

# Vehicle recovery and storage pricing matrix

This pricing matrix was determined following an 18 month consultation involving a wide range of bodies including the police, insurance companies, national motoring organisations and other national motoring groups.

The level of charges was set by Government and not by Nottinghamshire Police or the duty garage that recovers your vehicle. The charges are prescribed in '**The Removal, Storage and Disposal of Vehicles (Prescribed Sums and Charges) Regulations 2008**', '**The Police (Retention and Disposal of Motor Vehicles)(Amendment) Regulations 2008**' and '**The Road Traffic Act (Retention and Disposal of Seized Motor Vehicles) (Amendment) Regulations 2008**'. Please note that these charges are correct for the date of this incident and may change from time to time.

The charges made by the duty garage will be determined by the maximum authorised mass of your vehicle (the vast majority of cars are less than 3.5 tonnes), the location where it is found and the condition it is found in.

'**On a road**' is any part of the carriageway where the vehicle would normally travel along and includes hard shoulders and lay-bys.

'**Substantially damaged**' – a vehicle is deemed substantially damaged if it could not be safely driven on a road due to damage to the vehicle.

Daily storage charges will only commence 24 hours after the vehicle has been released from police enquiries. Whilst it is waiting for any examinations and for the first 24 hours after it is authorised for release there are no storage charges.

Please note that this is the Nottinghamshire Police Stolen Vehicle Recovery Policy and each police force will have its own policy and guidelines. If your vehicle is found outside the Nottinghamshire Police force area then the seizing force policy and guidelines will be followed and not our force policy so it could result in your vehicle being recovered despite your wishes.

If you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact our Control Room on **101** or the Vehicle Recovery Manager on **0115 9672144**.

See the next page for the pricing matrix.

<b>Vehicle position and condition</b>	<b>Vehicle equal to or less than 3.5 tonnes MAM (All two wheeled vehicles are charged at £150 irrespective of location or condition)</b>	<b>Vehicles exceeding 3.5 tonnes MAM but equal to or less than 7.5 tonnes MAM</b>	<b>Vehicles exceeding 7.5 tonnes MAM but equal to or less than 18 tonnes MAM</b>	<b>Vehicles exceeding 18 tonnes MAM</b>
Vehicle on road, upright and not substantially damaged. Any two wheeled vehicle whatever its condition or position on or off the road	£150	£200	£350	£350
Vehicle, excluding a two wheeled vehicle, on road but either not upright or substantially damaged or both	£250	£650	Unladen £2000	Unladen £3000
			Laden £3000	Laden £4500
Vehicle, excluding a two wheeled vehicle, off road, upright and not substantially damaged	£200	£400	Unladen £1000	Unladen £1500
			Laden £1500	Laden £2000
Vehicle, excluding a two wheeled vehicle, off road but either not upright or substantially damaged or both	£300	£850	Unladen £3000	Unladen £4500
			Laden £4500	Laden £6000
Daily storage charge	£20 (£10 for two wheeled vehicles)	£25	£30	£35