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"Meter All Alone"



"Moose Parked in a No-Parking Zone"



"Denison Parking Sneaker"

OH SNAP!

Photo Contest Winners Bring Parking to Life

"A parking photo contest?" We heard it more than once over the last few months, but in the end got to spend a few hours with a virtual stack of photos that made us smile, laugh, and want to go out and explore parking facilities for our own amazing shots.

It wasn't easy to pick the winners of the 2012 compe-

titution—we were blown away by how many great entries there were in each category. And we're looking forward to doing it again later this year, so don't put your cameras down just yet.

Without further adieu, we present to you the winners of *The Parking Professional* 2012 Photo Contest!



"Emirati in Dubai Paying for Parking"



"Sailing By"



"Concrete Bend"

Many thanks to our talented panel of judges:

- Melinda Scott Anderson, CAPP, Medical University of South Carolina
- Linda Kauffman
- Abigail Noonan, BonoTom Studio
- Tom Specht, BonoTom Studio
- Cindy Campbell, California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo
- Henry Wallmeyer, IPI
- Shawn Conrad, IPI
- Mark Wright, Wright Communications
- Kim Fernandez, IPI

BEAUTIFUL

"CROSSING THE DOTTED LINE"

by Elise Swain, submitted by Jonathan Parks Architect.

A ballerina's silhouette is framed by the concrete forms of the Palm Avenue Parking Garage in Sarasota, Fla.

FUNNY

"METER ALL ALONE" by Felix Riverea, City of Tampa Parking Division

NATURE

"MOOSE PARKED IN A NO-PARKING ZONE" by Scott Willis, Easy Park Alaska, a division of Anchorage Community Development Authority, Anchorage.

Scott says, "I had dropped my wife off to do some shopping and while I was waiting, I observed this moose illegally stopped and standing in the no-parking zone. I took the photo on my iPhone for proof of the violation in case the moose decided to appeal the citation. As it turned out, staff was unable to link the citation due to a license plate not being recorded at the time of the violation, and the citation was dismissed."

MOST OFFBEAT OR UNUSUAL

"DENISON PARKING SNEAKER"

by Barbara Chance, Ph.D., CHANCE Management Advisors, Inc.

This parking-themed sneaker was displayed in Indianapolis, Ind., as part of a Big 10 basketball tournament.

PEOPLE IN PARKING

"EMIRATI IN DUBAI PAYING FOR PARKING"

By L. Dennis Burns, CAPP, Kimley-Horn & Associates and Dennis Burns Photography.

This photo was taken while Dennis was in Dubai for a parking pricing policy study interview several years ago. The photo was taken in the Deria section of the old city.

STRUCTURE/LOT

"SAILING BY" Photo by Barry J. Grossman, submitted by Jonathan Parks Architect.

This view of the Palm Avenue Parking Garage, Sarasota, Fla., shows the curvaceous, free-form sculptural façade that was designed to reflect the city's artistic heritage and environment.

OVERALL WINNER

"CONCRETE BEND" Photo by Elise Swain, submitted by Jonathan Parks Architect.

A ballerina's silhouette is framed by the concrete forms of the Palm Avenue Parking Garage in Sarasota, Fla., designed by Jonathan Parks, Architect.