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PARALLEL PARKING

STEP-BY-STEP PROCEDURE

01 **Approach parked vehicle slowly,** use right directional to indicate your intention to Parallel Park.

02 **Your alignment with the parked vehicle:** Align parallel with parked car, 3-4 feet away. Your rear bumper should be about 3 feet behind the bumper of the parked car (image #1).

03 **ONE FULL TURN** of the wheel to the right.

04 When your vehicle reaches a **45 degree angle (10 O'clock)** from the edge of the road **stop** (envision a straight line down the left side of the parked car. This invisible line will hit the center of the right side of your vehicle) (image #2).

05 **TURN WHEEL ALL THE WAY LEFT** (until wheel stops).

06 **Proceed slowly in reverse** until your vehicle falls flush behind the parked car. Pull forward to straighten out if necessary. Place car in park. (image #3).

VISUAL REFERENCE



IMAGE #1



IMAGE #2



IMAGE #3