the same standing unless attended by a person authorized to move and capable of operating the same upon any highway or street in the Town of Wolfville.

(e) The provisions of Clause (d) shall not apply to:

- vi. Motor vehicles parked by an operator who is actually engaged in discharging his or her duties as a Peace Officer.
  - vii. Motor vehicles parked by an operator who is actually engaged in discharging his or her duties as a member of the Fire Department.
2. It shall be an offence for any person to fail to comply with these regulations and such person will be liable to penalty provided by Section 139 of the Motor Vehicle Act. **Any vehicle in violation of the Town of Wolfville Winter Parking Regulations will be towed at the expense of the vehicle owner.**
3. These temporary regulations shall be in force and effect from the 1<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2023 until the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2024.

Signed and dated at Wolfville, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of November, 2023

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Traffic Authority, Town of Wolfville