ORDINANCE NO. 2486

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER VII, SECTION 17.1 OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF ROSELLE PARK ENTITLED "PREFERENTIAL PARKING ZONE ESTABLISHED"

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Roselle Park, County of Union, and State of New Jersey that Chapter VII, Section 17.1 of the Code of the Borough of Roselle Park be and here is amended as follows:

SECTION 1.

a. Establish a preferential parking zone as described in paragraph e. of this subsection and subsection 7-17.2.

b. Issuance of Permits.

1. Issuing Authority. The Borough Clerk shall issue permits for preferential parking for automobiles and non-commercially registered pick-up trucks and vans (weighing less than two and one-half (2.5) tons). Applicants for such permits shall be required to present two (2)-one (1) proofs of residency for dwelling units which front or side in areas designated as preferential parking zones, together with a copy of a valid vehicle registration bearing the name of the applicant. Unlimited permits shall be issued for each qualified dwelling unit to any qualified applicant. The number of permits issued to a qualified applicant shall only be limited to the number of vehicle registrations provided.

2. Fees. There will be no cost for the permit issued.

3. Duration of Permits. Permits issued pursuant to this subsection shall remain effective from the year following the date of issuance or fraction thereof, or as long as the applicant continues to reside in the qualified dwelling unit for such permit, or until the preferential parking zone for which such permit was issued is eliminated, whichever period of time is less. Renewals for any permits shall be applied for and issued during the month preceding the period for which a renewal is sought. Each renewal shall be subject to the same conditions and restrictions as any new application.

4. Condition of Permits. Each permit issued shall be subject to all the conditions and restrictions set forth in this chapter and of the preferential parking zone for which it was issued, including conditions or restrictions which may be altered or amended from time to time. The issuance of such permit shall not be construed to be a permit for or approval of any violation of any provisions of this Code or any other law or regulation.

c. Prohibitions.

1. No vehicle shall be parked or stopped adjacent to any curb in a preferential parking zone in violation of any posted or noticed prohibition or restriction, unless such vehicle shall have permanently displayed on or by the left lower corner of the rear window thereof a permit indicating an exemption from such restrictions or prohibitions.

2. It shall be unlawful for any person to sell, rent, transfer or lease, or cause to be sold, rented, transferred or leased any preferential parking permit. Upon conviction for a violation of this subsection, all preferential permits issued to, or for the benefit of, the dwelling unit for which the sold, rented, transferred or leased permit was authorized shall be void and shall be returned to the Borough Clerk's office.

3. It shall be unlawful for any person to buy any preferential parking permit except as otherwise provided for in this chapter.

d. *Penalty for Violation*. The penalty for violation of this subsection shall be a fine not exceeding one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars or imprisonment for a period of ninety (90) days, or both, and revocation of the parking permit privilege.

e. *Preferential Parking Zones: Locations and Restrictions.* The following is a list of designated preferential parking zones wherein on the specified dates and times no parking shall be allowed except by permit and to that extent shall be considered an exception to the provisions of Section 7-14, Parking Prohibited at All Times on Certain Streets.

Street	Sides	Location	Time
Pershing Avenue	Both	E. Westfield Avenue (Route NJ 28) to Madison Avenue	5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

SECTION 2. Invalidity.

If any section or portion of a section of this Code shall be invalid for any reason, such invalidity shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections or portions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 3. Inconsistent Ordinances Repealed.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances, to the extent that they are inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. Captions.

Captions contained in this Ordinance have been included only for the purpose of facilitating reference to the various sections and are not intended and shall not be utilized to construe the intent and meaning of the text of any section.

SECTION 5. Effective Date.

This amendment to the Code of the Borough of Roselle Park shall become effective upon publication and in accordance with law.