



Resident Parking Rates Revised

Traffic & Parking Commission Meeting
November 1, 2023



Current Pricing Structure

- Resident Permit - \$5 per vehicle
- First Visitor Permit - \$10
 - Valid for 14 consecutive days
- Second Visitor Permit - \$20
 - Valid for 14 consecutive days
- October Resident Permit - \$0
- October Visitor Permit - \$0
- University Resident Permit - \$10, no visitor permits
- Active-duty Military Resident Permit - \$0



Passport Fees under Current Pricing Structure

- Resident Permits - \$4 per transaction
- Visitor Permits - \$1.75 per permit
- Resident Permits - \$5
 - With current pricing, if a resident buys one permit, the City would receive \$1 and Passport would receive \$4.
 - If a resident bought two permits at one time, the City would receive \$6 and Passport would receive \$4.
- First Visitor Permit - \$10
 - For each permit sold, the City would receive \$8.25 and Passport would receive \$1.75
- Second Visitor Permit - \$20
 - For each permit sold, the City would receive \$18.25 and Passport would receive \$1.75
- October Resident Permit - \$0
 - For each permit distributed, the City would spend \$4
- October Visitor Permit - \$0
 - For each permit distributed, the City would spend \$1.75



Additional Passport Fees

- Hardware upgrades
 - The City will purchase:
 - LPR equipment, along with licensing and warranties
 - Rent handheld devices for parking enforcement
 - Purchase paper to stock ticket printers



Initial Proposed Pricing Structure

- Resident Permits - \$10/\$20
 - Full-time residents with vehicles registered in Salem could obtain a permit for \$10.
 - Part-time residents (with vehicles registered elsewhere), and non-resident property owners could obtain a permit for \$20 and would not be eligible for visitor permits.
- First Visitor Permit - \$15
- Second Visitor Permit - \$25
- Temporary October Resident Permit - \$0 (City covers \$4.00 cost for each permit issued)
- Temporary October Visitor Permit - \$2/\$75
 - Residents eligible for free resident permits could request a visitor permit for \$75.
 - Non-resident uses (e.g., Doctor's Office) located on designated October streets may buy permits for \$2.
 - Hospice workers, home health aides, etc. would be eligible to purchase permits at \$2.
 - As of 10/26/2023, 440 October Visitor passes had been issued.
 - 135 passes went to 16 non-resident businesses/institutions (doctor offices, hospice workers, library).
 - 305 passes went to residents.



Comparison Case One: Cambridge, MA

- Resident Permits - \$25 per permit
 - Includes one visitor pass maximum per household
 - Not zone-based
- Visitor Permits (zero-vehicle households) - \$25 per permit
 - Limit one per household
 - Zone-based
- Landlord Permit- \$200 per permit
- Long-term Home Health Care Permit - \$50 per permit



Comparison Case Two: Lynn, MA

- Resident Permits – free
 - Only residents on resident parking designated streets can get passes
- Visitor Permits – free
 - Only residents on resident parking designated streets can get passes



Comparison Case Three: Chelsea, MA

- Resident Permits - \$10 per permit
 - Not zone-based – all residents eligible
- Visitor Permits - \$10 per permit
 - Proximity-based – 5 blocks
 - Two per household
 - 52 visits per year allowed (max once per week)
- Landlord Permit - \$50 per permit (6-month period)
- Caregiver Permit - free



Comparison Case Four: Boston, MA

- Resident Permits – free
 - Neighborhood-based
 - Not clear if all residents from all neighborhoods are eligible
- Visitor Permits – N/A
 - Limited Visitor Parking spaces with time limits provided in resident parking areas



Comparison Case Five: Somerville, MA

- Resident Permits - \$40 per permit
 - Zone-based
- Two-day (per week) Visitor Permits - \$20 per 12-month permit
- Three-day (per week) Visitor Permits - \$40 per 12-month permit
 - Limit two per household, only one of which may be three-day
 - All visitor types proximity based (adjacent streets)
- Landlord Permit- \$60/\$100 per permit
 - Price varies by property type
- Medical Caretaker Permit - \$60 per permit



Comparison Case Six: Everett, MA

- Resident Permits – free/\$10 per sticker
 - If applying Jan/Feb – free
 - Late applications - \$10
 - Limit 4 per household
 - Not zone-based
- Visitor Permits – \$5/\$10/\$15/\$20/\$25 per pass
 - Priced by period – 1-day, 7-day, 14-day, 21-day or 30-day



Revised Proposed Pricing Structure

- Resident Permits - \$20/\$30
 - Full-time residents with vehicles registered in Salem could obtain a permit for \$20, 2 visitor permits per household permitted
 - Part-time residents (with vehicles registered elsewhere) could obtain a permit for \$30, no visitor permits
- Non-resident Property Owners (Landlords) - \$50 (no visitor permits)
- First Visitor Permit - \$30
 - Valid for 7 consecutive days
- Second Visitor Permit - \$50
 - Valid for 7 consecutive days
- Temporary October Resident Permit - \$0 (City covers \$4.00 cost for each permit issued)
- Temporary October Visitor Permit - \$2/\$30
 - Residents eligible for free resident permits could request a visitor permit for \$30.
 - Non-resident uses (e.g., Doctor's Office) located on designated October streets may buy permits for \$2.
 - Hospice workers, home health aides, etc. would be eligible to purchase permits at \$2.



Passport Fees under Revised Proposed Pricing Structure

- Resident Permits - \$4 per transaction
- Visitor Permits - \$1.75 per permit
- Resident Permits - \$20/\$30
 - If a resident buys one permit, the City would receive \$16 and Passport would receive \$4.
 - If a resident bought two passes at one time, the City would receive \$36 and Passport would receive \$4.
- Non-resident Owner Permit - \$50
 - If a non-resident property owner bought a permit, the City would receive \$46 and Passport would receive \$4
- Visitor Permits - \$30/\$50
 - For each first permit sold, the City would receive \$28.25 and Passport would receive \$1.75
 - For each second permit sold, the City would receive \$48.25 and Passport would receive \$1.75
- October Resident Permit - \$0
 - For each permit distributed, the City would spend \$4
- October Visitor Permit - \$2/\$30
 - For each visitor permit sold, the City would receive \$28.25 and Passport would receive \$1.75
 - For each permit purchased for a non-resident use that is located on a designated street, City would receive \$0.25 and Passport would receive \$1.75
 - For each permit purchased for a hospice worker, home health aide, etc., City would receive \$0.25 and Passport would receive \$1.75

