

# City of Philadelphia



(Bill No. 070559)

## AN ORDINANCE

Amending Title 12 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Traffic Code," by providing for the removal or immobilization of vehicles illegally parked in reserved spaces for the physically handicapped and severely-disabled veterans and of vehicles blocking any part of a curb cut or handicapped ramp.

*THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA HEREBY ORDAINS:*

SECTION 1. Section 12-2405 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Removal or Immobilization of Parked Vehicles; Notice", is hereby amended as follows:

§ 12-2405. Removal or Immobilization of Parked Vehicles; Notice.

(1) Any vehicle may be removed, by means of towing to the nearest Official Towing Station or immobilized for up to seventy-two (72) hours by means of applying a boot and then towed to the nearest Official Towing Station if not reclaimed, by or under the direction of a member of the Department, or its designated agent whenever any vehicle is:

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(j) *parked in violation of Section 12-913(1)(a)(x), which prohibits the parking of a vehicle where any part of the vehicle would block any part of a curb cut or handicapped ramp;*

(k) *parked in violation of Section 12-1117(4)(b), which prohibits the parking of a vehicle in parking spaces reserved for physically handicapped persons and severely-disabled veterans;*

SECTION 2. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon final approval.

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**Explanation:**

*Italics indicate new matter added*

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BILL NO. 070559 continued

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CERTIFICATION: This is a true and correct copy of the original Bill, Passed by the City Council on November 15, 2007. The Bill was Signed by the Mayor on November 29, 2007.



Patricia Rafferty  
Chief Clerk of the City Council