

ARLINGTON VIRGINIA MUNICIPAL CODE

§ 14.2-34. Limitation on parking of commercial vehicles motor homes, camping trailers, boats, and boat trailers in areas zoned for residential use.

(a) *Limitation on parking of commercial vehicles.*

(1) For the purposes of this subsection, a commercial vehicle is defined as any of the following:

a. Any vehicle with a gross vehicle weight of twelve thousand (12,000) pounds or more.

b. Any vehicle designed to carry sixteen (16) or more passengers, including the driver.

c. Any vehicle of any size that is being used in the transportation of hazardous materials as defined in section 46.2-341.1 of the Code of Virginia.

d. Any trailer or semitrailer, regardless of whether such trailer or semitrailer is attached to another vehicle.

e. Any vehicle with three (3) or more axles.

(2) It shall be unlawful for any person to park any commercial vehicle, except for utility generators located on trailers and being used to power network facilities during a loss of commercial power and for those commercial vehicles temporarily parked while loading or unloading passengers or goods, materials or supplies, or while involved in construction work, or while performing services such as repair and/or installation of equipment, within or along any public street or highway of the county where the land abutting such public street or highway is zoned for residential use under the Zoning Ordinance of the county then in effect.

(b) *Limitation on parking of vehicles for commercial purposes.*

(1) It shall be unlawful for any person to park any motor vehicle, trailer, or semitrailer for commercial purposes, except for utility generators located on trailers and being used to power network facilities during a loss of commercial power and for those temporarily parked while loading or unloading passengers or goods, materials or supplies, or while involved in construction work, or while performing services such as repair and/or installation of equipment, within or along any public street or highway of the county where the land abutting such public street or highway is zoned for residential use under the Zoning Ordinance of the county then in effect.

(c) *Limitation on parking of motor homes and camping trailers.*

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(1) For the purposes of this subsection, a motor home is defined as a private motor vehicle with a normal seating capacity of not more than ten (10) persons, including the driver, designed primarily for use as living quarters for human beings.

(2) For purposes of this subsection, a camping trailer is defined as a vehicle that has collapsible sides and contains sleeping quarters but may or may not contain bathing and cooking facilities and is designed to be drawn by a motor vehicle.

(3) It shall be unlawful for any person to park any motor home or camping trailer within or along any public street or highway of the county, where the land abutting such public street or highway is zoned for residential use, for a period of five (5) consecutive days.

(d) *Limitation on parking of boats and boat trailers.*

(1) For purposes of this subsection, a boat is defined as a vessel as defined in section 29.1-700 of the Code of Virginia.

(2) It shall be unlawful to park any boat or boat trailer within or along any public street or highway of the county where the land abutting such public street or highway is zoned for residential use under the Zoning Ordinance of the county then in effect.

(e) For purposes of this subsection, in instances where a public street or highway serves as the boundary between an area zoned for residential use and an area zoned for another use, then the centerline of that public street or highway shall be considered as the boundary between the two (2) areas. In such instances, the provisions of this section shall apply only to the side of the public street or highway that abuts the area zoned for residential use.

(f) Any person who shall violate this subsection shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five (\$25.00) nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00).

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