The Palm Beach Police Department enforces parking regulations in compliance with Florida State Statutes. The Florida State Statutes may be different from those of other states or other countries, so all drivers with disabled placards or license plates should familiarize themselves with the law as it pertains to Florida.

If a vehicle is ticketed for a parking violation due to failure of the driver to display a valid disabled placard, the Palm Beach Police Department will rescind the ticket without the driver having to attend traffic court. Please call the Parking Enforcement Unit at (561) 838-5465 for instructions.
**DISABLED PARKING SPACES**

- Vehicles parking at those spaces reserved for persons with disabilities must display either a valid disabled placard or license plate.
- This is enforced on both public streets and private property.
- The fine for a violation is $250.

**TIME-LIMITED PARKING SPACES**

- Vehicles parking at time-limited spaces, such as “One-Hour Limit” or “Two-Hour Limit”, may not exceed the posted limit—even if displaying a valid disabled placard or license plate.
- The fine for this violation is $50 in a commercial area and $60 in a residential area.

**PARKING METERS/KIOSKS**

- Vehicles displaying a valid disabled placard or license plate may park for up to four (4) hours at a parking meter or kiosk without charge.
- If the Vehicle is to remain at that parking space longer than four (4) hours, payment is required.
- The fine for this violation is $50 in a commercial area and $60 in a residential area.

**ILLEGAL PARKING**

- Vehicles parked illegally, such as in loading zones, at yellow curbs, or in areas where a resident parking decal is required, are subject to parking tickets, even if displaying a valid disabled placard or license plate.
- The fine for this violation is $50 in a commercial area and $60 in a residential area.

**IF A TICKET IS ISSUED**

- If a vehicle is ticketed because the driver is not familiar with the Florida State Statutes, the proper venue to contest the ticket is Traffic Court.
- The Palm Beach Police Department will not rescind tickets which were correctly issued because the driver was not familiar with the Florida laws.
- To plead “Not Guilty” you must notify the court in person or in writing to:

  The County Courthouse
  Clerk of the Circuit Court
  P.O. Box 3544
  West Palm Beach, FL 33402
  (561) 355-2994