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**AN ORDINANCE OF THE VILLAGE OF MARVIN, NORTH CAROLINA**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 97: PARKS AND RECREATION, SECTION 97.04(B)  
TO RESCIND PARKING PERMIT REQUIREMENTS FOR VILLAGE PARKS**

**WHEREAS** the Village of Marvin previously enforced regulations in Chapter 97, Section 97.04(B) requiring parking permits for both residents and non-residents at Village Parks; and

**WHEREAS** the Village of Marvin previously discontinued the practice of requiring parking permits for residents and non-residents in Village Parks; and

**WHEREAS** the Village of Marvin wants to ensure that its Code of Ordinances is amended to reflect the current practices and the best interests of Village operations.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Village Council of the Village of Marvin, North Carolina that parking permits are no longer required for parking at Village Parks, and Chapter 97, Section 97.04(B) is hereby amended to rescind the parking permit requirements, as shown below:

**§ 97.04 MOTOR VEHICLES.**

A. The term vehicle shall mean any motorized or power driven vehicle and shall include, but not limited to motorbikes, go carts, golf carts, mini bikes and ATVs.

~~B. Vehicles operating or parked on village park property must display a valid village parking permit.~~

~~0. Village parking permits shall be provided to village residents with proof of residence. Each household shall be allowed a maximum of two permits. Additional permits or replacements may be obtained for a fee in accordance with a fee schedule adopted by the Village Council.~~

~~0. Village parking permits for non-residents may be issued upon completion of an application and submittal of a fee in accordance with a fee schedule adopted by the Village Council.~~

~~0. Daily parking permits shall be available for a fee in accordance with a fee schedule adopted by the Village Council.~~

~~0. Village parking permits for residents shall not expire. Parking permits for non-residents shall expire on June 30 of each year, unless renewed and the applicable fees paid.~~

~~0. Temporary parking permits shall be provided for all events at village parks upon the completion of a facility rental agreement, including payment of rental fees, if applicable.~~

H.B. Vehicles shall be operated only on designated roadways and designated parking areas within village parks. The operation of vehicles is prohibited on any village greenway, trail or walkway. An exception will be made for official emergency vehicles and those vehicles which are authorized by the village for such use.

I.C. Vehicles shall not be parked on village park property except within designated parking areas or within designated markings. Parking is prohibited on any village greenway, trail or

walkway. An exception will be made for official emergency vehicles and those vehicles which are authorized by the village for such use.

~~J.D.~~ No vehicle other than a vehicle bearing a distinguishing placard or license plate shall be stopped or parked in a parking zone identified as reserved for disabled or handicapped persons.

~~K.E.~~ Vehicles operated within the boundaries of village parks shall be driven at a careful and prudent speed not greater than is reasonable and proper with due regard for the traffic, surface, and width of the roads.

~~L.F.~~ No vehicle shall be parked on village park property while the park and facilities are closed, unless previously authorized by the village.

~~M.G.~~ Any vehicle found to be in violation of the above regulations or under the following circumstances shall be issued a notice of violation and/or civil citation and assessed a penalty in accordance § 10.99 General Penalty and may be subject to removal from village park property:

1. When a vehicle does not display or improperly displays a valid village parking permit.
2. When a vehicle is parked or left standing on village park property after the village park has closed for public use.
3. When a vehicle is parked or left standing upon a roadway or within a designated parking area in such a position as to obstruct the normal movement of traffic or in such a condition as to create a hazard to other traffic upon the roadway or within a designated parking area.
4. When a vehicle is parked so as to block the entrance.
5. When a vehicle is parked so as to prevent access by official emergency vehicles.
6. When a vehicle is parked in any parking restricted zone.

~~N.H.~~ If an illegally parked vehicle is removed from village park property as provided for in this section, the owner shall be liable for all fees, towing and storage charges.

~~O.I.~~ No vehicle maintenance may be performed on village property except for minor repairs needed to move the vehicle.

This ordinance shall be effective upon adoption.

*Adopted this 29th Day of May 2025.*

*Attest:*

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*Austin W. Yow, Clerk & Assistant to the Manager  
Village of Marvin*

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*Joseph E. Pollino, Jr., Mayor  
Village of Marvin*