

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



d. Public Space Regulation Division (PSRD)

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Rush-Hour Restrictions to be Restored Starting June 1

Impacted Occupancy Permittees Advised to Make Adjustments Before Enforcement Begins

Washington, D.C. – The District Department of Transportation (DDOT) today announced that several public space permit types affected by the [resumption](#) of pre-pandemic operations be aware that the rush-hour restrictions will be reinstated citywide, effective **Tuesday, June 1, where occupancy permits are valid only from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.** Permittees should take note that if there are public space violations, the Public Space Inspections and Enforcement Branch will enforce the regulations, which may include Stop Work Orders or Notices of Violation with fines.

Per DDOT's Standard Specification, rush-hour restrictions are in effect on major and minor arterial roads from 5:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. to 7 p.m., Monday through Fridays, except holidays. Due to the rush hour restrictions being reinstated, some permit holders may be required to reduce the size of their staging areas or relocate their assets to different locations in the public space. The Public Space Regulation Division will waive all application fees if permittee is required to apply for a new public space occupancy permit to relocate their asset in the public space.

The affected permits include Construction Staging area permits, Mobile Storage Containers and Roll-off Debris Container permits. It is incumbent upon each applicant to find an alternate location if affected by this notice. Applicants having trouble finding new locations should contact their assigned technicians or assigned Traffic Work Zone Technicians that will help identify select locations along both major and minor arterial roadways.

After a replacement permit is issued, permittees will need to reprint the updated permits, as well as post their new Emergency No Parking/Reserved Parking signs and submit posting verification 72 hours in advance to the Department of Public Works.

Please call DDOT's Public Space Regulation Division, Customer Relations Branch at (202) 442-4670 or email at crb.services@dc.gov with any questions or concerns.

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