



City of Atlanta  
Residential Permit Parking Program  
Frequently Asked Questions

**1. What is the number of parking permits issued to each household?**

The number of permits issued is limited to one permit if a dwelling has off-street parking or a driveway; otherwise two permits.

Two guest permits accompany each permit upon request and a guest permit is valid for 20 parking events. Each day it is used, the guest permit must be marked with date and put in the car in visible manner from outside.

**2. How can I get a copy of permit parking application?**

A copy of an application can be obtained online at

[http://www.atlantaga.gov/client\\_resources/dpw/residential%20parking%20permit%20application.pdf](http://www.atlantaga.gov/client_resources/dpw/residential%20parking%20permit%20application.pdf)

or from Department of Public Works, 55 Trinity Avenue, Suite 4700, Atlanta, Georgia 30303

**3. What information is required to obtain a permit?**

- Copy of current vehicle registration (a permit is specifically assigned to a vehicle)
- Driver license
- A copy of proof of residency including utility bill, lease agreement, etc

**4. What is the cost of a permit?**

Each permit costs \$20 annually. There is no fee for a guest permit.

**5. How can I renew or obtain a permit? Is online renewal available?**

Permits can be obtained from Department of Public Works, 55 Trinity Avenue, Suite 4700, Atlanta, Georgia 30303 in person or by mail. If by mail, personal check or money order made to "City of Atlanta" must be included with required documents. Cash is not accepted by mail.

Currently, there is no mechanism in place to renew permits online. However, Department of Public Works hopes to have an on-line renewal system in the future.

**6. If I have a party or gathering in my residence, can I get permits for additional vehicles?**

No additional permits are issued other than as outlined in #1 above. The main purpose of establishing residential permit parking for an area is to ensure that residents who lack off-street parking avoid competition with non-residents during high non-resident parking occupancy hours. Allowing exceptions defeats the purpose of the permit parking program. However, non-permit holders may be allowed to park for two hours without a permit if the neighborhood opts-in for such allowance and consistent with posted signage.

**7. How is residential permit parking area enforced?**

The City's parking management company, ParkAtlanta, enforces residential permit parking areas upon request. If daily enforcement is desired, the neighborhood should make a request. In addition, Atlanta Police Department can enforce any traffic regulations.