

## **Student and Parent Parking Information and Campus Traffic Plan 2023-2024**

Attention Parents and Students:

The Chippewa Valley School District requires both Chippewa Valley and Dakota to sell parking tags to students who wish to utilize the school property to park their cars. The price for this tag is determined by the central administration and is uniform between both high schools. Each year the board office reviews the price per tag and determines the price for the following school year based on economic conditions, the demand for parking tags, and survey data of area schools. Currently, the district has adopted the fee **of \$50.00 for a parking tag**. There will be a series of cost reductions after the 1<sup>st</sup> semester (\$40 after 1/20; \$30 after 3/31). Please note the revenue generated by the sale of these tags is used to fund cost associated with the parking lots, services that directly impact students, and other operational expenditures.

Additionally, the board office has established other parameters to govern student use of vehicles at the high schools. Students are not permitted to drive to Dakota High School during the school day; as well as, use their car to leave the campus during the school day. In the rare circumstances when a student is required to take his or her car to Dakota for curricular reasons, the student needs to obtain prior approval from both their teacher and the building administration (forms are available with the CTE teachers). If a student is caught circumventing this policy, they may lose their parking tag for a period of time to be determined by the building administration.

Each student is expected to purchase their parking tag prior to driving their vehicle to school. Chippewa Valley security personnel log each car that is on campus without a valid parking tag. The owners of vehicles who are parked here without a valid tag are identified through the LEIN system with assistance from the Clinton Township Police Department. If a car is parked here without a valid tag then the school is authorized to have Nick's Towing remove the vehicle from the property. Please note that all cost associated with retrieving your vehicle from Nick's Towing is the responsibility of the vehicle owner. Furthermore, Chippewa does not receive any financial benefit from the towing company but is expected to ensure that all cars on the property are here legally.

**Students are required to use the west student parking lot only during school hours. See the parking map diagram on the right.**

**If students park in the circle Staff and Visitor Parking Lot they are subject to disciplinary action, such as loss of privileges, detentions, out-of-school suspension, and/or having their vehicle towed at the owner's expense.**



The area immediately East of the main building is designated as the bus loop only, and is not open for parent or student traffic. Parents are asked to use the circle drive way off 19 Mile road if they are dropping off students to the main building. The parent drop off for the 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Center is the circle drive way off Romeo Plank road. Additional information about student drop-off and pick-up is located on the next page.

Chippewa Valley High School is committed to maintaining a safe campus. To help us achieve this goal we partner with the Clinton Township Police Department to patrol our lots, issue tickets to drivers who park illegally, and drive in an unsafe manner. Furthermore, we also have an arrangement with the Clinton Township Police Department to conduct random unannounced sweeps of our parking lots using drug detection dogs. If, in the course of these sweeps, we discover ANY items that are prohibited by the code of conduct, the person responsible for bringing the vehicle onto campus will be held accountable for any violations.

