

# Collingdale Borough Parking Guide

Pennsylvania Vehicle Code (Title 75) & Collingdale Borough Ordinances



## Part I – Statewide Rules (Title 75, PA Vehicle Code)

These apply everywhere in Pennsylvania, including Collingdale. **Enforcement does not require warning or signage.**

Rule	Explanation	Distance / Condition	Statute
<b>Fire Hydrants</b>	No parking near hydrants	Within 15 ft	§3353(a)(2)(ii)
<b>Crosswalks</b>	No parking at crosswalks	Within 20 ft	§3353(a)(2)(iii)
<b>Stop/Yield/Signals</b>	No parking near traffic controls	Within 30 ft	§3353(a)(2)(iv)
<b>Fire Stations</b>	No parking near driveways	20 ft (same side), 75 ft (opposite side if posted)	§3353(a)(2)(v)
<b>Railroad Crossings</b>	No parking near rails	Within 50 ft	§3353(a)(2)(vi)
<b>Driveways</b>	Do not block	Not permitted	§3353(a)(2)(i)
<b>Sidewalks/Intersections</b>	Do not park on	Prohibited	§3353(a)
<b>Double-Parking</b>	Beside parked vehicle	Prohibited	§3353(a)(1)
<b>Proper Curb (Two-Way)</b>	Right wheels ≤ 12 in from curb	≤ 12 in	§3354(a)
<b>Proper Curb (One-Way)</b>	Park in traffic direction, ≤ 12 in from curb	≤ 12 in	§3354(b)
<b>Accessible Spaces</b>	Only with valid placard/plate	Fines/towing	§3354(d)-(g)

## Part II – Collingdale Borough Ordinances

Local rules that supplement state law. Enforcement requires signage or local posting, and fines are set by Borough Code.

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## 1. Abandoned & Nuisance Vehicles

- **§571-2 & §571-3** – No abandoned vehicles on streets or private property. Fine up to \$15 per day.
- **§579-2 to §579-5** – Nuisance vehicles (e.g. broken glass, flat tires, rust holes, vermin harboring) prohibited unless stored in enclosed building with Borough permit. Fines up to \$300/day.

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## 2. Parking Requirements & Prohibitions

### *§575-23 – Marked Spaces*

- Vehicles must be parked fully within lines of marked spaces.
- Fine: \$15 (cars); \$25 (trucks overnight).

### *§575-24 – Angle Parking*

- Angle parking required on designated streets; front must face curb.
- Fine: \$15/\$25.

### *§575-25 – Parking Prohibited at All Times*

No parking allowed **at any time** on the following street segments (side noted):

- Beechwood Ave (South): Collingdale Ave → Roberta Ave
- Beechwood Ave (South): Lafayette Ave → Woodlawn Ave
- Chester Pike (East): #40 Chester Pike → Quarry St
- Chester Pike (West): Cherry St → #126 Chester Pike
- Chester Pike (West): MacDade Blvd → #66 Chester Pike
- Clifton Ave (East): B&O Railroad → MacDade Blvd
- Clifton Ave (West): B&O Railroad → Rively Ave
- Florence Ave (North): Entire length
- Girard Ave (West): Spruce St → North St
- Glen Cove Rd (North): Entire length
- Kern St (South): Rhodes Ave → Staley Ave
- Lynbrook Rd (East): Entire length
- MacDade Blvd (East): Chester Pike → Springfield Rd
- MacDade Blvd (South): #10 MacDade Blvd → Chester Pike
- Pusey Ave (South): Felton Ave → Lincoln Ave
- Roberta Ave (East): #123 Roberta Ave → MacDade Blvd
- Springfield Rd (West): Lynbrook Rd → MacDade Blvd
- Springfield Rd (West): #944 Springfield Rd → MacDade Blvd
- Springfield Rd (West): MacDade Blvd → Chester Pike
- Spruce St (North): Montgomery Ave → Clifton Ave

- Spruce St (South): Meeth St → Felton Ave
- Westmont Dr (South): Entire length
- Woodlawn Ave (East): Beechwood Ave → North St

#### *§575-26 – Parking Prohibited on Certain Days/Hours*

(Street-cleaning/maintenance restrictions):

- Andrews Ave (North, Collingdale → Lafayette): Tues 10 am–12 noon
- Andrews Ave (South, Collingdale → Roberta): Tues 10 am–12 noon
- Andrews Ave (North, Collingdale → Roberta): Wed 10 am–12 noon
- Andrews Ave (South, Collingdale → Lafayette): Wed 10 am–12 noon
- Ash Ave (North): Mon 9 am–10 am
- Ash Ave (South): Tues 9 am–10 am
- Bartram Ave (North, Sharon → Lafayette): Thurs 1 pm–3 pm

#### *§575-27 – Commercial Vehicle Restrictions*

- No parking/stopping of commercial vehicles, buses, RVs, limos, trailers, or trucks >7,000 lbs or 25+ ft long on Borough streets for more than 1 hour (unless loading/unloading, emergencies, Borough/school use, or valid handicap use).
- Fines: \$50–\$1,000 per day.

#### *§575-28 – Parking Time Limits*

- Clifton Ave (East, Broad → Spruce): 15 min
- Girard Ave (East, Spruce → North): 30 min
- MacDade Blvd (North, Roberta → Wolfenden): 1 hr (Mon–Sat, 9 am–5 pm)
- MacDade Blvd (North, Staley → Rhodes): 2 hrs (Mon–Sat, 9 am–5 pm)

#### *§575-29 – Special Purpose Parking*

- Designated zones for specific vehicles (e.g. official, emergency, reserved). Parking prohibited otherwise.

#### *§575-30 – Loading/Unloading Zones*

- Certain streets allow loading/unloading Mon–Sat, 9–11:30 am & 1:30–4 pm.
- Unlawful to: park in loading zones outside permitted times, within 25 ft of corner, farther than 6 in from curb, or on wrong side of street.

#### *§575-31 – Handicap Parking (Borough Signs)*

- Must display valid plate/placard.
- Unauthorized use: \$50 fine.
- Unauthorized creation of handicap space: \$50–\$100 fine.

### *§575-32 – Residential Permit Parking*

- Certain areas restricted to resident permit holders to reduce commuter parking.
- Fine: \$15/\$25.

### *§575-48 – Tow-Away Zones*

Signed zones where vehicles may be removed if parked illegally:

- Cherry St (Both sides, Chester Pike → Pusey Ave)
- Wolfington Ave (Both sides, Railroad → Pusey Ave)
- Westmont Dr (Odd side, 400 block)

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## **Part III – Resident Quick Reference**

### **Top 6 Reasons Residents Get Ticketed in Collingdale:**

1. Parking too close to hydrants, crosswalks, or stop signs (Title 75).
2. Parking during prohibited street-cleaning hours (§575-26).
3. Commercial trucks, RVs, or limos parked overnight (§575-27).
4. Not within marked spaces (§575-23).
5. Unauthorized use of handicap spaces (§575-31 & Title 75).
6. Wrong-way/Directional Parking