

ORDINANCE NO. 1429-2024

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 452 PARKING GENERALLY, OF PART FOUR, TITLE EIGHT OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE VILLAGE OF PUT-IN-BAY BY ADDING NEW SECTION 452.013 "PAYMENT FOR PARKING IN DESIGNATED ZONES," AND AMENDING SECTION 452.112 "PARKING ON DELAWARE AVENUE; DESIGNATION OF LOADING ZONE," SECTION 452.114 "SUMMER PARKING RESTRICTIONS" AND SECTION 453.99 "PARKING INFRACTION FINES" OF PART FOUR, TITLE EIGHT OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE VILLAGE OF PUT-IN-BAY, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, adequate parking for residents and visitors to Put-in-Bay is critical to the economic vitality of the Village; and

WHEREAS, parking regulations are necessary to provide adequate parking for residents and visitors to ensure access to businesses and the city, mitigate traffic congestion, and to ensure the safety of Village residents and visitors; and

WHEREAS, this Council finds and determines that due to the demand for parking on public streets within the Village and in Village owned parking lots, metered parking is necessary to ensure adequate parking is available to those that need it; and

WHEREAS, this Council desires to implement a new Section 452.013 in Chapter 452, Parking Generally of Part Four, Title Eight of the Codified Ordinance of the Village of Put-in-Bay, requiring vehicles that park in designated zones consisting of public streets within the Village and in Village owned parking lots to pay a metered fee and to amend Section 452.112, "Parking on Delaware Avenue, Designation of Loading Zones" to permit metered parking; to amend Section 452.114, "Summer Parking Restrictions" to permit metered parking during summer hours; and to amend Section 453.99 "Parking Infraction Fines" to provide for appropriate fines for violations of Section 452.013.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Village of Put-in-Bay, Ottawa County, State of Ohio that:

SECTION 1. Chapter 452, Parking Generally of Part Four, Title Eight of the Codified Ordinance of the Village of Put-in-Bay is amended to include new Section 452.013, as follows:

452.013 PAYMENT FOR PARKING IN DESIGNATED ZONES

(a) As used in this section:

- (1) "Designated Parking Zones" means the areas identified by signs or markings that are designated for public parking on the following public ways which require the payment of a fee in order to park:
 - (i) Delaware;
 - (ii) Hartford;

- (iii) Town Hall Parking Lot; and
- (iv) Catawba

- (2) "Metered Parking" means parking in a which requires the electronic payment of fees through an application for the use of a parking spot in a Designated Parking Zone for a set period of time.
- (3) "Summer Parking Period" means the time from May 1 through October 15, of each year.
- (4) "Vehicle" means any vehicle propelled or drawn by power other than muscular power or power collected from overhead electric trolley wires, except motorized bicycles and electric bicycles not designed for or employed in general highway transportation. Vehicle includes but is not limited to automobiles, under-speed vehicles, utility vehicles, mini-trucks, and low-speed vehicles, including golf-carts.
- (b) No vehicle shall be parked Monday through Sunday during the summer parking period from 12:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m. in any designated parking zone.
- (c) During the summer parking period from 6:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m. Monday through Sunday, no vehicle shall be parked in any designated parking zone which by sign or marking requires metered parking without promptly and immediately paying the parking fee.
- (d) The fee for metered parking shall be at a rate of \$5.00 per hour.
- (e) The appropriate signs for metered parking shall be installed according to law.
- (f) Any person who parks a vehicle in violation of this section shall be liable for a parking infraction pursuant to section 453.99.
- (g) As residents and visitors using parking in the designated parking zones are accessing and deriving the benefits provided by the Village of Put-in-Bay, all fees collected by the Village from metered parking shall be deposited into the Villages' General Revenue Fund.

SECTION 2. Section 452.112, "Parking on Delaware Avenue, Designation of Loading Zones" of Part Four, Title Eight of the Codified Ordinances is amended as follows:

452.112 PARKING ON DELAWARE AVENUE; DESIGNATION OF LOADING ZONE

- (a) Parking on Delaware Avenue, on the north side of the street, from Toledo Avenue eastward to the area known as the Bathing Beach, is hereby permitted. Such parking-will operate seasonally in accordance with Section 452.114(a) and Section 452.013.
- (b) There shall be no parking on Delaware Avenue, on the south side of the street, from Toledo Avenue eastward to the area known as the Bathing Beach.**

- (c) A section on the north side of Delaware Avenue is hereby designated as a loading zone. Such section will be a 20-foot area in front of 95 Delaware Avenue.
- (d) The Village shall establish sign standards for the area in compliance with standards set by the Ohio Department of Transportation in the current edition of the *Ohio Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices*.
- (e) Parking on Delaware Avenue on the north side of the street, from Catawba Avenue to Hartford Avenue, shall be restricted to angled parking for multi-use vehicles, as defined in Section 490.01 of the Village's Codified Ordinances, with seating **for four (4)** passengers or fewer.

SECTION 3. Section 452.114, "Summer Parking Restrictions" of Part Four, Title Eight of the Codified Ordinances is amended as follows:

452.114 SUMMER PARKING RESTRICTIONS.

There is hereby established a summer parking restriction program within the Village of Put-in-Bay, which program shall be administered by the Chief of Police. The times and areas of restricted parking shall be appropriately posted. The summer parking restrictions shall be applicable from May 1 through October 15 of each year. Except as provided for in Section 452.113, the special parking restrictions shall be as follows:

- (a) There shall be no parking between the hours of 12:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m. on the streets surrounding DeRivera Park, as follows:
 - (1) No parking on Delaware between Catawba to Toledo;
 - (2) No parking on Hartford;
 - (3) No parking on Bayview from Hartford to Catawba; and
 - (4) No parking on Catawba from Bayview to Delaware.
- (b) There shall be no parking on the south side of Delaware A venue.
- (c) There shall be no parking on the south side of State Route 357 from the west Village boundary to Toledo Avenue, except parking of golf carts shall be permitted during this time period on the south side of State Route 357 between Catawba Avenue and Hartford, between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 12:00 a.m., each day.
- (d) There shall be no parking on the north side of State Route 357 from the west Village boundary to Toledo Avenue.
- (e) Parking of golf carts only is permitted on the east side of Toledo Avenue from its intersection with Delaware Avenue northerly to the entrance drive to the Perry's Monument Visitors Center.

SECTION 4. Section 453.99, "Parking Infraction Fines" of Part Four, Title Eight of the Codified Ordinances is amended as follows:

453.99 PARKING INFRACTION FINES

- (a) The fine for committing a parking infraction, unless another fine is established by divisions (b), (c) or (d) of this section, shall be fifty dollars (\$50.00).
- (b) The fine for violating each of the following sections of the Codified Ordinances of the Village of Put-in-Bay, Ohio, is fifty dollars (\$50.00):
 - 452.03(a)(12) Double parking
 - 452.04(c) Parking against traffic
 - 452.03(a)(14) Improper or prohibited parking
- (c) The fine for violating each of the following sections of the Codified Ordinances of the Village of Put-in-Bay, Ohio, is fifty dollars (\$50.00):
 - 452.11 Blocking Drive, alley or street
- (d) The fine for violating each of the following sections of the Codified Ordinances of the Village of Put-in-Bay, Ohio, is one-hundred dollars (\$100.00).
 - 452.03(a)(4) Parking in fire zone or near fire hydrant
- (e) The fine for violating section 452.013, Payment for parking in designated zones, of the Codified Ordinances shall be seventy-two dollars (\$72.00).
- (f) The fine for violating section 452.04(f), Physically handicapped parking, of the Codified Ordinances of the Village of Put-in-Bay, Ohio, shall be two-hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00), except the fine shall be reduced to one hundred dollars (\$100.00) when an individual who violates 452.04(f) proves to the satisfaction of the Parking Violations Bureau that at the time of the violation the person for whose transport the motor vehicle was being operated had been issued a removable windshield placard that then was valid or special license plates that then were valid but the person neglected to display the placard or license plates as described in 452.04(f).
- (g) Whoever violates 452.04(h), Physically handicapped parking of the Codified Ordinances of the Village of Put-in-Bay, Ohio, shall be issued a warning. If after three business days the situation has not been corrected, the fine for the continued violation shall be twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for each parking location that is not properly marked or whose markings are not properly maintained.
- (h) If not paid within thirty days of service of the parking ticket pursuant to Section 453.04, the fine for any parking infraction shall be increased by twenty-five dollars (\$25.00).

SECTION 5: This Ordinance shall replace and supersede any and all prior versions of the following sections of the Village of Put-in-Bay Codified Ordinances: Section 452.112 “Parking on Delaware Avenue; Designation of Loading Zone,” Section 452.114 “Summer Parking Restrictions” and Section 453.99 “Parking Infraction Fines.”

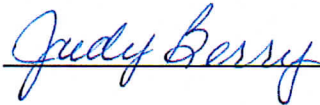
SECTION 6: All formal actions of the Council of the Village of Put-in-Bay concerning and relating to the adoption of this ordinance were taken in open meetings in compliance with all requirements of Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 7: This ordinance is deemed an emergency measure necessary for the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of the Village of Put-in-Bay, Ohio, and for the further reason that this Ordinance is required to be immediately effective in order to provide adequate parking for residents and visitors to ensure access to businesses and the city, mitigate traffic congestion, and to ensure the safety of Village residents and visitors. Therefore, it shall take effect and be in force immediately from and after its passage.

Passed: March 12, 2024

Attest: 
Fiscal Officer

Approved: March 12, 2024


Judy Berry, Mayor