

## **Parking on Commencement Day**

On Commencement Day, University parking permits will not be required in regular (staff) University parking lots and structures. However, only cars with valid handicapped parking permits should be parked in spaces designated for handicapped use. Do not park in “University Vehicle” or “Gold Permit” spaces. Guests who use “visitor” spaces and city-owned structures must pay parking fees.

## **Parking near Hill Auditorium for cars with handicapped parking permits**

On Commencement day, handicapped parking spaces in the University lots and structures may be used by cars bearing any valid handicapped parking permit.

Nearly the entire lower level of the Thayer Street structure is reserved for handicapped parking. This structure is across the street in the same block as Hill Auditorium.

Numerous spaces are located on various levels of the Fletcher Street structure, near the Alumni Center. These are somewhat less convenient locations than the Thayer Street structure.

A few city-maintained handicapped parking spaces are available on streets in the vicinity.

## **Access to Hill Auditorium for mobility-impaired persons**

Ramps lead to either of the main side entrances of Hill Auditorium. On the west side of the building (Thayer Street side), the ramp is next to a passenger drop-off point.

Inside the building, there are ramps (but no stairs impeding access) throughout the first floor of the auditorium. Wheelchairs can be accommodated in an area at the right rear of the first floor, in Section I. On request, ushers will help transport wheelchair users inside the building.

We believe that all School of Education Commencement guests will be accommodated on the first floor of the auditorium. No tickets are required for the School of Education Commencement. An area is reserved for graduates, but otherwise guests may sit wherever they prefer on the main floor.

Restrooms in Hill Auditorium are fitted for wheelchair use.