



County of Fairfax, Virginia

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To whom it may concern:

We are writing to you today to provide information about proposed changes to Fairfax County Code that will affect the ability of organizations to park company-owned vehicles on public roadways in Fairfax County. These proposed changes to Section 82-5-19 of Fairfax County Code would prohibit the parking of “fleet vehicles” on public Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) maintained roadways while the vehicles are not in use. To check if a road in Fairfax County is public or private, visit the Fairfax County interactive road map online at:

<http://fairfaxcountygis.maps.arcgis.com/apps/Viewer/index.html?appid=45c59fef4ecb46398c211d5422b63ab2>.

Fleet vehicles, for this purpose, are defined as “...any vehicles and/or trailers, greater than one, that are controlled, owned or leased by a single company and are used in the normal business operations of that company.” This definition includes fleets of revolving inventory, and vehicles that are available for rent or lease to individuals or businesses. The restriction would not, however, apply to a single vehicle that is registered to the company and assigned to an individual employee as a take home vehicle, or to vehicles registered to individual employees that are used in the normal course of business. The restrictions would also not apply to any commercial vehicles when picking up or discharging passengers; when making a pickup or delivery of merchandise; or when temporarily parked while employees perform work at a location, if parking of the fleet vehicle does not obstruct traffic.

The Fairfax County Board of Supervisors conducted a public hearing on the proposed changes on September 25, 2018, **and deferred their decision on the proposal until October 16, 2018 at 3:30 pm, at the Fairfax County Government Center, 12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, Virginia 22035.** There will not be an opportunity for the public to speak on this item at the October 16 meeting, however, residents and businesses may submit written comments to the Office of the Clerk to the Board of Supervisors by email to ClerktotheBOS@fairfaxcounty.gov.

If you, or others in your organization, have any questions about the proposal, please contact Fairfax County Department of Transportation Parking Group by calling 703-877-5600, TTY 711.

Sincerely,

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