



# QUEZON CITY COUNCIL

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ORDINANCE NO. SP- 2472, S-2015

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF ORDINANCE NO. SP-2081, SERIES OF 2011, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS "AN ORDINANCE EXEMPTING ALL SENIOR CITIZENS OF QUEZON CITY FROM THE PAYMENT OF INITIAL RATE FOR PARKING FEES IN ESTABLISHMENTS, MALLS, HOSPITALS PARKING AREAS, OR ANY SIMILAR PLACES CHARGING THE SAME SITUATED WITHIN THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE CITY AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF".

*Introduced by Councilors ALLAN BENEDICT S. REYES and JESUS MANUEL C. SUNTAY.*

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUEZON CITY IN REGULAR SESSION ASSEMBLED:

SECTION 1. TITLE – This Ordinance shall be known as the “SENIOR CITIZEN FREE INITIAL RATE PARKING FEE ORDINANCE OF 2015”.

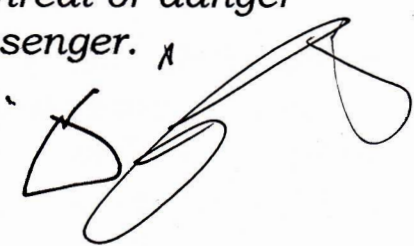
SECTION 2. DEFINITIONS OF TERMS – For this purpose, the following terms shall be construed and mean as follows:

- 2.a INITIAL RATE PARKING FEE – refers to the amount charged for the first three (3) hours of parking or to the initial number of hours provided by the parking establishment;
- 2.b FLAT RATE – fix rate of parking fee irrespective of the number of hour/s the motor vehicle was parked but only until before closing;
- 2.c AUTOMATIC CARD DISPENSER – a dispenser which automatically dispenses a card at the entrance of the parking establishment upon entry of a vehicle;
- 2.d AUTOMATIC TICKET MACHINE – a machine placed at the entrance of a parking establishment which dispenses ticket upon entry of a vehicle;
- 2.e IDENTIFICATION DOCUMENT – refers to any document or proof of being a senior citizen which may be used to avail of the benefits and privileges under this Ordinance. It shall be any of the following:
  - 2.e.1 Senior Citizens’ Identification Card issued by the Office for Senior Citizens Affairs (OSCA) of Quezon City;
  - 2.e.2 The Philippine Passport of the elderly person or Senior Citizen; x

- 2.e.3 Other valid identification documents that will establish the Senior Citizen status of an elderly person as a citizen at least sixty (60) years of age, which shall include, but not limited to the following government-issued identification documents indicating an elderly person's birthdate or age: Driver's License, Voter's ID, SSS/GSIS ID, Professional Regulation Commission Card, or Postal Identification Card.
- 2.f OFFICE FOR SENIOR CITIZENS AFFAIRS (OSCA) – Refers to the office established under the Office of the Mayor headed by a Senior Citizen pursuant to Republic Act No. 9994 and Ordinance No. SP-57, S-93 (Establishing the Office for Senior Citizen Affairs);
- 2.g OVERNIGHT PARKING – Parking Hours during night time beyond the allowable period prescribed by the Pay Parking area/ building owner and/ or administrator;
- 2.h PARKING AREA/BUILDING – An area, structure or edifice being utilized for the parking of vehicles;
- 2.i SENIOR CITIZEN OR ELDERLY – refers to any Filipino citizen who is a resident of Quezon City, sixty (60) years old or above. It may apply to senior citizens with dual citizenship status, provided, they prove their Filipino citizenship and have at least re-established six (6) months residency in the Philippines, pursuant to Article 5, Rule III of the Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act No. 9994. ✓

**SECTION 3. EXEMPTION** - All Senior Citizens of Quezon City are exempt from the payment of initial rate for parking fees or charges in all establishments with public parking facilities such as, but not limited to malls, hospitals, hotels and other similar places situated within the territorial jurisdiction of the City.

- (a) Such initial rate shall be for at least three (3) hours or to the initial number of hours provided by the parking establishments. Continued parking in excess of the hours fixed therefore may be charged the corresponding rate per hour or any fraction thereof as published prominently at the entrance of the parking area. In case of a flat rate, no fees shall be charged; provided that, should such parking exceed four (4) hours, full payment of the flat rate may be charged.
- (b) The free parking privilege herein granted may be availed of on any slot of the parking area, or parking building or any level thereof, open to the public on a first-come-first-served basis and subject only to the availability of such parking slots.
- (c) The privilege herein granted shall not apply to overnight parking, except in extraordinary circumstances such as, but not limited to emergency confinement in a hospital, civil disturbance, force majeure or other conditions which render the mobility of the subject vehicle impossible or may pose serious threat or danger to the Senior Citizen driver or passenger. *λ*



**SECTION 4. PROCEDURE** – To avail of the exemption mentioned herein, the elder constituent must either be a driver or a passenger in the subject vehicle and present his/her valid Senior Citizen Identification Card issued by the Office for Senior Citizens Affairs (OSCA) for Quezon City or any other valid identification document mentioned in Section 2 (e), hereof upon entry in the establishments mentioned in Section 3 hereof showing his age and address in Quezon City. In case such establishments are equipped with automatic ticketing machines or automatic card-dispensing machines, the presentation of such identification documents shall be made upon exit for validation by the booth attendant or cashier.

**SECTION 5. PENALTIES** – In case of the cashier or booth attendant, violation of this Ordinance shall be impose an imprisonment of One (1) day to Thirty (30) days or a fine of Five Hundred Pesos (Php500.00) or both such imprisonment and fine, at the discretion of the court.

In case of the operator, manager and/or owner of the said parking space, violation of this ordinance shall be imposed an imprisonment of One (1) day to Thirty (30) days or a fine of Two Thousand Pesos (Php2,000.00) or both such imprisonment and fine, at the discretion of the court.

Reiteration of infraction by the operator, manager and/or owner shall result to revocation of the business permit of the parking area or space concerned.

**SECTION 6. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE** – If, for any reason, any part or provision of this Ordinance shall be held unconstitutional or invalid, other parts or provisions hereof, which are not affected thereby, shall be in full force and effect.


**SECTION 7. REPEALING CLAUSE** – All Ordinances, Resolutions, Implementing Rules and Regulations, Executive Orders, Memorandum Circulars and Office orders or parts thereof, which are inconsistent with any provisions of this Ordinance, are hereby repealed, or modified accordingly. x

*SECTION 8. EFFECTIVITY – This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its approval.*


*ENACTED: December 1, 2015.*

  
ANTHONY PETER D. CRISOLOGO  
Acting Vice Mayor  
Acting Presiding Officer

ATTESTED:


  
Atty. JOHN THOMAS S. ALFEROS III  
City Gov't. Asst. Dept. Head III

APPROVED: 24 FEB 2016

  
HERBERT M. BAUTISTA  
City Mayor

CERTIFICATION

*This is to certify that this Ordinance was APPROVED by the City Council on Second Reading on December 1, 2015 and was PASSED on Third/Final Reading on December 7, 2015.*

  
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