

(i) The official international wheelchair symbol or a reasonable facsimile of it; or

(ii) Any other symbol that the Administrator considers appropriate to designate the vehicle as one belonging to a handicapped individual.

(f) (1) In this subsection "special types of vehicles" means:

(i) Emergency vehicles defined under § 11-118 of this article;

(ii) Service vehicles defined under § 22-201 of this article;

(iii) Class B (for hire) vehicles;

(iv) Class C (funeral and ambulance) vehicles;

(v) Class H (school) vehicles;

(vi) Class I (charter bus) vehicles;

(vii) Class J (vanpool) vehicles;

(viii) Class P (passenger bus) vehicles; and

(ix) State or local government vehicles.

(2) The person for whom special plates are issued under this section or under a similar provision of any other state:

(i) May park for unlimited periods in parking zones restricted as to the length of parking time permitted; and

(ii) Is not required to pay any parking meter fees of this State or of any political subdivision of this State.

(3) The provisions of this subsection supersede any local ordinance, except that they do not apply:

(i) To zones where stopping, standing, or parking is prohibited to all vehicles;

(ii) To zones that are reserved for special types of vehicles; or

(iii) Where there is a local ordinance that prohibits parking during heavy traffic periods in morning, afternoon, or evening rush hours, or where parking clearly would present a traffic hazard.