

ORDINANCE NO. 3343

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 351 PARKING GENERALLY, SPECIFICALLY SECTION 351.24, SPECIFIED PARKING TIME LIMITS; PARKING BEYOND TIME LIMIT; PENALTY; MULTIPLE VIOLATIONS, OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF CHARDON TO DESIGNATE PARKING FOR COUNTY COURT USE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Chardon, Geauga County, Ohio that:

SECTION 1. Chapter 351.24 Parking Generally, specifically Section 351.24, Specified Parking Time Limits; Parking Beyond Time Limit; Penalty; Multiple Violations, Subsection (b), Item (2), of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Chardon be and is hereby amended to change “six” to “five” in order to accurately reflect the number of parking spaces available after construction of a new County Courthouse.

SECTION 2. Chapter 351.24 Parking Generally, specifically Section 351.24, Specified Parking Time Limits; Parking Beyond Time Limit; Penalty; Multiple Violations, of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Chardon be and is hereby amended to establish a new subsection (c) to read as follows:

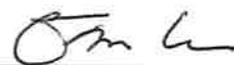
(c) The following parking spaces shall be reserved for County Court personnel between the hours of 7:00 AM to 6:00 PM., Monday-Friday

(1) The five (5) parking spaces immediately north of Short Court Street on the west side of East Park Street.

SECTION 3. It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all such deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including §121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 4. This ordinance constitutes an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Chardon; and for the further reason that Council desires to ensure parking regulations on the Square are immediately clear and enforceable due to changes necessitated by the construction of a new County Courthouse which opened in February 2026.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 12th day of March, 2026.



CHRISTOPHER GRAU, Mayor
President of Council

Attest:


AMY DAY
Clerk of Council