

Parking Ban Enforcement

Winter Parking Ban Enforcement

Five parking bans were declared in the 2021-2022 winter season.

2021-22 Parking Ban Dates	Phase	Length	Tickets	Tows
Resources Average of nine Contract Enforcement Services officers with Municipal Enforcement Officers supporting on overtime				
Nov 16 - 20, 2021	Phase 1	2 days	0*	N/A
Dec 14 - 20, 2021	Phase 1	4 days	675	N/A
Dec 20 - 27**, 2021	Phase 2	4 days	403	N/A
Jan 10 - Feb 4, 2022	Phase 2	4 days	603	N/A
Mar 4 - 7, 2022	Phase 1	3 days	566	N/A

**No tickets were issued because this was the first time Phase 1 and 2 parking bans were in effect. The focus was on education and warnings.*

***Phase 2 parking ban was paused due to extreme cold weather and resumed January 10.*

Three parking bans were declared in the 2022-2023 winter season.

2022-23 Parking Ban Dates	Phase	Length	Tickets	Tows
Resources 15 temporary Municipal Enforcement Officers				
Nov 8 - 11, 2022	Phase 1	4 days	358	99
Dec 19 - 23, 2022	Phase 1	5 days	834	80
Jan 24 - Feb 7, 2023	Phase 2	15 days	2,875	243

Two parking bans were declared in the 2023-2024 winter season.

2023-24 Parking Ban Dates	Phase	Length	Tickets	Tows
Resources 5 temporary Municipal Enforcement Officers				
Jan 23 - 26, 2024	Phase 1	4 days	395	N/A
Feb 26 - Mar 2, 2024	Phase 1	6 days	341	N/A

Attachment 2

The reduction in the number of tickets issued in 2023-2024 is attributed to two factors:

- The budget for dedicated Municipal Enforcement Officers was reduced from 15 seasonal staff for the 2022/23 season to five for the 2023/24 season.
- There was no Phase 2 (residential) parking ban in the 2023/24 season, which typically would have resulted in an increased number of tickets.

In the 2024-2025 winter season, four parking bans were declared.

2024-25 Parking Ban Dates	Phase	Length	Tickets	Tows
Resources 5 temp Municipal Enforcement Officers				
Nov 24 - 28, 2024	Phase 1	5 days	212	N/A
Dec 18 - 21, 2024	Phase 1	4 days	193	N/A
Jan 8 - 24, 2025	Phase 2	17 days	1,402	N/A
Feb 3 - Feb 5, 2025	Phase 1	3 days	441	N/A

Spring Sweep Parking Ban Enforcement

Spring Parking Ban Dates	Service Provider	Length	Tickets	Tows
Apr 15 - May 17, 2024	Municipal Enforcement Officers*	25 business days	1,067**	N/A
Apr 7 - Jun 1, 2025	Parking Enforcement Services***	27 business days	5,863	N/A

*No budget is allocated for spring parking ban enforcement. In 2024, existing resources were diverted from general bylaw enforcement services to support parking ban enforcement, resulting in service delays for bylaw investigations.

** Fewer tickets were issued because this was the first time enforcing spring parking bans. The focus was on education and warnings.

***No budget is allocated for spring parking ban enforcement. In 2025, the Parking Enforcement Services contractor could provide additional resources by recalling recently laid-off staff. The cost of this additional enforcement will be allocated to Roadway Operations and may result in a negative variance.