

# Downtown Public Parking Lot Permits

City of Escondido Vehicle Parking District

**Any Changes From Previous Parking Permit Policies & Fees Are Effective April 1, 2010**



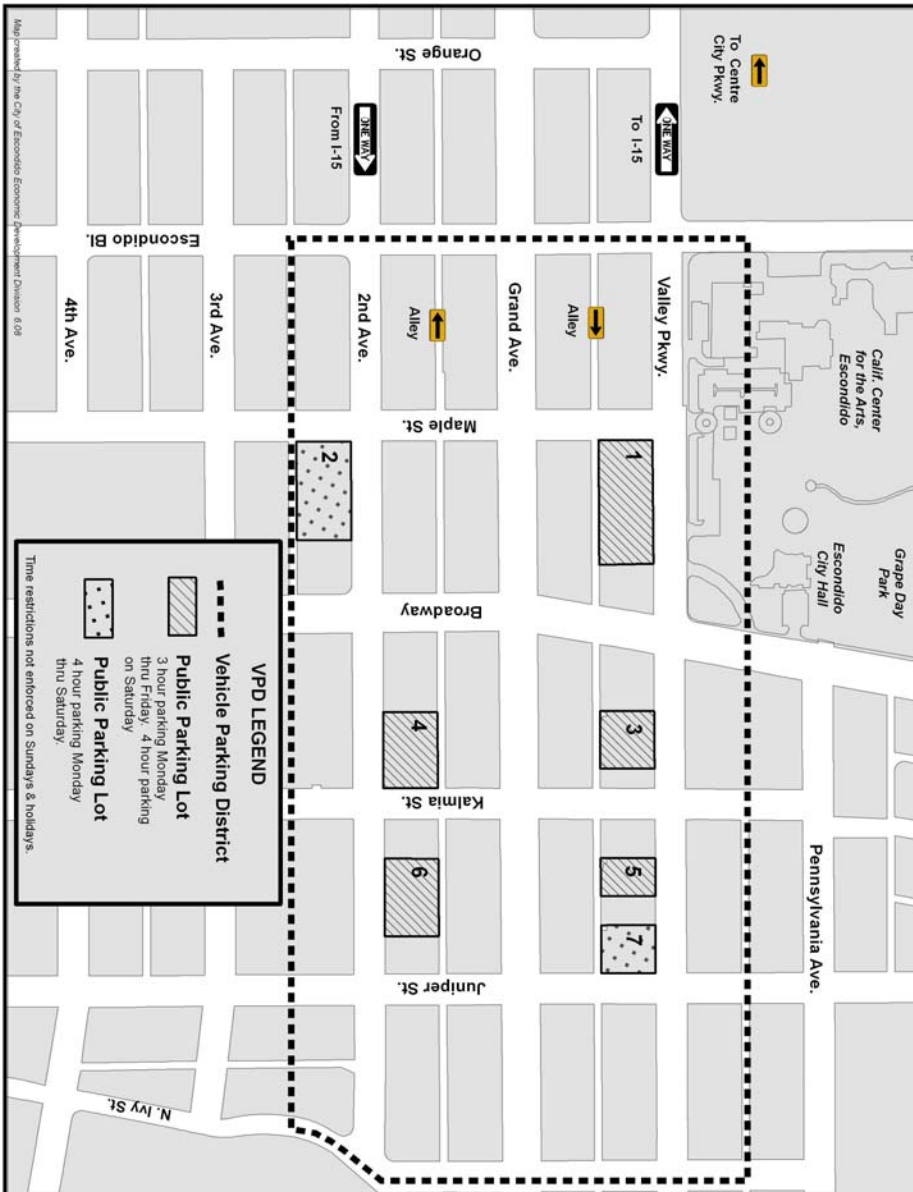
**For Information & Permit Applications:**

Please go to the Cashiering Station located in City Hall  
201 N. Broadway, Escondido CA 92025  
Phone 760-839-4874 or Fax 760-839-6205

[www.escondido.org](http://www.escondido.org)

***Please read carefully to avoid a citation!***

**Downtown Public Parking Lots Map**



**The City of Escondido provides 7 public parking lots in the Downtown area (see map on back of brochure). The parking lots have a limited number of permits available for all day parking. Escondido's Downtown is a pedestrian focused place, so employees are discouraged from driving individual vehicles to their jobs when possible. Carpooling, public transit, bicycling and walking from parking outside the retail core is encouraged. Overtime parking without a permit or during unpermitted hours could result in a parking citation.**

#### **Permit Applications**

- Applications can be obtained from the Parking Coordinator located in City Hall at the cashiering station.
- First time applicants must apply in person.
- Your vehicle registration is required when application is made.
- Up to 8 permits per person can be obtained as long as a different vehicle is registered to each permit.
- Permits must be registered and issued in a person's name.
- Permits are not transferable between individuals or vehicles. Enforcement officers will check to see if the vehicle's license number is registered to the permit number.
- A permit can only be used on the vehicle it is registered to. If you get a new vehicle, come to City Hall to complete an application and to get a new permit. Your old permit will be deactivated.

#### **Permit Cost**

- Permits are purchased and issued on a quarterly basis for \$75 per quarter: January-March; April-June; July-September; October-December.

- Second car permits are no longer available. A separate permit must be purchased at \$75 per quarter.
- There will be no prorating of the quarterly permit fee regardless of when it is purchased in a quarter. Permit fees are non-refundable once paid.
- Permit renewal fees must be paid before the first day of each quarter. The permit will become invalid the day after the payment is due. If not paid, you will receive a citation if parked over the posted time limit.

#### **Permit Renewal**

- Permits may be renewed by mail in most cases, unless changes are needed. If a valid permit is faded and not readable, bring it in for a replacement, at no charge.

#### **Parking Lot Assignment**

- Permits can be used in any public lot #1-7. They are no longer assigned to a particular public lot.
- Please note that there will be 2 rows of designated customer only parking in Lot 1 at Valley Parkway and Maple Street. You cannot park in those spaces if you have a permit.

#### **Permit Waiting List**

- If no permits are available, an individual can put their name on a waiting list for 1 permit at a time.
- As permits become available, the individual next on the list will be contacted.

#### **Permit Placement – *Read Carefully to avoid a citation***

- The preferred placement is affixed to the outside of the rear driver's side window so it can be easily seen.
- If there is no rear window or the permit is blocked from view, then affix the permit to the driver's side rear bumper.
- Do not back your car into a parking space, your permit cannot be easily seen and you will get a citation.