Any University of Tennessee, Knoxville, retiree is eligible for an Emeritus parking permit as long as the following criteria are met:

1. Regular employees must have a minimum of fifteen (15) years of service with the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, to qualify.
2. Employee must be officially retired from the university, not just retirement age, when terminating employment.
3. Should the retiree return to work in a part-time, term, or contract position for which they are compensated, the retiree will be required to purchase the appropriate permit.
4. Retirees that regularly volunteer on campus will be required to display a regular staff parking permit. Individuals or departments may secure the permit at the rate established by the TPA.

Emeritus permits

1. Are valid in unreserved staff parking areas only
2. Are not valid in public pay garages, Circle Park, or other reserved spaces
3. Are valid for occasional parking only and should not be used to park daily on campus
4. Are not valid during special events or sporting events including football and basketball games
5. Are for the use of the retiree only and may not be loaned, sold, or used by anyone other than the retiree.
6. Are not transferable
7. Are not valid for overnight parking
8. Must be properly displayed to be valid
9. Will be issued at the rate established by the TPA during the annual budgeting cycle
10. Are issued every three years to qualified retirees