

Pedicab Changes

Section	Original	Revised
6-2502 Definitions	<p><i>Pedicab.</i> A bicycle with three or more wheels operated by one person for the purpose of, or capable of, transporting passengers in seats or a platform made a part of the pedicab. This definition shall not include a bicycle built for two where the operators are seated one behind the other, nor shall it include a bicycle with trainer or beginner wheels affixed thereto, nor shall it include a wheelchair or other vehicle for the purpose of transporting a handicapped person, nor shall it include a tricycle built for a child or an adult with a seat for only one operator and no passenger.</p>	<p><i>Pedicab.</i> A three wheeled vehicle designed to be operated by one person for the purpose of transporting passengers in seats or a platform made a part of the vehicle while being propelled exclusively by the manual strength of the driver. This definition shall not include any of the following: (1) a bicycle built for two where the cyclists are seated one behind the other; (2) a bicycle with trainer or beginner wheels affixed thereto; (3) a wheelchair or other vehicle transporting a physically disabled person; (4) a tricycle built for a child or an adult with a seat for only one operator and no passenger.</p>
	<p><i>License.</i> The right and privilege granted by the City of Savannah for the operation of a business incorporating the use of one or more pedicabs within the corporate limits of the city.</p>	<p><i>Company permit.</i> The privilege granted by the City of Savannah to engage in the operation of one or more pedicabs within the corporate limits of the city.</p>
	<p><i>Company.</i> The holder of a license to operate a pedicab business under the provisions of this article whether a person, firm, partnership or corporation.</p>	<p>Eliminate</p>
	<p><i>Driver.</i> Any person who drives or operates a pedicab on the streets of Savannah for a licensed company.</p>	<p><i>Driver.</i> Any natural person who drives or operates a pedicab on the streets of Savannah for a permitted company.</p>
	<p><i>Street.</i> The word "street" shall mean and include any street, alley, lane, avenue, court, or other public vehicular right-of-way within the City of Savannah.</p>	<p>Eliminate</p>
	<p><i>Tour services coordinator.</i> The individual employee or organizational unit of the city charged with the responsibility for administering and enforcing this article, except for specific responsibilities otherwise provided in this article.</p>	<p><i>Code compliance director.</i> The individual employee or organizational unit of the city charged with the responsibility for administering and enforcing this article.</p>

	<i>Passenger loading zone.</i> A public place alongside the curb of a street or elsewhere which has been designated by the mayor and aldermen as reserved for the loading and unloading of passengers.	<i>Passenger loading zone.</i> A public place alongside the curb of a street or elsewhere which has been designated by the City as reserved for the loading and unloading of passengers.
		Tour guide. Any person who drives or operates a tour service vehicle on the streets of Savannah or who acts or offers to act as a guide for hire through any part of the city or who serves as an actor during a tour for hire. “Tour guide” as used in this article does not include any person acting or offering to act as a guide for hire, or an actor during a tour for hire, when the tour is to be conducted solely on private real property.
		<i>Mobility and Parking Services Director.</i> The individual employee or organizational unit of the city charged with the responsibility for permitting and inspecting pedicabs.
6-2503 Purpose of pedicabs	The purpose for the operation of pedicabs in the city is for transportation of passengers, not for providing sightseeing tours. No pedicab may be used to conduct sightseeing tours within the city.	The purpose for the operation of pedicabs in the city is for transportation of passengers. No pedicab company may conduct sightseeing tours within the city unless registered and conducted as a tour company in accordance with Article R, Tour Service for Hire.
6-2504	“License Required” No person, firm or corporation shall operate a business involving the use of one or more pedicabs on the streets of the city unless a license for such business has first been granted by the city in accordance with the provisions of the annual revenue ordinance. The license shall be effective only for the calendar year stated in the license, unless suspended or revoked sooner as provided by ordinance.	“ Business tax certificate required ” No person, firm or corporation shall operate a business involving the use of one or more pedicabs on the streets of the city unless a business tax certificate for such business has first been granted by the city in accordance with the provisions of the annual revenue ordinance. The certificate shall be effective only for the calendar year stated in the certificate .
	Application for the license shall be made on forms provided by the revenue department and shall provide such information as is required for other business license applications and such additional information as may be necessary to define completely the	Application for the business tax certificate shall be made on forms provided by the revenue department and shall provide such information as is required for other business tax certificate applications and such additional information as may be necessary to define completely the business operation.

	business operation. Renewal of the license shall be as required by the annual revenue ordinance.	Renewal of the certificate shall be as required by the annual revenue ordinance.
6-2505 Fixed place of business required	Each pedicab company, as a condition for holding a license under the provisions of this article and the annual revenue ordinance, shall establish and maintain a fixed headquarters on private property for the operation of the company's business. The headquarters shall conform to ordinances of the city and shall provide adequate off-street parking space for all pedicabs not in service on the streets. The company headquarters shall not be moved except by the approved transfer of the company's license to another location.	Each pedicab company, as a condition for holding a valid company permit under the provisions of this article and the annual revenue ordinance, shall establish and maintain a fixed headquarters on private property for the operation of the company's business. The headquarters shall conform to all applicable city ordinances and shall provide adequate off-street parking space for all pedicabs not in service. The company headquarters shall not be moved except by the approved transfer of the company's permit to another location.
6-2506 Indemnity for benefit of city	Any pedicab company operating under this article shall hold the city harmless against any and all liability, loss, costs, damages, or expense which may accrue to the city by reason of the negligence, default, or misconduct of the company in connection with the rights granted to such company under this article. Nothing in this article shall be considered to make the city liable for damages because of any negligent act or omission or commission by any pedicab company, its owner, operator, servants, agents, drivers, or other employees, during the operation of a pedicab business or service, either with respect to injuries to persons or damage to property which may be sustained.	Any pedicab company operating under this article shall hold the city harmless against any and all liability, loss, costs, damages, or expense which may accrue to the city by reason of the negligence, default, or misconduct of the company which, for the purposes of this section shall include the negligence, default or misconduct of a company's drivers in connection with the privileges granted to such company under this article. Nothing in this article shall be considered to make the city liable for damages because of any negligent act or omission or commission by any pedicab company, its owner, operator, servants, agents, drivers, or other employees, during the operation of a pedicab business or service, with respect to injuries to persons or damage either to property which may be sustained.
6-2507 Insurance	Any pedicab company desiring a license to do business shall give and maintain a policy of comprehensive general liability insurance from an insurance company authorized to do business in the State of Georgia for each pedicab in use as a transportation vehicle, with minimum general liability coverage of \$1,000,000.00. Such insurance shall inure to the benefit of any person who shall be	Any pedicab company desiring a company permit to conduct business shall give and maintain a policy of comprehensive general liability insurance from an insurance company authorized to do business in the State of Georgia for each pedicab in use as a transportation vehicle, with minimum general liability coverage of \$1,000,000.00. Such insurance shall inure to the benefit of any person who shall be injured or shall sustain damage to property caused by the negligence or

	injured or shall sustain damage to property caused by the negligence or misconduct of a pedicab company, its servants or agents. Copies of such insurance policies shall be filed with the city revenue department and shall specifically provide that such policy shall not be cancelled without notice to the city.	misconduct of a pedicab company, its employees , servants or agents. Copies of such insurance policies shall be filed with the mobility and parking services director and shall specifically provide that such policy shall not be cancelled without notice to the city.
6-2509 Notice when canceled	Before any policy of insurance required by this article is canceled for any cause, nonpayment of premium or otherwise, notice thereof shall be given, in writing, to the revenue department at least ten days before the same shall take effect.	Reserved
6-2510 Pedicab driver's permit	No person shall operate a pedicab for hire upon the streets of the city, and no person who owns or operates a pedicab company shall permit a pedicab to be driven or operated under a pedicab company licensed by the city at any time for hire, unless the driver of the pedicab shall first have obtained and shall have then in force a pedicab driver's permit issued under the provisions of this article.	No person shall operate a pedicab for hire upon the streets of the city, and no person who owns or operates a pedicab company shall permit a pedicab to be driven or operated under a pedicab company permitted by the city at any time for hire, unless the driver of the pedicab shall first have obtained and shall have then in force a pedicab driver's permit issued under the provisions of this article.
6-2511 Application	Any person desiring a permit required by this article shall submit an application in writing to the tour services coordinator, on a form to be furnished by the tour services coordinator. The application shall be made under oath and shall state the age of the applicant, his or her address, and whether he or she has been convicted of a violation of any of the laws of the state or of this Code or other ordinances of the city and, if so, when and of what offense and the sentence of the court.	Any person desiring a pedicab driver's permit required by this article shall submit an application in writing to the mobility and parking services director , on a form to be furnished by the mobility and parking services director .
6-2512 Physician's certificate required	Each application for a pedicab driver's permit shall be accompanied by a certificate from a reputable physician of the city certifying that, in his opinion, the applicant is not afflicted with any disease or	Reserved

	<p>infirmity which might make him or her an unsafe or unsatisfactory pedicab operator. In the case of renewal of a pedicab driver's permit, the certificate shall be updated every two years.</p>	
<p>6-2513 Qualifications of applicant</p>	<p>An applicant for a pedicab driver's permit under this article may not be less than 16 years of age, with no physical infirmities which might make the applicant an unsafe or unsatisfactory pedicab driver. No permit shall be issued to any person who has been convicted of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating beverages or drugs two or more times within one year prior to the date of the application for such permit or who has been convicted of the offense three or more times within five years prior to the date of the application for the permit. Nor shall a permit be issued to any person who has within three years prior to the date of the application for such permit been convicted of any crime related to transporting persons for immoral purposes or has within three years prior to the date of the application for such permit been convicted of a felony.</p>	<p>An applicant for a pedicab driver's permit under this article may not be less than 18 years of age, with no physical infirmities which might make the applicant an unsafe or unsatisfactory pedicab driver. No permit shall be issued to any person who has been convicted of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating beverages or drugs two or more times within one year prior to the date of the application for such permit or who has been convicted of the offense three or more times within five years prior to the date of the application for the permit. Nor shall a permit be issued to any person who has within three years prior to the date of the application for such permit been convicted of any felony crimes committed against persons.</p>
<p>6-2514 Pedicab driver's permit fee</p>	<p>Before any permit is granted under this article, a pedicab driver's permit fee of \$5.00 shall be paid by the applicant.</p>	<p>Before any pedicab driver's permit is granted under this article, a pedicab driver's permit fee of \$25.00 shall be paid by the applicant. All outstanding citations must be paid or resolved prior to the issuance of a pedicab driver's permit.</p>
<p>6-2515 Current state driver's license required</p>	<p>Any person applying for a pedicab driver's permit under this article must show that he has a current motor vehicle operator's license issued or approved by the State of Georgia, and that the license is not under suspension or revocation.</p>	<p>Any person applying for a pedicab driver's permit under this article must provide a current motor vehicle operator's license issued or approved by the State of Georgia, or any other U.S. state. An applicant must provide a seven year motor vehicle report from the state issuing the applicant's driver's license. The mobility and parking services director shall accept an unofficial electronic copy of motor vehicle record from the issuing state on a temporary basis until a certified copy is received. The state-issued certified copy of motor vehicle</p>

		record must be presented to the mobility and parking services director within 30 days of submitting an application. No third party motor vehicle record shall be accepted. The motor vehicle record must be dated within 90 days of the application date. A three year motor vehicle record shall be sufficient for a valid permit renewal.
6-2516 Driver's permit to be displayed on pedicab	The pedicab driver's permit issued under the provisions of this article shall be displayed on the pedicab to be operated by the holder of the permit, where the permit will be in clear view of the passengers at all times when the pedicab is for hire.	The pedicab driver's permit issued under the provisions of this article shall be conspicuously displayed when operating on city streets.
6-2520 Suspension of pedicab driver's permit	Upon recommendation of the tour services coordinator, the parking services administrator shall have authority to suspend a driver's permit for the following reasons: (i) making any false statement in the application for the permit, (ii) operating a pedicab in violation of any provision of this article or state law. The suspension by the parking services administrator shall be lifted upon dismissal or dropping of the charges described, upon satisfactory correction of any false statement in the application, upon correction of the violation of any provision of this article, upon ruling in favor of the driver in any hearing before the administrative hearing panel, or at the expiration of 60 days from the date of suspension. From the decision of the parking services administrator to suspend a permit, the holder of such permit shall have the right to appeal to an administrative hearing panel, as provided in section 6-2523 of this article.	<p>The code compliance director, after hearing evidence from the pedicab driver or pedicab company, shall have the authority to suspend a pedicab driver's permit for no less than 30 days and no more than 90 days for the following reasons:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) The driver is convicted of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating beverages or drugs, or reckless driving as defined in O.C.G.A §40-6-390, as amended; (b) Making any false statements in the application for the pedicab driver's permit; (c) Operating a pedicab in violation of any provisions of this article or applicable state law; (d) Conviction for driving on a suspended license; or (e) Conviction of a crime involving physical violence to another person under either state or federal law. <p>If a pedicab permit is suspended two times within any rolling two-year period, the third suspension within said two-year period shall result in a permanent revocation of the driver's permit.</p> <p>The code compliance director shall notify within 10 business days the pedicab driver and pedicab company in writing of any suspension, in which case the pedicab driver or pedicab</p>

		company shall have the right to appeal as provided in Section 6-2523.
6-2521 Revocation of driver's permit	In the event that any driver holding a permit under this article at any time ceases to meet the qualifications described in section 6-2513 or fails to correct satisfactorily any false statement made in the application for the permit, or fails to operate his pedicab in accordance with the provisions of this article, the city manager shall be empowered to revoke permanently the permit or to restore the same after a hearing as provided in section 6-2523 of this article.	Reserved
6-2522 Operating after suspension or revocation	It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a pedicab for hire for the transportation of passengers during any period in which his or her permit to do so is suspended or revoked in accordance with the provisions of this article.	It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a pedicab for hire for the transportation of passengers during any period in which his or her permit to do so is suspended or revoked in accordance with the provisions of this article. Once a company is notified by the code compliance director of a driver's status and found to have allowed the driver to operate with a suspended or revoked pedicab driver's permit, the company owner and driver shall be issued a citation for each infraction.
6-2523	<i>Administration.</i> This article shall be administered by the tour services coordinator, who shall have authority to recommend to the parking services administrator the suspension of a pedicab driver's permit for violation of this article or state law. The parking services administrator shall have authority to suspend a pedicab driver's permit for violation of this article or state law.	"Suspension or revocation appeals." Any decision of the code compliance director to suspend a pedicab driver's permit or to disallow a pedicab from operating on city streets as outlined in Sec. 6-2520 and 6-2530 may be appealed within ten business days of transmittal of notification of such decision to the Recorder's Court by submitting a written appeal setting forth the factual and legal basis for the appeal to the code compliance director.
	<i>Administrative hearing and appeal.</i> Any decision of the parking services administrator to suspend a pedicab driver's permit may be appealed within ten days. All appeals shall be made in writing to the parking services administrator. Such appeal shall be	

	heard by an administrative hearing panel made up of (a) the revenue director, (b) a designee of the revenue director, (c) the traffic engineer or his designee, (d) the Savannah police chief or his designee and © two members of the tourism advisory committee.	
	The administrative hearing shall be informal and shall be presided over by the revenue director or his designee. The majority decision of the administrative hearing panel shall be provided to the pedicab company or driver in writing within two days of the hearing. Decisions of the administrative hearing panel may, within ten days of notification, be appealed in writing to the city manager, whose ruling shall be final.	
6-2524	<p>“Identification and marking generally.”</p> <p>Every pedicab shall have a sign plainly painted on each side of the vehicle, in letters not less than three inches high, containing the full name of the company operating the pedicab.</p>	<p>“Identification, markings, distinctive color schemes and advertising”</p> <p>Every pedicab shall have a sign plainly marked on each side of the vehicle, in letters not less than three inches high, containing the full name of the company operating the pedicab. Color schemes shall be recorded by the mobility and parking services director on an annual basis.</p>
		<p>Third-party advertising shall be permitted on the rear surface only of the pedicab and provided it does not block the bumper or interfere with or impede the visibility of any safety equipment. No part of the advertising may obscure the visibility of the pedicab number nor may it emit light or noise.</p>
6-2525	<p>“Numbers generally”</p> <p>There shall be painted on each side and on the rear of each pedicab a number at least four inches high, the number to be a separate and distinct number from that on any other public vehicle or taxicab in the city. The number shall be assigned to such pedicab and the</p>	<p>“Assigned numbers generally”</p> <p>There shall be painted on each side and on the rear of each pedicab a number at least three inches high, the number to be a separate and distinct number from that of any other pedicab in the city. The number shall be assigned to such pedicab and the owner thereof by the mobility and parking services director</p>

	owner thereof by the tour services coordinator and shall not be altered or changed without the consent of the tour services coordinator.	and shall not be altered or changed without the consent of the mobility and parking services director .
6-2526 Registration of number and names of owner and operator	The number assigned a pedicab in accordance with this article together with the names of the owner and operator of the pedicab shall be registered with the tour services coordinator in a file to be kept for that purpose.	The number assigned a pedicab in accordance with this article together with the names of the owner and operator of the pedicab shall be registered with the mobility and parking services director in a file to be kept for that purpose.
6-2529 Pedicab inspections required	Each pedicab shall be inspected by the tour services coordinator for compliance with the provisions of this article and shall pass the inspection before the vehicle may be used as a pedicab in the city. Each pedicab involved in an accident shall be inspected by the tour services coordinator before it may be returned to service transporting passengers for hire. Each pedicab shall be inspected by the tour services coordinator at least once in each six-month period to insure continued compliance with the provisions of this article.	Each pedicab shall be inspected by the mobility and parking services director for compliance with the provisions of this article and shall pass the inspection before the vehicle may be used as a pedicab in the city.
		Once the pedicab has passed inspection, the city shall issue a commercial decal for the pedicab. The commercial decal shall be effective for the calendar year and shall be affixed to the pedicab in a visible location. All outstanding citations issued to the company must be paid or resolved prior to the issuance of the commercial decal.
		Each pedicab involved in an accident shall be reported by the pedicab company and inspected by the mobility and parking services director before it may be returned to service transporting passengers for hire.
		Each pedicab shall be inspected by the mobility and parking services director at least once in each calendar year to ensure continued compliance with the provisions of this article.

<p>6-2530</p> <p>Authority for removal of pedicabs from the streets</p>	<p>The tour services coordinator shall have the authority to remove from operation on the streets of the city any pedicab which is in violation of this article, and to prohibit operation of the pedicab until all deficiencies have been corrected. An order of the tour services coordinator to remove a pedicab from the streets may be appealed as provided in section 6-2523 of this article.</p>	<p>The code compliance director shall have the authority to remove from operation on the streets of the city any pedicab which is in violation of this article, and to prohibit operation of the pedicab until all deficiencies have been corrected. An order of the code compliance director to remove a pedicab from the streets may be appealed as provided in section 6-2523 of this article.</p>
<p>6-2531</p> <p>Rates of fare</p>	<p><i>Published literature.</i> Any published literature provided by pedicab companies shall describe specifically all services offered and the rate to be charged.</p>	<p>Eliminated</p>
<p>6-2533</p> <p>Use of designated stops or stands prohibited</p>	<p>It shall be unlawful for any driver of a pedicab to park or stand at any bus stop, tour bus stop, tour bus zone, taxicab stand, or horse-drawn carriage stand. Pedicabs may stop for the purpose of loading and unloading passengers at any designated passenger loading zone within the permitted area of operation.</p>	<p>It shall be unlawful for any driver of a pedicab to park or stand at any bus stop, tour bus stop, tour bus zone, taxicab stand, or horse-drawn carriage stand. The mobility and parking services director shall keep a list of designated stops or zones where pedicabs may stage for hire between 11:00 p.m. to 4:00 a.m. The list shall be maintained and updated on an annual basis.</p>
		<p>Pedicabs may stop for the purpose of loading and unloading passengers at any designated passenger loading zone within the permitted area of operation.</p>
<p>6-2534</p> <p>Restriction on number of passengers</p>	<p>No driver shall permit more persons to be carried in a pedicab as passengers than the rated seating capacity of the pedicab as determined by the tour services coordinator. A child in arms shall not be counted as a passenger.</p>	<p>The number of passengers carried by a pedicab shall be limited to the seating capacity of the pedicab as specified by the manufacturer. A child under the age of three in arms shall not be counted as a passenger. All passengers must be seated securely in the designated seating area.</p>
<p>6-2536</p> <p>Prohibitions of pedicab drivers</p>	<p>It shall be unlawful for any driver of a pedicab to solicit business for any hotel or other business or to attempt to divert patronage from one hotel or business to another or to use a pedicab for any purpose other than transportation of passengers.</p>	<p>Reserved</p>

<p>6-2537</p> <p>Pedicab movement prohibited under certain circumstances</p>	<p>No driver shall collect fares, make change, or take on or discharge passengers while his or her pedicab is in motion.</p>	<p>No pedicab driver shall collect fares, make change, or take on or discharge passengers while his or her pedicab is in motion.</p>
<p>6-2538</p> <p>Property left in a pedicab by passenger</p>	<p>Any pedicab driver discovering in any pedicab under his or her control personal property which was lost or left therein by a passenger of such pedicab shall report the loss and deliver all the property to the office of the pedicab company within 12 hours after the discovery of the property. The driver's report shall include brief particulars to enable the company to identify the owner of the property. The company shall retain the property on behalf of the owner for at least 60 days.</p>	<p>Any pedicab driver discovering in any pedicab under his or her control personal property which was lost or left therein by a passenger of such pedicab shall report the loss and deliver all the property to the office of the pedicab company within 12 hours after the discovery of the property. The driver's report shall include information to enable the company to identify the owner of the property. The company shall retain the property on behalf of the owner for at least 60 days and surrender such property to the lawful owner upon demand and evidence of identity. The company shall maintain a log of each such transaction for six months, which shall be subject to review by the code compliance director. The company shall not charge a fee for maintaining the property. The company must maintain a record describing the disposition of abandoned property.</p>
<p>6-2539</p> <p>Safety equipment required</p>	<p>Each pedicab shall be equipped with electrically powered lights or lanterns and with reflectors, which lights shall be in use when operating during the hours of darkness and when raining. The lights and reflectors shall be mounted so that they are visible from a distance of 500 feet in any direction.</p>	<p>Each pedicab shall be equipped with electrically powered lights or lanterns and with reflectors, which lights shall be in use when operating during the hours of darkness and when raining. The lights and reflectors shall be mounted so that they are visible from a distance of 500 feet in any direction. A slow moving vehicle triangle must be affixed to the rear of each pedicab.</p>
<p>6-2540</p> <p>Area of Operation</p>	<p>See below.</p>	<p>See below.</p>
<p>6-2541</p> <p>Traffic regulations</p>	<p>(c) Considering the nature of operating pedicabs in areas of congestion and heavy traffic, pedicabs shall be operated with extra caution and due care for safety.</p>	<p>(c) When multiple pedicabs are traveling together, they shall travel one behind the other.</p>

<p>6-2542</p> <p>Impediment of traffic flow</p>	<p>The willful failure of any person to comply with this section shall constitute an offense which shall be punishable by a fine and/or suspension of the pedicab driver's permit pursuant to section 6-2520 for a period not to exceed 30 days for the first violation of this section. Second and subsequent violations shall be punishable by a fine and/or suspension of the pedicab driver's permit for not more than 60 days pursuant to section 6-2521 of this article.</p>	
<p>6-2543</p>	<p>“Compliance required”</p> <p>Failure to comply with this article or any of the laws, ordinances, and regulations of the city can result in suspension or revocation of a pedicab driver's permit and shall be punishable as an offense as provided in this Code.</p>	<p>“Code of Conduct”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Pedicab drivers shall not act in a violent manner [Cross reference—Disorderly conduct, Sec. 9-1002]. (b) Pedicab drivers shall be prohibited from having non-service animals with them while on duty. (c) Audible music emanating from the driver or pedicab shall be prohibited [Cross reference—Noise control, Sec. 9-2031]. (d) Pedicab drivers shall remain awake and alert at all times.
<p>6-2544</p> <p>Pedicab special event restrictions</p>	<p>Reserved</p>	<p>It shall be unlawful to operate a pedicab within the perimeter of a permitted special event except where specifically authorized by the mobility and parking services director. A special event is defined as an event or festival where the city restricts streets for pedestrian traffic only.</p>
<p>6-2545</p> <p>Stationary pedicabs</p>	<p>Reserved</p>	<p>Except when specifically authorized by the mobility and parking services director, drivers shall park pedicabs with at least one rear wheel against a curb. Pedicabs may not be parked in such a manner as to obstruct vehicular or pedestrian traffic flow.</p>
<p>6-2546</p> <p>Sidewalks</p>	<p>Reserved</p>	<p>Pedicabs shall not be operated on any sidewalk within the city.</p>

6-2547 Traffic control devices	Reserved	Neither pedicab drivers nor pedicab employees may move, adjust or request any traffic control device or barricade to make passage possible.
6-2548 Citation for violation of pedicab ordinance	Reserved	The code compliance director or his or her designee shall have the authority to cite or summons a pedicab driver or pedicab company owner for violations of this article.
6-2549 Failure to pay fine	Reserved	When any pedicab company owner or pedicab driver fails to pay a fine as specified by ordinance within ten calendar days after the notice was issued, a late payment penalty shall be added to the violation fine amount as specified by ordinance and published in the annual revenue ordinance.
6-2550 Penalties for violation, issuance of citations, suspension and appeal	Reserved	Failure to comply with this article or any of the laws, ordinances, and regulations of the city may result in violation and shall be punishable as provided in Section 1-1013 of this Code.
		Any citation issued for violation of this article shall be issued to the pedicab driver at the time of the violation when deemed appropriate by the enforcement officer issuing the citation. The pedicab company shall receive the citation by 10:00 a.m. on the business day following the day of infraction.
		A code enforcement officer, in his or her discretion and taking into account factors such as time of day, congestion, and safety, may delay no more than 1 business day in delivering a citation to a pedicab driver or pedicab company. Any citation delivered in this manner shall be fully valid, and shall be considered sufficient notice of the charges. A pedicab driver or pedicab company who believes a citation to be issued based on a misapplication of an ordinance to the facts may contest the citation in writing within seven business days to the code compliance director.

Area of Operation

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(a) Pedicabs carrying passengers for hire shall be confined to streets in the area bounded on the north by the south curbline of River Street from Martin Luther King Boulevard to General McIntosh Boulevard; on the west by the west curbline of Martin Luther King Boulevard from River Street to Oglethorpe Avenue, then the east curbline of Martin Luther King Boulevard from Oglethorpe Avenue to Park Avenue; on the east by the north curbline of General McIntosh Boulevard from River Street to Randolph Street, then the east curbline of Randolph Street to Liberty Street, then the south curbline of Liberty Street to East Broad Street, then the west curbline of East Broad Street to Park Avenue; and on the south by the south curbline of Park Avenue from Martin Luther King Boulevard to East Broad Street.

(b) Pedicabs are prohibited on the following streets and street segments within the area defined above, except to cross from one side to the other: Bay Street, Broughton Street from Martin Luther King Boulevard to Lincoln Street between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Drayton Street, Whitaker Street, President Street from East Broad Street to Randolph Street, and Montgomery Street from Broughton Street to West Taylor Street.

North

- South curb line of River Street
 - MLK to General McIntosh

West

- West curb line of MLK
 - River Street to Oglethorpe
- East curb line of MLK
 - Oglethorpe to Park Ave

East

- North curb line of General McIntosh
 - River Street to Randolph
- East curb line of Randolph to Liberty
- South curb line of Liberty to East Broad
- West curb line of East Broad to Park Ave

South

- South curb line of Park Ave
 - MLK to East Broad

Prohibited except to cross:

- Bay
- Broughton
 - From MLK to Lincoln (9am to 5pm)

- Drayton
- Whitaker
- President
 - East Broad to Randolph
- Montgomery
 - Broughton to West Taylor

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Sec. 6-2540. - Area of operation - generally.

(a) Pedicabs shall be confined to streets within the outlined boundaries:

North	The south curbline of River Street
South	The north curbline of 37 th Street
East	The west curbline of East Broad Street
West	The east curbline of Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard

(b) Area of operation - exceptions.

Outside of the area prescribed in Sec. 6-2540(a), pedicabs are permitted to travel on the following streets:

38 th Street	From Barnard Street to Bull Street
39 th Street	From Barnard Street to Bull Street
40 th Street	From Barnard Street to Bull Street
41 st Street	From Barnard Street to Bull Street
42 nd Street	From Barnard Street to Bull Street
43 rd Street	From Barnard Street to Bull Street
Alton Street	From Laurel Street to Ann Street
Ann Street	From West Bryan Street to West Oglethorpe Avenue
East Broughton Street	East Broad Street to Barr Street
Indian Street	From Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard to Warner Street
Laurel Street	From Zublely Street to Alton Street
Liberty Street	From Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard to Houston Street
Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard	From West River Street to Indian Street
McGuire Street	From West River Street to Indian Street

North Fahm Street	From West River Street to Indian Street
Oglethorpe Avenue	From Jefferson Street to Houston Street
Orange Street	From Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard to Ann Street
Warner Street	From West River Street to Indian Street
West Bryan Street	From Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard to Ann Street
West River Street	From Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard to Warner Street
Zubley Street	From Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard to Ann Street

(c) Area of operation - prohibited at all times.

Pedicabs are prohibited on the following streets:

37 th Street	All
West Boundary Street	All
East Strand/Lincoln Street Loop	From Abercorn Street to the Lincoln Ramp

(d) Area of operation - permitted only to cross.

37 th Street	Only at Barnard Street and Bull Street
Drayton Street	Bay to 36 th Street
East Strand/Lincoln Street Loop	From Abercorn Street to the Lincoln Ramp
Whitaker Street	From Congress Street to 43 rd Street

(e) Pedicabs are prohibited on the following streets and street segments within the area defined above, except to cross from one side to the other:

Anderson Street	East Broad Street to Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard
Bay Street	East Broad Street to Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard
Drayton Street	East Bay Street to East 37 th Street
Henry Street	East Broad Street to Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard
Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard	West Bay Street to West 37 th Street
Montgomery Street	Broughton Street to West Taylor Street
Whitaker Street	South curbline of Congress Street to 43 rd Street

(f) Area of operation - time restricted.

During the prescribed times set forth, pedicabs are prohibited on the following street(s) and street segment(s) within the area defined above, except to cross from one side to the other:

9:00 am to 5:00 pm	Broughton Street	Lincoln Street to Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard
9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Fahm Street	Ann Street to the Tri-Centennial Park Visitor Center

(g) Area of operation - lane restricted.

Pedicabs shall utilize all bike lanes designated by the city, within the area of operation.

(h) Area of operation - special conditions.

a. Forsyth Park band shell parking lot:

- i. Pedicabs may use the Forsyth Park band shell parking lot only to pick up scheduled passengers or drop off current fares.
- ii. Ingress and egress is permitted only from East Hall Street.
- iii. Parking, standing or staging for passengers in the band shell parking lot is prohibited at all times.
- iv. Pedicabs are prohibited from traveling south of the southernmost parking space in the band shell parking lot. No more than one pedicab for hire from each company shall be permitted on the 100 block of East St. Julian Street