



CITY OF

ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

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BUS/TRUCK PERMITS ST. LOUIS CITY PARK DEPARTMENT POLICY

ORDINANCE: 49771 ST. LOUIS CITY REVISED CODE 22.16.130

No omnibus or express vehicle with or without passengers, nor any cart, dray, truck or other vehicle carrying goods or articles of any kind (except when required in the service of the Department of Parks, Recreation and Forestry), nor any hearse or procession of vehicle shall be permitted to use the drives or other roadways of any of the public parks of the city without the written consent of the Director of Parks, Recreation and Forestry.

POLICY:

- 1) Buses and or commerical vehicles that are going to stay parked in the park need a bus or truck permit. The bus/truck permit allows parking in the park at **designated parking lots only** as indicated on the permit. **Parking along the roadways of the park impedes traffic and is not allowed.**
- 2) Buses dropping off passengers and then leaving the park may do so without a permit, however, traffic should not be blocked and/or stopped. In addition, passengers exiting the bus should be dropped off on the correct side of the street so that they do not have to cross the street to get to their destination.
- 3) Parking permits for all commercial licensed vehicles are \$5.00 per day per vehicle. Annual permits are \$25.00/year per vehicle. **Payment can be made by check or money order only (NO CASH, CREDIT, OR DEBIT CARDS.)**
- 4) The truck/bus permit should be prominently displayed in the windshield of the vehicle. Companies with multiple buses may transfer the permit from one bus to the other as long as every bus in the park displays a permit.
- 5) Commercial trucks/buses will be ticketed if a permit has not been obtained with the exception of buses/trucks parked on one of the Zoo parking lots.
- 6) Please contact (314) 289-5330 to obtain a permit.

***Please note, this is not a new ordinance. Signs are posted at each entrance to the park indicating that commerical vehicles are prohibited except while loading or unloading. Due to increased traffic in the park, this ordinance is being enforced to prevent traffic congestion.**

