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Dear Ann Arbor,

I [read](#) that moving cars off our streets in snow storms is the focus of an educational campaign.

As part of this campaign, please make use of the [epark Ann Arbor app](#) - by which many vehicle operators already interact with Ann Arbor government - to communicate with us:

- for folks who open the app, at least once between now and 1/1/26, the app should flash us users some message about the new administration of the ban; and invite us to read or watch a video about it or to send ourselves a reminder to read about it the next day.
- there should be some way in the app that we can opt-into notifications about times when the ban is in effect.
- please make it impossible to pay for street parking in the app on banned streets during any hour that a ban is in effect for that street.

thanks,
~Paul

ps - I have read (some of) the [snowparking](#) page and I understand that there is an encouragement from Ann Arbor city government to sign up for Everbridge alerts. I have been a registered user of Everbridge for 25 months, but only for tornado warnings.

Government's incentive is to over-share regarding warnings. I don't trust y'all enough and I protect my attention span, so I only sign up for the (one) warning, I want.

At this hour, Everbridge offers no solely "Snow Parking Ban" alert that I can opt-into. At this hour, Everbridge is not a useful substitute for the notification that I am requesting. Please improve that too, by offering a check-box that opts me only into a snow parking ban alert.

▼ ☐ I want to receive communications about:

▼ ☐ Emergencies Only (1)

☐ Emergencies Only

▼ ☐ Public Advisories (1)

☐ Public Advisories

▼ ☐ Community Messages (1)

☐ Community Messages

▼ ☐ Traffic Advisories (1)

☐ Traffic Advisories

▼ ☐ Weather Alerts

▶ ☐ Wind (3)

▶ ☐ Flood (8)

▼ ☐ Winter (6)

☐ Blizzard Warning

☐ Ice Storm Warning

☐ Snow Squall Warning

☐ Winter Storm Warning

☐ Winter Storm Watch

☐ Winter Weather Advisory

▼ ☐ Non-Precipitation (9)

☐ Excessive Heat Advisory

☐ Extreme Cold Advisory

☐ Extreme Cold Warning

☐ Extreme Cold Watch

☐ Extreme Heat Warning

☐ Extreme Heat Watch

☐ Heat Advisory

☐ Wind Chill Advisory

☐ Wind Chill Warning

▼ ☐ Severe (5)

☐ Severe Thunderstorm Warning

☐ Severe Thunderstorm Watch

☐ Tornado Advisory

☒ Tornado Warning

☐ Tornado Watch