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Park Plymouth 2020 Paid Parking Season Began on Monday, July 13

After careful consideration of the current business climate and daily monitoring of parking activity, Park Plymouth began the 2020 paid parking season in Plymouth on **Monday, July 13th**. Park Plymouth delayed the usual April 1, 2020 start date of the paid parking season when the COVID-19 pandemic began in March and non-essential businesses were closed in Massachusetts.

On Monday, July 13th, all parking meters and pay stations were activated and all parking time limits and parking rates in effect across the Plymouth parking system will once again apply. The hourly fee for parking at a meter or in a public lot is \$2.00 per hour, and all parking regulations are enforced from 9am-7pm, 7 days a week including holidays. The limited parking enforcement program currently in effect will be expanded on the 13th to include the issuance of violations for unpaid parking fees and of time-limited parking.

There will be an important difference, however, when the 2020 paid season begins. To reinforce measures aimed to reduce the spread of COVID-19 and ensure the health and safety of our customers and Park Plymouth employees, Park Plymouth will be encouraging contactless payment options by offering customers the **reduced fee of \$1.50 per hour** if they use Passport, Park Plymouth's mobile payment app, to pay for parking. The promotion of Passport as the preferred payment option – and the reduced rate -- will be prominently displayed on every parking meter and pay station in hopes that parkers will download the app, enjoy the savings, and help Park Plymouth become a cashless parking entity. The Passport app can be downloaded to your phone or other device from www.Passport.com. Instructions for using the app can also be found on the Park Plymouth website at www.parkplymouth.com.

The Park Plymouth office at 40 Court Street is also now open again to the public for the purchase of parking permits and payment of parking tickets. Parking permits are another way that eligible residents and employees can save money and support contactless payment options. When purchasing a parking permit in the Park Plymouth office, please obey the social distancing guidelines, masking, and other requirements that have been put into place. Park Plymouth will also continue to accept permit applications by mail for those not comfortable coming into the office. Please visit Parkplymouth.com for details on permit costs and types.

If you have any questions, please contact Park Plymouth at 508-747-5929 or by email at CSM@parkplymouth.com

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