

Local Law 2 of 2014
REGULATING MOTOR VEHICLE USE IN THE BRANT TOWN PARK

A local law Regulating Motor Vehicle Use in the Brant Town Park

BE IT ENACTED BY THE TOWN BOARD OF THE TOWN OF BRANT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Legislative intent

It is the intent of this local law to regulate use of motor vehicles within the Brant Town Park so as to promote public safety and preserve and protect public property from damage.

Section 2. Authority

This local law is adopted pursuant to authority contained in the Town Law and the Vehicle and Traffic Law of the State of New York.

Section 3. Motor Vehicle Regulations for the Brant Town Park

- a. No person shall drive any automobile, motorcycle or other motorized vehicle upon any part of the park except for the proper drives and parking areas, or permit the same to stand upon the drive or any part thereof so as to congest traffic or obstruct the drive. Paths established as footpaths or bicycle paths shall not be used for motorized vehicular traffic.
- b. No vehicle shall be operated on any road or drive in the park at a speed exceeding 15 miles per hour, unless otherwise posted. The Town shall cause signs to be erected along such roads or drives indicating such speed limits.
- c. No person shall park any vehicle or permit any vehicle to remain standing on any lawn or grass area without the Brant Town Park. Parking shall be allowed only within designated parking areas within the Brant Town Park. The Town shall erect suitable signs on roadways and in parking areas, which signs shall indicate where parking, including handicapped parking, is authorized or prohibited.
- d. Parking areas are established for the convenience of patrons while using the facilities or the park. It shall be unlawful for any person to park, stop or leave standing any vehicle in any parking area of the park, except during the time he or she remains in the park.
- e. The term “parking” as used herein shall be defined as the standing of any vehicle, whether occupied or not, unless standing in obedience to traffic regulations or signals or while actively engaged in loading or unloading.
- f. Notwithstanding the foregoing, for special events in the park, the Chief of Police of the Town of Brant is authorized to temporarily allow parking in areas where parking is otherwise prohibited and shall post the areas where such parking will be temporarily permitted.
- g. Any person found guilty of violating any provision of this law shall be guilty of an offense punishable by a fine of \$50.00 for the first offense; \$100.00 for the second offense and \$250.00 for any subsequent offense. Additionally, any vehicle parked in violation of this law shall be subject to towing and storage at the owner’s expense, at the discretion of the Brant Police.

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Section 4. Severability

If any provision of this local law shall be adjudged by any court of jurisdiction to be invalid, such judgment shall not affect, impair or invalidate the remainder thereof, but shall be confined to its operation to the particular provision directly involved in the controversy.

Section 5. Effective date

This local law shall take effect immediately upon adoption by the Brant Town Board.

