

# 2024 Resident Information Brochure



2024 Resident Parking Permit  
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Traffic, Parking, + Transportation



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# Resident and Visitor Permit Rules

Learn more at [cambridgema.gov/parkingpermits](https://cambridgema.gov/parkingpermits).

Violations of these rules may result in a fine of up to \$300 for each offense.

## Resident Parking Permits

- Permit must be stuck on the inside lower driver's side corner of the vehicle windshield.
- The number on the permit must match the license plate number of the vehicle
- If you get a new car or your plate changes, you cannot keep using the same permit.
- Do not copy the permit or transfer it to another vehicle.
- If you alter or move the permit, it will be revoked and the vehicle displaying the permit will be ticketed.
- If you move out of Cambridge, remove your permit.
- All permits expire March 31, 2025.

## Visitor Parking Permits

Non-residents can use Visitor Parking Permits in "Parking by Permit Only" areas while visiting a resident's home. Visitors must return the permit to the resident at the end of the visit.

### Who can use visitor parking permits?

- Residents of Cambridge may not use visitor permits.
- You can only use visitor permits in a certain area, not all of Cambridge. A map on the back of the permit shows where your guests can park.
- Taxis, livery vehicles, and oversized vehicles cannot use visitor permits.

### What are the rules?

- Do not copy, sell, transfer, or alter visitor permits.
- Vehicles using a visitor permit must move after 24 hours.
- A vehicle using a visitor permit cannot park in the same area for more than three days out of the week (excluding Sundays).
- The City tracks visitor permit use. If a visitor permit is used a lot on the same vehicle, we may ticket the vehicle and/or revoke the permit.
- If you move within Cambridge, notify TP+T. You may need to exchange your permit.

## Permit Placement



### Permits go here.

Remove all prior year permits.

Resident Parking Permit stickers go on the inside lower driver's side corner of the windshield.

Visitor Parking Permits go on the dashboard of the visitor's car.

Park your car in compliance with all City signs and regulations.

## New Resident Parking Permit Limits

Beginning this year, the City of Cambridge has placed a limit on the number of Resident Parking Permits each Cambridge resident may obtain.

An individual may have no more than four vehicles with Resident Parking Permits.

## What's Happening on Cambridge Streets?

### No Turn on Red

Throughout 2023, Cambridge installed "No Turn on Red" signs at most traffic lights in the city. This means that you cannot turn right at a red light, even after coming to a complete stop.

This rule increases safety for people walking and biking, creating more predictability at traffic signals.

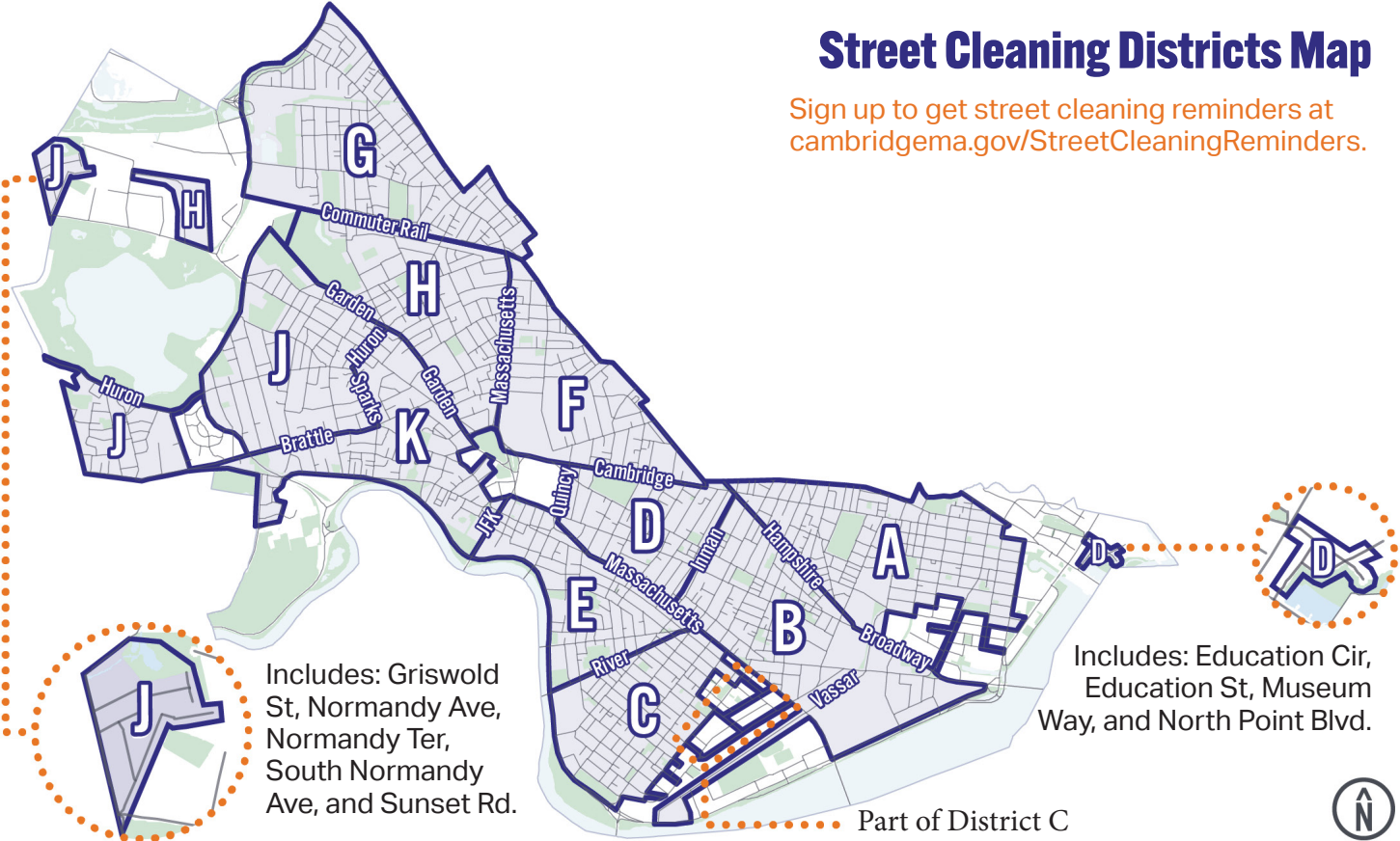
### The Cycling Safety Ordinance

The Cycling Safety Ordinance requires Cambridge to install 25 miles of separated bike lanes between 2020 and 2026. Separated bike lanes increase comfort and safety for people biking by using a physical barrier to separate them from vehicles.

Learn more and see what's planned next at [cambridgema.gov/cyclingsafetyordinance](https://cambridgema.gov/cyclingsafetyordinance).

# Street Cleaning Districts Map

Sign up to get street cleaning reminders at [cambridgema.gov/StreetCleaningReminders](http://cambridgema.gov/StreetCleaningReminders).



# 2024 Street Cleaning Schedule

\*Indicates schedule change to accommodate holidays  
617-349-4800 | [cambridgema.gov/theworks](http://cambridgema.gov/theworks)

DISTRICT	SIDE	DAY	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
A	Odd	1 <sup>st</sup> Wed	3	1	5	3	7	4	2	6	4
A	Even	1 <sup>st</sup> Thu	4	2	6	10-Jul*	1	5	3	7	5
B	Odd	1 <sup>st</sup> Mon	1	6	3	1	5	29-Aug*	7	4	2
B	Even	1 <sup>st</sup> Tue	2	7	4	2	6	3	1	5	3
C	Odd	1 <sup>st</sup> Fri	5	3	7	5	2	6	4	1	6
C	Even	2 <sup>nd</sup> Mon	8	13	10	8	12	9	30-Sep*	29-Oct*	9
D	Odd	2 <sup>nd</sup> Tue	9	14	11	9	13	10	8	12	10
D	Even	2 <sup>nd</sup> Wed	10	8	12	10	14	11	9	13	11
E	Odd	2 <sup>nd</sup> Thu	11	9	13	11	8	12	10	14	12
E	Even	2 <sup>nd</sup> Fri	12	10	14	12	9	13	11	8	13
F	Odd	3 <sup>rd</sup> Mon	29-Apr*	20	17	15	19	16	21	18	16
F	Even	3 <sup>rd</sup> Tue	16	21	18	16	20	17	15	19	17
G	Odd	3 <sup>rd</sup> Wed	17	15	30-May*	17	21	18	16	20	18
G	Even	3 <sup>rd</sup> Thu	18	16	20	18	15	19	17	21	19
H	Odd	3 <sup>rd</sup> Fri	19	17	21	19	16	20	18	15	20
H	Even	4 <sup>th</sup> Mon	22	29-May*	24	22	26	23	28	25	23
J	Odd	4 <sup>th</sup> Tue	23	28	25	23	27	24	22	26	30-Dec*
J	Even	4 <sup>th</sup> Wed	24	22	26	24	28	25	23	27	31-Dec*
K	Odd	4 <sup>th</sup> Thu	25	23	27	25	22	26	24	29-Nov*	26
K	Even	4 <sup>th</sup> Fri	26	24	28	26	23	27	25	22	27

## Contact Information

### City of Cambridge

617-349-4000 | [cambridgema.gov](http://cambridgema.gov)

### Traffic, Parking, and Transportation

617-349-4700 | [cambridgema.gov/tpt](http://cambridgema.gov/tpt)

### Police (Non-Emergency) and Towed Vehicles

617-349-3300

[cambridgema.gov/TowedVehicles](http://cambridgema.gov/TowedVehicles)

All phone numbers listed are voice numbers.  
You may also contact us via 711 (relay).

### Read this brochure online:

[www.cambridgema.gov/2024rpp](http://www.cambridgema.gov/2024rpp)

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## 2025 Renewal Season

*See You Next Year!*

Your 2024 permit will expire March 31, 2025. The 2025 Resident/Visitor Permit season will begin on January 2, 2025.

You will be able to renew your 2024 permit online at [cambridgema.gov/parkingpermits](http://cambridgema.gov/parkingpermits) beginning on December 1, 2024.