

SENATE BILL 2434

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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55,
relative to parking.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-8-161, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection (f):

(1) On a public road, street, or highway within a residential district where parking is not prohibited by law, a person shall not park a vehicle upon the road, street, or highway in such a manner or under such conditions as to leave available less than twelve feet (12') of an unobstructed width of the roadway opposite the parked vehicle for the free passage of other vehicles.

(2) If the road, street, or highway described in subsection (a) is less than twenty-three feet (23') wide, then a person shall not park a vehicle upon the road, street, or highway unless the right-hand curb or edge of the street is located on the passenger side of the vehicle and there are no vehicles parked upon the roadway opposite the vehicle from a distance of two hundred feet (200') in either direction.

(3) A violation of this subsection (f) is a Class C misdemeanor, punishable by a fine only of fifty dollars (\$50.00).

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2024, the public welfare requiring it.