

DESIGNATION OF HANDICAP PARKING SPACE (NORTH MAIN STREET)

O022113(02)

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF QUITMAN TEXAS
AMENDING THE CITY OF QUITMAN – CODE OF ORDINANCES
DESIGNATING AND RESTRICTING A SPECIFIC SPACE AS A HANDICAP PARKING ONLY,
SPECIFICALLY ONE (1) SPACE IMMEDIATELY NORTH OF THE INTERSECTION OF NORTH MAIN STREET
AND EAST GOODE STREET ON THE EASTERN SIDE OF NORTH MAIN STREET, ESTABLISHING AN
EFFECTIVE CLAUSE, AND ESTABLISHING A PUBLICATION CLAUSE**

WHEREAS, there exists a specific state requirement of at least one handicapped accessible designated parking place within proximity to a business for its locating on the downtown square; and

WHEREAS, the placement of a handicap accessible designated parking place as such will benefit the placement of this business and its customers as well as accessibility to other locations on the downtown square; and

NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF QUITMAN, TEXAS HEREBY ORDAINS THAT:

Section I – Designation of Handicap Space

The City of Quitman – Code of Ordinance is hereby amended to include the following entry in ‘Chapter 73: Parking Schedules, Schedule II. Restricted Parking.’:

Street/Location	Description	Fine Not to Exceed	Ord. No.	Date Passed
North Main Street (downtown square)	One (1) space immediately north of the intersection of North Main Street and East Goode Street on the East side of North Main Street designated as handicap parking only; parking unlawful unless vehicle is used to transport person with temporary or permanent disabilities and is so designated by a placard or license plate; Any vehicle illegally parked is subject to penalty and to be towed away	\$250-\$1000	O022113(02)	2/21/13

Section II – Effective and Publication Clauses

This amendment to the Code shall become effective and enforceable upon passage of this ordinance, publication in accordance with the Texas Local Government Code, and marking / signage in accordance with ‘Texas Department of Transportation – Pavement Markings and Signing for Accessible Parking PM(AP)-98.’

The City Secretary-Administrator is hereby authorized and directed to cause to be published the caption and fine portion of this ordinance. The Streets-Maintenance Director is hereby authorized and directed to cause this space to be marked/signed properly.

**INTRODUCED, CONSIDERED AND PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF QUITMAN, TEXAS
THIS THE 21ST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2013.**

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF WE HAVE AFFIXED OUR SIGNATURES HERETO
THIS THE 21ST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2013.**

APPROVED:

J.R. Evans, Mayor Pro Tem

ATTEST:

Michael E. Hall, City Secretary