
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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INTRODUCED BY CALTAGIRONE, CREIGHTON, DAY, DONATUCCI, GEIST,
GILLESPIE, GODSHALL, MAHONEY, MURT, STURLA, SWANGER AND
YOUNGBLOOD, AUGUST 10, 2011

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, AUGUST 10, 2011

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, further providing for specific powers of department
3 and local authorities.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Section 6109(h) of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

8 § 6109. Specific powers of department and local authorities.

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10 (h) Delegation of powers in cities of the second and third
11 class.--

12 (1) Notwithstanding any contrary provision of 53 Pa.C.S.
13 Ch. 55 or this title, beginning on January 1, 2005, the
14 parking authority of a city of the second class shall enforce
15 and administer all ordinances and resolutions enacted or
16 adopted by the city of the second class pursuant to the
17 powers specified under subsection (a)(1) and those certain
18 stopping, standing and parking provisions provided in

1 sections 3351 (relating to stopping, standing and parking
2 outside [of] business and residence districts), 3353
3 (relating to prohibitions in specified places) and 3354
4 (relating to additional parking regulations).

5 (1.1) Notwithstanding a provision of 53 Pa.C.S. Ch. 55
6 or this title to the contrary, beginning on January 1, 2012,
7 the parking authority of a city of the third class may
8 enforce and administer ordinances and resolutions enacted or
9 adopted by the city of the third class under the powers
10 specified under subsection (a)(1) and those certain stopping,
11 standing and parking provisions provided in sections 3351,
12 3353 and 3354.

13 (2) Beginning on March 1, 2005, the parking authority of
14 a city of the second class shall enter into an agreement with
15 the city of the second class for the transfer of a portion of
16 the fines, penalties and costs collected pursuant to this
17 subsection, which the parking authority board deems
18 reasonable, to the city of the second class.

19 (2.1) Beginning on March 1, 2012, the parking authority
20 of a city of the third class may enter into an agreement with
21 the city of the third class for the transfer of a portion of
22 the fines, penalties and costs collected under this
23 subsection, which the parking authority board deems
24 reasonable, to the city of the third class.

25 (3) As used in this subsection, the following words and
26 phrases shall have the meanings given to them in this
27 paragraph:

28 "Administer." To provide any services or materials
29 necessary to enforce any ordinance or resolution enacted in
30 order to regulate or prohibit the stopping, standing or

1 parking of motor vehicles in a city of the second class or
2 those certain stopping, standing and parking provisions
3 provided in sections 3351, 3353 and 3354, including, but not
4 limited to:

5 (i) The installation and maintenance of all
6 equipment, including parking meters, on and along
7 highways, streets and roadways.

8 (ii) The installation and maintenance of all
9 signage, including signage for handicapped parking,
10 residential permit parking and loading areas, on and
11 along highways, streets and roadways.

12 (iii) The operation and management of any
13 handicapped parking, residential parking and loading area
14 permit programs.

15 (iv) The adjudication of all disputed parking
16 violation notices or citations issued through enforcement
17 by the parking authority in a city of the second class.

18 "Enforce." The issuance of parking violation notices or
19 citations, the immobilization, towing and impoundment of
20 motor vehicles and the collection of fines, penalties and
21 costs, including independent collection agency fees, for
22 violations of any ordinance or resolution enacted in order to
23 regulate or prohibit the stopping, standing or parking of
24 motor vehicles in a city of the second class and those
25 certain stopping, standing and parking provisions provided in
26 sections 3351, 3353 and 3354.

27 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.