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Calgary Parking Authority lowers parking rates

New lower evening and weekend rates and discounted motorcycle prices

The Calgary Parking Authority has lowered evening and weekend parking rates in 12 of its parkades and surface lots and is introducing discount rates for motorcycles in six locations.

Effective immediately, evening and weekend parking will cost only \$2.00 in City Centre, McDougall, James Short and Centennial parkades as well as eight other locations in Kensington and the downtown core. Motorcycle parking is now available in five parkades and one surface lot for as low as \$4.00 a day on a monthly basis.

“We’re offering toonie parking in the evening and on weekends so Calgarians can enjoy the unique shops, restaurants and entertainment facilities our downtown and inner city have to offer,” said Dale Fraser, CPA General Manager. “We are also making a special effort to accommodate the growing number of people who choose to use motorcycles for their downtown commute.”

In addition, Centennial Parkade is now open until 12:30 a.m. for the convenience of theatre patrons. Lower rates in the Convention Centre Parkade allow customers to park for \$4.00 in the evening and \$5.00 on weekends.

The Calgary Parking Authority provides quality municipal parking services throughout the downtown and inner city.

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