

# Downtown Marquette PARKING GUIDE



### KEY

- Public Parking Lot
- 2-Hour Free Parking
- Rental Permit Lot
- 3-Hour Paid Parking
- 10-Hour Paid Parking
- 24-Hour Paid Parking
- Pay Station Parking  
one or more stations on block
- Handicap Parking Only  
\*free parking with handicap tag  
in all parking spots
- Loading Zone
- Elevator/Stair Tower
- Pedestrian Walkway
- Bike/Walking Path
- Public Restrooms
- Gas Station
- Bus Station



## WELCOME TO DOWNTOWN MARQUETTE!

Parking in Downtown Marquette is managed by the Marquette Downtown Development Authority (MDDA), and we strive to provide the best mix of parking to ensure that you have an enjoyable visit to downtown. Please use this brochure as a guide to find the best parking option for your stay, whether you are visiting from out of town, are a local resident, or work in Downtown Marquette.



Enter License Plate Number & Pay with Coin or Card

### AMPLE PARKING

There are 1,391 parking spaces within Downtown Marquette; 636 of which are "on-street" parking. Downtown offers 755 spaces in ten public parking lots. Some lots offer permit parking, other lots offer hourly pay station parking, and others offer both permit and hourly. Please see our map on the reverse side.

### PARKING PAY STATIONS

Downtown Marquette offers hourly parking on streets and in pay station parking lots. Stay times range from 3 to 10 hours depending on location. Payment can be made using coin or credit/debit cards at pay stations or via the Passport Parking app. In all paid parking locations, motorists should pay upon arrival. Those using pay stations will have to enter their license plate number and pay for the desired time before beginning their time in Downtown Marquette. If arriving before 9 am, payment can be prepaid for a parking session that will begin at 9 am.

### BLUFF ST. RAMP LOWER LEVEL OVERNIGHT

The Bluff Street Ramp Lower Level offers hourly parking 24 hours 7 days a week via payment at the ramps's three pay stations or via the Passport app Zone 2424. Parking sessions are limited to 72 hours. Spaces along the back wall of the ramp are marked reserved and are for permit parking only.

### PARKING RATES & ENFORCEMENT

The parking rate is \$1 per hour; however, users may insert lesser coin values and receive proportionately reduced time for shorter stays. For a quick errand, a 15-minute free option is available at all pay stations. Handicap parking in all parking spots is provided free of charge to those with proper state-issued designation. Parking is provided complimentary on Saturdays, Sundays, and weekdays after 6 p.m. in all locations except the Bluff St. Ramp. Overnight parking in rental lots is by permit only.



### CONVENIENT ACCESS

Our parking system offers convenient access with pedestrian walkways and stair/elevator towers to link you from your parking space to the many businesses and services located throughout downtown.

## RENTAL PARKING PERMIT OPTIONS

The MDDA works to provide management that will promote turnover of conveniently located parking for customers and clients wishing to do business in downtown. To encourage downtown business owners, employees and others that need long term parking to park in areas designated as such, rental parking permits are available at [HTTPS://MARQUETTEPERMITS.FMCPAY.COM](https://marquettepermits.fmcpay.com)

#### DAILY

- \$30/month or \$5/day
- Parking in any designated rental lot from 6 a.m. until 6 p.m. weekdays
- Complimentary parking Saturdays and Sundays and weekdays after 6 p.m.; no overnight parking

#### 24-HOUR

- \$40/month
- Parking in any designated rental lot from 6 a.m. until 6 p.m. weekdays & overnight parking in designated area of assigned rental lot.

#### BLUFF STREET RAMP 24-HOUR RESERVED

- \$65/month (\$195/quarter)
- A limited number of reserved spaces are available for 24-hour assigned parking
- Covered parking in the lower level of the Bluff Street Ramp

## PASSPORT PARKING APP

The Passport Parking App is available to pay for hourly parking on streets and in pay station parking lots. Download the app, enter your LPN, and choose from the following zones:

- ZONE 0303: Three hour time limit on Washington St., Front St. and Commons Parking Lot.
- ZONE 1010: Ten hour time limit on Main St., Spring St., Spring St. Parking Lot, West Baraga Ave, Third St., North Main St. Parking Lot and Lakeshore Parking Lot.
- ZONE 2424: The Bluff St. Ramp Lower Level is available for overnight parking with a 3-day maximum.



## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

**I drive two different vehicles. Is my parking permit transferrable?**  
*Yes. You may transfer your parking permit between your vehicles but we ask that you update which vehicle is in use via your online parking account.*

**I have purchased a new vehicle. Should I report this information to the MDDA?**  
*Yes. Please report any changes in vehicle description and/or license plate number to your Passport Parking account.*

**I received a parking ticket I do not feel is fair. How can I contest it?**  
*Parking infractions are issued and enforced by the City of Marquette Police Department. They can be contacted at 906-228-0400 or located at 300 West Baraga Avenue.*

**There is a problem with a parking pay station. What should I do?**  
*Parking pay station problems can be reported to the Marquette Downtown Development Authority at 906-228-9475.*

**Can I park on the street or in customer lots with my parking permit?**  
*No. On-street parking and customer parking lots require payment for hourly rates at the pay station or on the Passport App. Parking permits enable you to park in any of the conveniently located rental parking lots throughout Downtown Marquette.*

**Other questions?** Please call the DDA office at 906-228-9475

## WINTER PARKING BAN

The City of Marquette's winter parking ban prohibits on-street overnight parking between November 1 and April 1.



## DID YOU KNOW?

The annual value of one customer parking space in retail sales is \$70,000!

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