



The Meadows

At World Golf Village

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HOLIDAY PARKING REMINDER

Keep Our Streets Safe for Everyone

More Guests = More Cars on Our Streets

The holidays mean family gatherings and visitors throughout The Meadows. When multiple homes on the same block host guests at once, our narrow streets fill up quickly with parked cars.

This notice explains why overflow parking creates safety problems and what you can do to help.

Why Our Streets Get Congested Fast

Street Width

Our roads are 18 feet wide - the minimum for residential streets. That's enough for normal traffic, but not much room when cars park along the curb.

Parked Car Takes Up Space

A typical SUV or pickup parked at the curb uses about 7.5 feet of the road. That leaves only 10.5 feet for traffic going both directions.

Both Sides Parked = Problem

When cars park on both sides during parties, only 3-4 feet remains in the middle. Two cars can't pass each other. Traffic backs up.

No Sidewalks

The Meadows has no sidewalks. Everyone walks in the street - your guests, kids, elderly relatives - often after dark, weaving between parked cars.

Safety Risks During the Holidays

Emergency Vehicle Delays

Fire trucks and ambulances need clear streets. We have one entrance road that's over 1/3 mile long. Blocked streets mean delayed response when someone needs help.

Pedestrians in the Dark

Guests unfamiliar with the community walk in the roadway at night between parked vehicles. Poor visibility increases accident risk.

Vehicle Damage

Tight squeezes between parked cars lead to scratched paint, broken mirrors, and torn-up lawns when drivers try to navigate around obstacles.

WHAT YOU CAN DO

1. Fill Your Driveway First

Park all your vehicles and guest vehicles in your driveway before anyone parks on the street. Most driveways fit 2-4 cars.

2. One Side of the Street Only

Tell guests to park on ONE side of the street. This keeps one lane open for traffic and emergency vehicles.

3. Don't Park Across from Other Cars

Even a small gap between cars on opposite sides helps traffic flow. Don't line up directly across from another parked vehicle.

4. Park Close to Your House

Ask guests to park near your home, not scattered down the block. This reduces how much of the street gets congested.

5. Keep These Areas Clear

- Street corners and intersections
- Mailboxes
- Fire hydrants
- Areas directly across from driveways

6. Turn On Outside Lights

Use porch lights and driveway lights when guests arrive after dark. It helps everyone see better.

ENFORCEMENT

St. Johns County and law enforcement handle all parking and traffic enforcement on our public streets.

- **Parking violations** can result in citations.
- **Blocking emergency vehicles** may result in your vehicle being forcibly moved to allow fire-rescue access.

Bottom Line

- During the holidays, we all need to work together to keep streets safe and accessible.
- **Use your driveway. Park on one side. Keep intersections clear. Turn on lights.**
- Simple steps make a big difference.

Have a Safe Holiday Season