



**SNOW EMERGENCY
PARKING ZONE
PILOT PROGRAM
NEIGHBORHOODS**

The City of Rochester's Police, Fire and Public Works Departments have identified 3 neighborhoods that are difficult to plow accumulated snow and or ice due to on-street parking. The Kutzky Park, Eastside Pioneers and Slatterly Park neighborhoods have been designated Snow Emergency Parking Zones.



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This pamphlet contains information on the City's Snow Emergency Parking Zone Pilot Program in the Kutzky Park, Eastside Pioneers and Slatterly Park Neighborhoods.



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SNOW EMERGENCY DECLARATION

The City has developed a Pilot Program to create Snow Emergency Parking Zones to enhance the effective removal of snow and or ice removal during a declared "snow or ice emergency". Snow Emergency procedure and associated parking restriction regulations are proposed in order to reduce hazards and obstructions to the efficient movement of fire, police, emergency, and snow plows.

- The Kutzky Park, Slatterly Park and Eastside Pioneers Neighborhoods have been designated as Snow Emergency Zones due the number of narrow streets and amount of on-street overnight parking.
- When a Snow Emergency is declared people who park their vehicle on the street in a designated Snow Emergency Zone must abide by the Alternate Side Parking Rules for a minimum of two nights.
- A Snow Emergency will always be declared on or before 9PM if it is to take effect that night.
- The City has created *Rochester Alert*, a notification system, to advise citizens of a declared emergencies such a Snow Emergency.
- If conditions warrant, a Snow Emergency can be extended beyond the 48 hours.
- Violations of the Alternative Side Parking rules are subject to a fine of \$50 and a towing fee of \$100.
- The Snow Emergency Parking Zone Pilot Program will begin December 1, 2011 and continue to April 1, 2012.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Q: Do I live in a Snow Emergency Zones?

A: Snow Emergency Zones have been established in the neighborhoods of Kutzky Park, Eastside Pioneers and Slatterly Park.

Q: Where do I park my vehicle during a Declared Snow Emergency?

A: Off-street parking is best. If off-street parking is not available, then park according to the Alternate Side Parking Rules.

Q: Will I get a ticket and will my vehicle get towed if I do not follow the Alternate Side Parking Rules?

A: Yes

Q: My vehicle was towed. Where is my vehicle?

A: Call the Rochester Public Works Department at [\(507\) 328-2400](tel:5073282400) to get the location of your vehicle.

Q: When a Snow Emergency is declared where do I park on a street where parking is normally restricted to one side only?

A: Always follow the Alternate Side Parking Rules.

Q: How can I be notified of a Snow Emergency?

A: Notifications will be made before 9pm if a snow emergency is declared. The City of Rochester has a notification systems, *Rochester Alerts*, that will contact you by your choice of communication including email, SMS text and or phone call. You must sign up for this service online to be connected.

[Rochester Alerts Notification System](http://www.alerts.rochestermn.gov)

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ALTERNATIVE SIDE PARKING RULES

Don't let snow lead to a ticket or a tow. Here are a few things you need to know to **AVOID** a ticket or a tow:

Alternate Side Parking takes effect at 1:00 am the next morning when a snow emergency is declared before 9:00 pm of the preceding night.

Park on the **EVEN** house numbered side of the street on **EVEN** numbered days from 1-7am when a Snow Emergency is declared.



EVEN Day

Park on the **ODD** house numbered side of the street on **ODD** numbered days from 1-7am when a Snow Emergency has been declared.



ODD Day