

# SNOW EVENT SPECIAL PARKING RESTRICTIONS

6:00pm Sunday February 22nd – 6:00am Tuesday February 24th

Parking on all roadways is restricted during PLOWABLE snow events, to allow for snowplow clearance. By clearing the snow to the curb, the borough can ensure adequate cart way clearance for Fire Trucks, Ambulances & other Emergency Vehicles. If your cars do not fit in the driveway, consider asking a neighbor if space is available. Our Front Lawn Parking Ordinance is Temporarily Suspended.

Please make every effort to comply.

10.08.070 - Parking temporarily prohibited for snow removal and other emergencies.

A.

Upon the discretion of the police department, any ranking officer is authorized to declare an emergency. Upon the declaration of an emergency, there will be no parking upon streets when weather conditions, accidents, fires or public celebrations dictate or require the avoidance of hazards or other conditions which interfere with the free flow of traffic.

B.

Any unoccupied vehicle parked or standing in violation of this section shall be deemed a nuisance and a menace to the safe and proper regulation of traffic and any police officer may provide for the removal of such vehicle. The owner shall pay the reasonable costs of the removal and storage which may result from such removal before regaining possession of the vehicle.

**WE ASK FOR YOUR VOLUNTARY COOPERATION TO THIS  
NOTICE**

**STRATFORD OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**  
**315 UNION AVENUE**  
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**PROCLAMATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY**

***TO ALL CITIZENS AND PERSONS WITHIN THE BOROUGH OF STRATFORD, NEW JERSEY, AND TO ALL DEPARTMENTS, DIVISIONS AND BUREAUS OF THE COUNTY GOVERNMENT AND ALL BUREAUS OF THE BOROUGH GOVERNMENT OF THE BOROUGH OF STRATFORD, NEW JERSEY.***

**WHEREAS**, Pursuant to the powers vested in me by Chapter 251 of the Laws of 1942, as amended and supplemented, N.J.S.A. App. A:9-30 et. seq.; N.J.S.A. 40:48-1(6), and ordinances enacted pursuant thereto; N.J.S.A. 2C:33-1 et. seq.; and by ordinances adopted by the Borough of Stratford, I have, based upon verified information, forecasts, and known facts or predictable conditions have a well-founded belief that a local emergency should be declared in advance of an anticipated local emergency within the Borough of Stratford *and*

**WHEREAS**, In accordance with the aforesaid laws, and after consulting and subsequent concurrence of Mayor Linda E. Hall, Chief Executive Official of the Borough of Stratford, does hereby authorize the promulgation of such order, rules and regulations, as are necessary to meet the various problems which have or may be presented by an emergency; to include the cancellation

**WHEREAS**, And, for reasons of known and or anticipated public safety concerns, to include weather and other occurrences related to a forecasted weather event in the coming days certain actions and directives shall be promulgated to ensure an adequate response to protect the Health, Safety and Welfare of the citizens of Stratford.

**WHEREAS**, It has been determined and ordered that the clearing of snow and ice from public roadways is a high priority, and that the resources of the Department of Public Works shall focus their time and effort on said tasks.

**WHEREAS**, It is further determined and ordered that the Borough of Stratford Fire Department is adequately equipped and staffed to perform certain public safety tasks unrelated to non "fire scene operations" to include tree and limb removal, debris and other roadway hazards to include assisting stranded citizens, aiding Emergency Medical and Police personnel, assisting motorists, disabled vehicles, and to carryout road closures or detours or other actions to prevent or alleviate hazards and to protect the Health, Safety and Welfare of the citizens of Stratford.

**WHEREAS**, It has been determined and ordered the Stratford Police Department shall assist by enforcing local laws related to parking, direct or restrict vehicle movements, and take certain actions to control traffic, close or detour roadways and erect temporary traffic control measures, erect signage and or issue safety orders or notices to protect the Health, Safety and Welfare of the citizens of Stratford.

**WHEREAS**, It has been determined and ordered that the provisions of Stratford Borough Ordinance 10.080.070, ON STREET PARKING RESTRICTIONS are in effect as of 6:00pm, Sunday February 22, 2026, and shall authorize the Stratford Police to take whatever action is necessary to remove vehicles from roadway that pose a hazard and or are obstructing public passages. The NO ON STREET PARKING RESTRICTION, shall be self-cancelling at 6:00pm Tuesday February 24, 2026, unless extended by the Stratford Police Department. Stratford Ordinances prohibiting Front Lawn Parking are suspended until Saturday February 28, 2026.

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**WHEREAS,** And, for the previously declared reasons, it is anticipated within the Borough of Stratford that this order is reasonably necessary to protect the citizens of the Borough of Stratford from undue risks, and is designed to leverage all municipal resources and property to accomplish certain tasks related to the emergency.

**THEREFORE,** This order shall be in effect for the territorial boundaries of the Borough of Stratford without exception.

**NOW, THEREFORE,** In accordance with the previously mentioned laws, I do hereby promulgate and declare the forgoing order in compliance with all laws of the State of New Jersey and Ordinance of the Borough of Stratford.

Made, ordered and issued this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Feb 2026



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Ronald M. Morello  
Municipal Emergency Management Coordinator  
Borough of Stratford

