

**ORDINANCE 1-2001
PARKING ORDINANCE**

**A PARKING ORDINANCE FOR PARKING FACILITIES ON PROPERTIES OWNED
BY THE COUNTY OF WARREN, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA**

WHEREAS, The Commissioners of Warren County are mandated by the County Code to maintain the Warren County Courthouse and grounds for the benefit of the citizens of Warren County, and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners of Warren County are authorized by the County Code to maintain a County Parking Facility, and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners wish to more efficiently manage parking activities on county owned properties to better accommodate our employees and visitors engaged in county related business, and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners, in an effort to better manage the parking facilities, require the option to penalize those who do not act in accordance with the Parking Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Warren, Pennsylvania, do hereby adopt this Parking Ordinance for county owned parking facilities in Warren, Pennsylvania, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on days the courthouse is opened to the public. The following is prohibited on county owned parking facilities:

1. The unauthorized use of reserved parking spaces;
2. The use of county parking spaces by persons not engaged in county related business activities;
3. The use of parking in spaces designated as "No Parking"; and
4. The parking in places not designated as parking spaces.

All violations of this Parking Ordinance shall be punishable by a fine, to be paid for the use of Warren County, in the amount of five dollars (\$5.00) per offense. The Parking Ordinance will be enforced by Officers of the Warren County Sheriff's Department who upon identifying a violation of this Ordinance shall place on or attach to the vehicle illegally parked, a notice to the owner or driver of the vehicle that the vehicle was parked in violation of this Ordinance. The notice will instruct the owner or driver to:

1. Report to the Warren County Sheriff's Department and pay the sum of five dollars (\$5.00) within twenty-four (24) hours after the time of the notice; or
2. Place the sum of five dollars (\$5.00) in the envelope provided and mail to the address shown on the notice.

This action on the part of the violator will save the violator from prosecution and payment of the fine prescribed in the next paragraph hereof.

Any person who violates any section of this Ordinance and who fails to pay the fine set forth in the preceding paragraph shall be cited within fifteen (15) days of the violation, will be prosecuted under the Vehicle Code and will be subject to payment of fine and costs.

It shall be unlawful for any person to ride a pedal cycle or skateboard on county property in the City of Warren. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of five dollars (\$5.00).

This Ordinance shall become effective on March 1, 2001.

APPROVED, ordained, and enacted this 21st day of February 2001.

WARREN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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