

METERED SPACES

The City of Savannah provides 3,000 metered spaces in Savannah's Historic District with time limits ranging from 15 minutes to 10 hours. The cost per hour for parking on the meters ranges from \$.30 per hour to \$.75 per hour depending on the location of the meter. Parking meter rates in the three River Street parking lots are \$1.00 per hour.

Parking meter, as well as time limit zone, regulations are enforced Monday through Friday from 8AM until 5PM. Safety regulations, fire hydrants, fire lanes, yellow lines, etc., are enforced 24 hours a day, seven days a week by Parking Services and the Savannah Police Department. Contact Parking services at (912) 651-6467 for more information.

COMMERCIAL VEHICLE DECAL

A commercial vehicle parking permit (decal) can be purchased to park business vehicles in marked freight zones, lanes, or alleys, or at officially bagged parking meters for the purpose of loading or unloading merchandise or providing maintenance, repair, or construction services.

FIRE HYDRANTS

Blocking a fire hydrant could prevent fire equipment from reaching its destination and could cause serious property damage and loss of life. Never park within 15 feet of a fire hydrant.

PASSENGER LOADING ZONE

Passenger loading zones accommodate the receiving and discharging of passengers at downtown establishments. Parking is limited to the expedient loading and unloading of passengers.

SIDEWALKS

Sidewalks provide pedestrians a safe place to walk. Parking any portion of your vehicle on the sidewalk is prohibited. In addition, you'll help preserve Savannah's sidewalks and avoid fines.

DRIVEWAYS

Please keep driveways open by not blocking or parking in front of them. A sign is not needed to enforce this regulation. Vehicles may need the full width of the driveway to get to and from the street.

STREET CLEANING

Be on the lookout for street sweeping signs when parking in the city. Certain hours are set aside to allow easy passage for street cleaning vehicles.

YELLOW LINES

To prevent serious traffic congestion difficulty or to allow for turn of larger vehicles, please do not park in safety zones under any circumstances.

TRAFFIC SIGNALS, CORNERS AND CROSSWALKS

For safety reasons, traffic signals, crosswalks, and intersections must be visible to motorists and pedestrians. Blocking visibility at a corner can result in a serious accident.

PARKSMART

ROBINSON GARAGE, PH: (912) 651-6478

Location: York and Montgomery Streets

Hours of Operation: 24 hours a day/7 days a week

Monthly rates: Monday Friday 6AM until 9PM, \$70

Unlimited access during hours of operation, \$85

Free Parking: Free Monday through Friday 6PM until 6AM, Free Saturday and Sunday, all day during the construction of the Ellis Square Project. Free parking is exempt during special events.

BRYAN STREET GARAGE, PH: (912) 651-6477

Location: Bryan and Abercorn Streets

Hours of Operation: 24 hours a day/7 days a week

Monthly Rates: Monday through Friday 6AM until 9PM, \$75

Unlimited access, seven days a week/24 hours a day, \$90

Evenings/Weekends: Monday through Friday 6PM until 6AM, \$2 Saturday and Sunday, all day and night, \$1

STATE STREET GARAGE, PH: (912) 651-6473

Location: State and Abercorn Streets

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday, 6AM to 1AM

Saturday: 5AM to 3AM/Sunday: 5AM until 1AM

Monthly Rates: Monday through Friday 6AM until 9PM, \$75

Unlimited access during hours of operation, \$90

Free Parking: Free Monday through Friday 6PM until 6AM, Free Saturday and Sunday, all day during the construction of the Ellis Square Project. Free parking is exempt during special events.

LIBERTY STREET GARAGE, PH: (912) 644-5934

Location: Liberty and Montgomery Streets

Hours of Operation: Monday through Friday 6AM

until 1AM

Saturday 5AM until 3AM/Sunday 5AM until 1AM

Monthly rates: Monday through Friday 6AM until 9PM, \$35

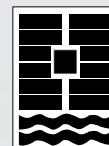
Unlimited access during hours of operation, \$65

Evenings/Weekends: Monday through Friday 6PM until 6AM, \$2 Saturday and Sunday, all day and night, \$1

All Garages Special Event Rates: \$3 to \$10 depending on the event

Daily Rates (Hourly Parking): \$1 for the first hour and \$.75 for each additional hour or portion thereof

Parking Shuttle: Parking Services operates a free downtown parking shuttle to provide transportation to and from downtown garages. Please call Parking Services at 651-6470 to obtain a shuttle schedule.

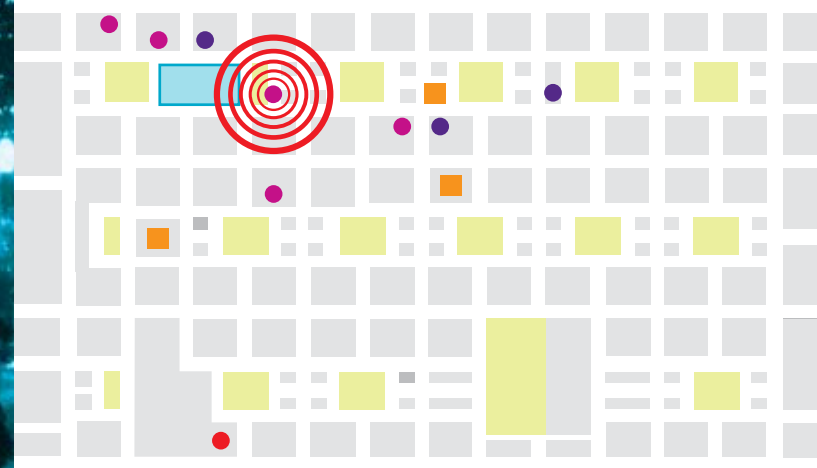


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DOWNTOWN

SAVANNAH PARKING GUIDE

The City of Savannah welcomes you as a resident, visitor, business owner and/or student to Greater Downtown Savannah. To ensure that your visit is pleasant and to accommodate questions you may have regarding parking and traffic regulations within our downtown area, we have provided the following information to assist you. Enjoy your experience in downtown Savannah!

PARKING SMART IN SAVANNAH

RESIDENTIAL PERMIT PARKING

The City provides permits for residents who live on metered streets. The permit allows residents to park free on meters within the block on which they live and one additional block in each direction. Residents are also encouraged to park in the garages.

STUDENT PARKING

Parking permits are available for students. Free residential permits are available to those vehicles which are registered in Chatham County. To qualify, a student must live on a metered block and not in a dormitory. The parking privileges are the same as those of the residential permit.

RIDE, PARK AND SHOP

The City of Savannah and participating merchants jointly subsidize free parking for downtown shoppers with \$.50 and \$1.00 stamps good at all four City garages. Look for decals in store windows and ask merchants for details about their individual program.

VISITOR PARKING DAY-PASS

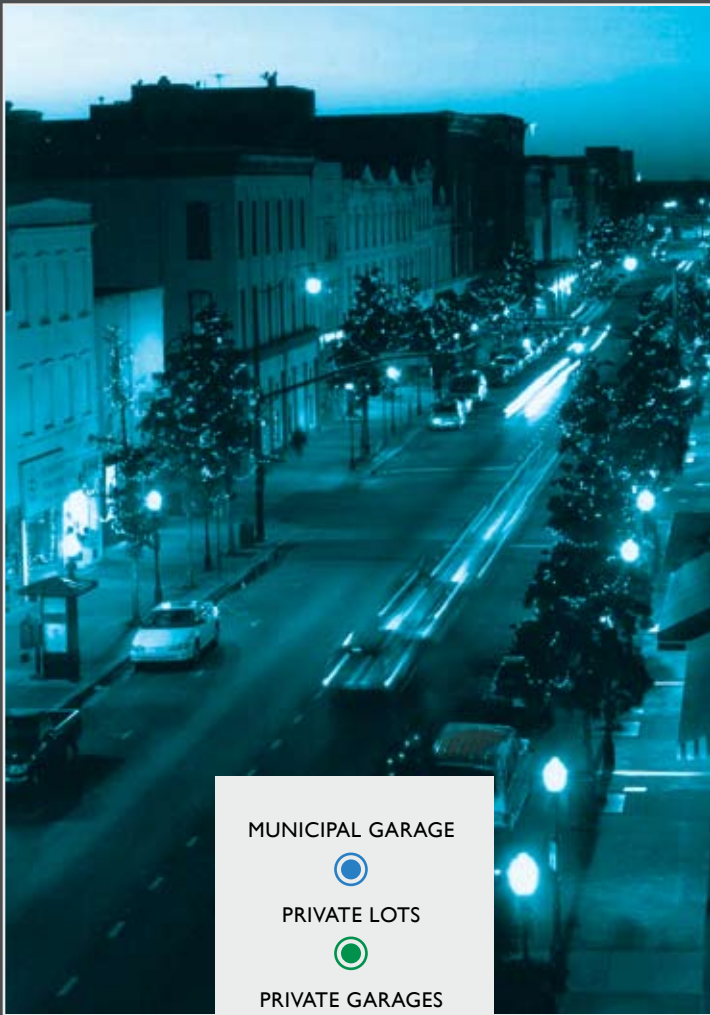
Tourists may purchase for \$8.00, a two-day parking pass from the Savannah Visitors Center, the Parking Services Department, and various hotels and inns. This pass authorizes free parking on meters of one hour or more, free parking in the City's lots and parking garages, and exceeding the time limit in time-limit zones. Visitor day passes will not be honored during special events.

SMART CARDS

Smart cards are prepaid parking cards that can be used at the pay-an-display parking meters in addition to coins, currency and credit cards. Smart cards are available in denominations of \$25, \$50, \$75, and \$100 and can be purchased at Parking Services located in the Bryan Street Garage at Bryan and Abercorn Streets. Pay and display meters are located in the general area bounded by River Street, Broughton Street, Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard, and East Broad Street.

DISABILITY PARKING

Parking Services provides disability parking spaces for the exclusive use of vehicles displaying the appropriate permit. The spaces are dispersed in all areas of the city and include free spaces as well as metered spaces. The spaces are located on-street throughout the City, in City owned garages, and in City operated lots (River Street lots). The disability permit spaces in the Historic District all require payment for parking.



MUNICIPAL GARAGE

PRIVATE LOTS

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CITY LOTS

Chatham Area Public Transit has been providing Transportation in Chatham County since 1987 and it's only \$1.00 a ride. Pick up a bus book with a complete route and schedule information at convenient locations around town or call one of their transit agents at 233-5767. CAT's transit agents are ready to assist you in planning your next trip...to work, shopping, the movies, etc...anywhere! Catch a CAT. Just \$1.00 and you're riding. CAT's downtown shuttle provides Historic District transportation for residents and visitors free of charge.

www.catchacat.org



WHAT TO DO....

IF YOU GET A TICKET

The City provides five business days for you to pay your fine. After five business days, a \$12.00 penalty is added to the fine. A parking ticket not paid within 30 calendar days after the date of issue receives an additional \$17.00 penalty. Failure to pay tickets can subject you to a court summons and/or immobilization of your vehicle. Tickets can be paid by check, Visa or Mastercard or on-line.

TO CONTEST A TICKET AND FEE

Take the ticket within five business days of the ticket date to Parking Services in the Bryan Street Parking Garage at 100 E. Bryan Street, or call Parking Services at (912) 651-6470.

IF YOUR VEHICLE IS BOOTED

The boot is used to encourage compliance with parking regulations and payment of tickets and fees. Once the boot is placed, it will not be removed until you've paid your delinquent tickets, late penalties and the boot removal fee. Arrangements must be made for the release of a vehicle within 24 hours of the date and time of immobilization. If arrangements have not been made the vehicle will be impounded.

IF YOUR VEHICLE IS TOWED

Vehicles parked on properly marked private property may be towed at the request of the property owner. Vehicles parked in a tow away zone will be towed because they interfere with pedestrians, cause safety hazards, and/or obstruct the flow of traffic. If your vehicle is towed from private property, call the telephone number of the company listed on the sign in the lot, Parking Services at (912) 651-6467, or the Savannah Chatham Metropolitan Police Department at (912) 651-6676. Some violations for which your car may be towed include but are not limited to the following: parking on private property, failure to pay tickets once a vehicle has been immobilized, and parking in driveways or fire lanes.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

General Parking Info:	(912) 651-6470
Parking Enforcement:	(912) 651-6474
Booting Information:	(912) 644-7995
Abandoned Cars:	(912) 651-6543
Non Emergency Number:	(912) 232-4141
Emergency Numbers:	911
Police/Fire/Ambulance	
24 hours a day	
Chatham Area Transit	(912) 233-5767