

# Parking Task Force

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Mount Kisco

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## Enhance the User Experience

- Shoppers
- Business Owners & Employees
- Commuters

## Review Parking Strategy

- Technology
- Parking Lots
- On Street
- Permits
- Education

## Technology

- Add additional lighting at kiosks
  - Lighting has been added at all kiosks.
- Review need for additional kiosks in higher traffic areas
  - Review indicated that additional kiosks were not necessary at this time.

## Technology

- Evaluate different App options
  - <u>Different App options were evaluated. The result was that financially, the current Mpay2park App is the best choice for the Village.</u>
- Advertise App and provide education
  - Mpay2park is working on updates to the App now, including rate/hour clarification, better location of the "pins" for each lot, and a fuller representation of all municipal lot options. Once complete, stickers and signage will be utilized for advertisement and educational purposes.

## Parking Lots

- Allow for some level of free parking in lots (Weekend)
  - Metered, lot parking will be free on Saturdays and Sundays.
    Thursdays will no longer be free.
- Simplify time limits in lots
  - All municipal lots have either 4 or 12 hour max parking.
- Review and modify signage throughout Village lots
- Provide directional signage to parking lots
  - Upon receiving the App signage and stickers, all lots will receive a refresh of signage.

#### On Street

- Addition of on street parking where possible
  - This item is still under consideration.
- Keep meters to promote turnover
  - Meters are being kept, but condensed for aesthetics.
- Review options for on street handicapped spaces
  - Spaces have been identified for handicapped spaces, and will be lined when warmer weather arrives.
- Review options for credit cards at meters
  - There are no new options at this time.



#### **Permits**

- Volume discounts on parking permits for employers
  - This item is still under consideration.
- Allow for quarterly permit purchases
  - Permits can be purchased quarterly.
- Online permit applications and payment are almost here! The system is being tested and is expected to launch shortly.

#### Education

- Create campaign to educate, inform parking options and guidelines
  - Maps are being placed in each kiosk with updated information and parking options.
  - Once the updated signage and App information are in place, e-mail, and social media will be utilized to help spread the word.

# Going Forward

- Expand scope of task force to outside of downtown
- Evaluate possible rate increases for parking and for violations