

ORDINANCE NO. 01-566

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO handicapped and disable parking; to change a reference to who can sign a medical form; to harmonize with state law; to repeal conflicting ordinances and sections; and to provide an effective date.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FRIEND,  
NEBRASKA:

Section 1. Section 5-416 of the Municipal Code of Friend, Nebraska, is amended to read as follows:

**PARKING; HANDICAPPED OR DISABLED PERSONS; PERMIT ISSUANCE.**

(1) The Municipal Clerk shall take an application from a handicapped or disabled person or temporarily handicapped or disabled person or his or her parent, legal guardian, or foster parent for a permit which will entitle the holder thereof or a person driving a motor vehicle for the purpose of transporting such holder to park in those spaces provided foy by this Article when the holder of the permit will enter or exit the motor vehicle while it is parked in such spaces. For purposes of this section, the handicapped or disabled person or temporarily handicapped or disabled person shall be considered the holder of the permit. (Neb. RS 18-1738(1)).

(2) The Municipal Clerk shall not accept the application for a permit of any person making application contrary to the provisions of Neb. RS 18-1738.02. (Neb. RS 18-1738.02)

(3) A person applying for a permit or for the renewal of a permit shall complete an application, shall provide proof of identity, and shall submit a completed medical form containing the statutory criteria for qualification and signed by a physician, physician assistant, or advanced practice registered nurse certifying that the person who will be the holder meets the definition of handicapped or disabled person or temporarily handicapped or disabled person. In the case of a temporarily handicapped or disabled person, the certifying physician, physician assistant, or advanced practice registered nurse shall indicate the estimated date of recovery or that the temporary handicap or disability will continue for a period of six months, whichever is less.

(4) A person may hold only one permit under this section and may hold either a permit under this section or a permit under Section 5-417 (Motor Vehicle Permit Issuance), but not both.

(5) The Municipal Clerk shall submit to the Department of Motor Vehicles the name, address, and license number of all persons applying for a permit pursuant to this section (Neb. RS 18-1738(3)).

Section 2. Any other ordinance or section passed and approved prior to passage, approval, and publication or posting of this ordinance and in conflict with its provisions is repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage, approval, and publication or posting as required by law.

Passed and approved this 5th day of June, 20 01.



*James W. Vassler*  
MAYOR

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Clerk