

Policy 3-4-11. Parking Lot Use

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JCLD offers library parking at all its branch facilities. As JCLD strives to develop respectful relationships with neighboring property owners and businesses, patrons are expected to follow the rules of conduct on all library grounds and parking areas as outlined in Policy 3-1-2 Patron Responsibilities and Rules of Conduct. Parking lots are for use by library patrons unless signage or other partnership agreements are provided for designated use by other agencies.

Overnight parking is not permitted at any library branch location. Day camping, defined as resting, sleeping, or remaining in a vehicle or on library parking lots/grounds for extended periods without actively using library services, is also prohibited.

This policy and all other JCLD policies are in effect during both operating and closed library hours. Patrons are expected to adhere to all library policies on the library grounds when facilities are closed to the public.

Use of tobacco products or alcohol is prohibited. Smoking, vaping, alcohol, illegal drugs, or drug paraphernalia are prohibited on library property, including parking lots.

Double parking or blocking another vehicle from clear entry and exit is prohibited.

Library parking areas and property may not be used as an outdoor restroom or for washing, bathing, or other misuse.

JCLD strives to maintain facilities that are safe and secure for staff, volunteers, and patrons. To this end, selected areas of the library premises are equipped with video cameras that are recording at all times in accordance with Policy 3-3-4 Security Cameras.

Violations of JCLD policies will result in the loss of library and computer privileges in accordance with Policy 3-1-2 Patron Responsibilities and Rules of Conduct.