# Changes Coming to a Parking Space Near You

Beginning in January 2017, the City of Golden will implement new parking management strategies to alleviate parking congestion in downtown. These changes will impact residents, employees and visitors. Here is the information you need to know now.

## How Do I Register for a Permit?

**Employees**
Managers of businesses will be responsible for registering each employee, by license plate, for all employees seeking a long-term parking permit. Registration will take place this fall, via an online system. City of Golden employees will help each business register online.

**Residents**
Residents will have the responsibility for registering their car(s) via an online system this fall.

**Visitors**
Permits are not available for visitors.

## What are the Fees for Parking or a Permit?

**Employee parking permits** will be free to the employer and employee. Employers fraudulently registering vehicles will be assessed a fine.

**Residents**
For those residential properties in buildings constructed prior to 1990 with no on-site parking, the annual fee for the first permitted car is $225, and $450 per year for each additional permitted vehicle. For those residential properties constructed with on-site parking as required by city code, permits can be secured at an annual rate of $450 for the first permitted vehicle and $900 per year for each additional vehicle.

**Visitors**
As a visitor, the first 2 hours are free. Each additional hour is $2 or $8 per day Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Visitors will pay for parking by either an on-site kiosk or mobile app.

## Where Can I Park?

**Anywhere except private parking lots, Washington Avenue, the lot adjacent to Meyer Hardware, and the lot between 12th and 13th Streets along Arapahoe Street.**

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The City of Golden will be communicating with those affected by the new parking management strategies in coming months with more details and how to get resident/employee parking permits. In the meantime if you have questions please email staff at planning@cityofgolden.net or visit cityofgolden.net.

The City of Golden is committed to not only improving the parking situation downtown, but investing in alternative transportation such as the community call and ride bus, the Golden Bike library, and more. Additional information about these investments can be found at cityofgolden.net.