

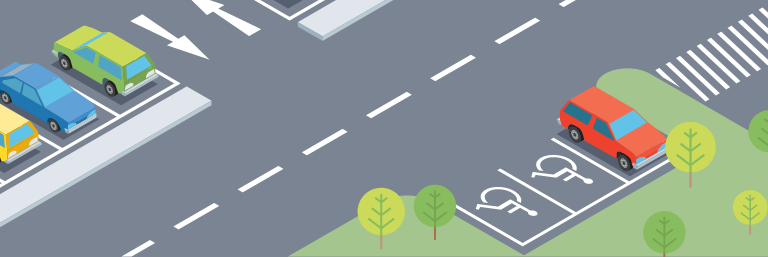


**I WAS
ONLY
RUNNING
IN FOR A
MINUTE.**

*We hear lots
of excuses:*

**There is no
good reason to
illegally park in
an accessible stall.**

Edmonton



WHY IS ACCESSIBLE PARKING IMPORTANT?

People who have legitimate parking placards are unable to walk unassisted for more than 50 metres. These individuals need larger stalls to load and unload devices such as walkers and wheelchairs, and unobstructed access to curb cuts.

If you illegally use an accessible stall, individuals with disabilities may be forced to walk distances beyond restrictions that are specified by a medical practitioner, thus putting themselves at risk. Some individuals may not be able to park at all.

Please leave accessible parking stalls for people who really need them.

WHAT IS THE PENALTY FOR A PARKING VIOLATION?

The City of Edmonton has a “no tolerance” policy for vehicles illegally parked in accessible stalls. No part of the vehicle may occupy any part of the stall designated for persons with disabilities.

If the vehicle is parked illegally, the owner will be issued a \$250 ticket and may face towing and impound charges.

CAN I GET AN ACCESSIBLE PARKING PLACARD?

If you are unable to walk unassisted for more than 50 metres, you may qualify. To request a placard speak with your medical practitioner or contact any Alberta registry for an application.

HOW DO I REPORT A PARKING VIOLATION?

If you see someone parked illegally without a valid parking placard, call 311 or upload a photo using the 311 app.