

SCA Emergency Management Bulletin #15

Parking on Scientists' Cliffs Roads

The days between Memorial Day and Labor Day are probably the busiest here in Scientists' Cliffs, with many members and their guests enjoying the beach, the pool and the summer programs. It is also the time period when available parking spaces can be scarce, both at your home and throughout the community. This parking crunch can also be a problem during the November to January holiday season.

During these summer months and the holidays, we ask that you treat your neighbors and fellow members and guests with consideration. Please avoid blocking access for vehicles to pass, especially emergency vehicles. As one longtime resident noted, our roads were built at a time when most members only had one car and Amazon did not exist. In other words, our roads are narrow and not necessarily designed for higher levels of traffic, parking, or large delivery vehicles.

If you or your guests need to park on the roads, please pull off the road as far as possible, and ask yourself, can an ambulance or firetruck safely pass by? Many of our dead-end roads were built with enough space at the end of the road specifically to allow vehicles to turn around safely. Please do not clog these cul-de-sacs with parked cars, making it difficult or impossible for vehicles to make that maneuver.

Our choices for alternative parking spots are quite limited. If you decide to use the spaces in close proximity to SCA facilities, please be cognizant of scheduled community and private events and the need for member and guest parking at locations such as the pool, Community House and Chestnut Cabin during those times.