

### 5.035. Definitions.

- (1) In addition to those definitions contained in the Oregon Vehicle Code, the following words or phrases, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning, in Chapter 5, shall mean:

Abandoned vehicle.: a vehicle that remains parked or kept on a public right-of-way for more than 24 hours, and one or more of the following conditions exist:

1. The vehicle does not have a lawfully affixed, unexpired registration plate or fails to display current registration
2. The vehicle fails to have vehicle insurance as required by the state of Oregon
3. The vehicle appears to be inoperative or disabled or
4. The vehicle appears to be wrecked, partially dismantled or junked.

~~A vehicle left unoccupied or unclaimed or in a damaged or dismantled condition such that the vehicle is inoperable, AND meets one of the following conditions:~~

*Store, Stored, or Storage of a Vehicle* shall mean the failure to move a motor vehicle, boat, trailer, camper, mobile home, travel trailer, or other personal property, including portable storage containers for a period of ~~72-48~~ hours without moving at least three vehicle lengths away.

### 5.200. Storage of Motor Vehicles and Other Property on the Street.

Except as further limited by WC 10.700 through 10.780, no person shall store or permit to be stored on a street or other public property, without permission of the Council, a motor vehicle, boat, trailer, camper, mobile home, travel trailer, or other personal property, including portable storage containers, for a period in excess of ~~72-48~~ hours, without moving at least three vehicle lengths away.

(Ord. No. 879, § 3(Exh. A), 5-15-2023, eff. 7-1-2023)

### 5.210. Prohibited Parking or Standing.

In addition to the state motor vehicle laws, the following regulations regarding parking or standing of the below-described vehicles apply: [ Subsections (1)-(8) and (10) have been removed for relevance]

- (9) Except as further limited by WC 10.700 through 10.780, no vehicle shall be parked on any street for more than ~~72-48~~ hours without moving at least three vehicle lengths away.
- (11) No vehicle shall be parked or operated on a highway when the vehicle registration as indicated by registration stickers or registration card has been expired for 90 days or more, the vehicle is required to be registered when operated on a street, and the vehicle is parked or being operated on a City street.

(Ord. No. 722, 9-5-2013; Ord. No. 750, 12-1-2014; Ord. No. 804, 2-7-2017; Ord. No. 879, § 3(Exh. A), 5-15-2023, eff. 7-1-2023)

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#### **5.405. Towing with Prior Notice.**

- (1) After providing notice required under section 5.410, and, if requested, a hearing under section 5.435 and 5.440 in which the tow is validated, an authorized officer may tow and impound a vehicle if:
  - (a) The Authorized Officer has probable cause to believe the vehicle is stored or abandoned which is parked or left standing upon the right-of-way of any street or alley or upon any City property for a period in excess of ~~72~~48 hours.
  - (b) The vehicle is parked on property owned, operated, or occupied by the City, other than streets or clearly designated public parking spaces, without express City permission;
  - (c) is parked in violation of a provision of the City's Code or State law, and
  - (d) Three or more parking citations have been issued for violations of sections 5.100—5.245, which have not been paid or contested within the time allowed by law.

#### **5.415. Towing Without Prior Notice.**

- (1) An Authorized officer may, without prior notice, order a vehicle towed, when:
  - (a) The vehicle is parked, disabled, abandoned, or standing unattended on a highway, street, or right-of-way that in such a location constitutes a hazard, obstruction, or impediment to motor vehicles and to persons using the streets, or pedestrian ways, within the City.
  - (p) The vehicle registration as indicated by registration stickers or registration card has been expired for 90 days or more, the vehicle is required to be registered when operated on a highway, and the vehicle is parked or being operated on a City street.