



CITY OF REDWOOD CITY

Building Inspection & Code Enforcement Services

PARKING LAWS IN REDWOOD CITY

Inoperative Vehicles- It is prohibited to park or store upon private property in Redwood City any inoperative automobile, trailer, house trailer, camper, van, truck, pickup truck, recreational vehicle, boat or other vehicle, or parts thereof unused and unattended for a period of one hundred twenty (120) consecutive hours (5 days) which is visible from any other private property or any public street, sidewalk or place. (RCC 14.72M). *An inoperative vehicle is defined as any vehicle that cannot be legally operated, moved or left standing upon any California street or highway because it is not currently registered or functioning. Vehicles that are not registered, even though they have been issued a certificate of non-operation from the DMV are still considered inoperative in Redwood City and if visible are in violation of the ordinance.*



Parking on front and side Yards-

It is prohibited to park or store any automobile, trailer, house trailer, camper, van, truck, pickup truck, recreational vehicle, boat or other vehicle, or other mobile equipment (whether or not motorized) upon the front yard (lawn) or street side yard of a corner lot. All operable vehicles located in the front of residences must be parked in legal garages, carports, or on the paved driveway or surface. (RCC 14.72)

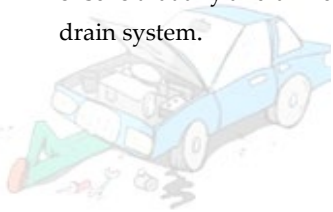
Residing in Vehicles- It is prohibited within the city limits of Redwood City for anyone to sleep in, cook in, or use for any other living purposes an automobile, trailer, house trailer, vehicle, boat or other vehicle. (RCC 14.2 N)

Residential Vehicle Repair- The City of Redwood City authorizes citizens to perform minor routine maintenance repairs to their vehicles within a residential district.

Minor repairs such as changing the oil or the replacement of the air filter, spark plugs, brakes, tires, shocks, etc. is authorized in public view but not upon the public street.

Major vehicle repairs such as, but not limited to, replacing the engine/transmission, or major auto bodywork is only authorized if such work is being conducted inside legal garage or carport.

While conducting vehicle repairs, it is the property owner's responsibility to ensure that any and all fluids, oils, etc. is not illicitly discharged into storm water drain system.



For all parking violations on Public Street,
please contact **Redwood City Police**
Department at (650) 780-7100.

The City of Redwood City thanks you for your help



Code Enforcement Mission Statement



It shall be the Code Enforcement staff's mission to provide the residents and businesses of Redwood City with professional and courteous community service they can count on at all times.

We will always endeavor to protect and preserve the public health, safety, welfare, and quality of life of all our residents by investigating violations and enforcing city ordinances without prejudice or bias.

We recognize that team work is essential in any organization and will continuously strive to work in partnership with residents, businesses, neighborhood associations, public service agencies and other city departments to make Redwood City a great place to live or work.



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