

# *St. Louis City Ordinance 64001*

FLOOR SUBSTITUTE

BOARD BILL NO. [96] 294

INTRODUCED BY ALDERMAN MARTIE ABOUSSIE

An ordinance pertaining to parking for jurors with disabilities; permitting individuals who display a "Disabled Juror" parking permit, provided by the Office of the Jury Commissioner, on the front or rear wind shield of an automobile to park at any parking meter without charge in an area bounded by Sixteenth Street on the west, Tenth Street on the east, Pine Street on the north and Clark Street on the south; and containing an emergency clause.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE. Any person with a disability who has been summoned to serve as a juror in any division of the Twenty-Second Judicial Circuit may request a "Disabled Juror" parking permit. Every person requesting such permit shall make the request using the information provided by the Jury Commissioner's Office on the jury summons. Individuals with a disability, who have been summoned as jurors, must meet the following criteria before the request for a "Disabled Juror" parking permit shall be issued: (1) must own and be able to operate a motor vehicle; (2) must have a Missouri placard or license plate for the disabled; a disabled veteran's license plate; or a written statement from a licensed physician indicating the said individual has a temporary physical disability which inhibits their ability to walk or travel long distances or requires the use of a wheelchair, cane, crutches, or walker.

SECTION TWO: The application requesting a disabled juror parking permit must be completed and returned to the Office of the Disabled not later than seven (7) days prior to the date of jury service. The Commissioner on the Disabled shall review each application and inform the Jury commissioner whether the application has been approved or denied. The Jury Commissioner shall only issue parking permits to applicants approved by the Commissioner on the Disabled.

SECTION THREE. Any individual who has received a "Disabled Juror" parking permit shall be permitted to park a vehicle, without payment of fees, at any parking meter between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m., during the period of said jury service, in an area bounded by Sixteenth Street on the west, Tenth Street on the east, Pine Street on the north and Clark Street on the south.

In no event will parking be allowed in front of fire plugs, mailboxes, bus stops, wheelchair ramps, nor within disabled parking spaces unless vehicle displays a permanent Missouri placard or license plate for the disabled.

SECTION FOUR. Each authorized individual shall display one (1) "Disabled Juror" parking permit, approved and issued by the Jury Commissioner, in either the front or rear window of the vehicle, to indicate that the individual is exempt from parking fees, citations, and parking tickets, in accordance with this ordinance. The Jury Commissioner shall have the authority to request cancellation of parking tickets issued contrary to this ordinance.

SECTION FIVE. This being an ordinance for the preservation of public peace, health, and safety, it is hereby declared to be an emergency measure within the meaning of Sections 19 and 20 of Article IV of the Charter of the City of St. Louis and therefore shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the mayor.

<b>Legislative History</b>					
<b>1ST READING</b>	<b>REF TO COMM</b>	<b>COMMITTEE</b>	<b>COMM SUB</b>	<b>COMM AMEND</b>	<b>VOTE</b>
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<b>01/24/97</b>				<b>01/31/97</b>	<b>02/07/97</b>
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