

## TITLE III. TRAFFIC CODE

### CHAPTER 300: GENERAL PROVISIONS

#### SECTION 300.010: TITLE

This Title may be known and cited as the "*Traffic Code*" and may be referred to as such when being amended and is also referred to herein as the "*Code*". (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1201.010, 11-21-85)

#### SECTION 300.020: SCOPE

The provisions of this Code shall apply to the Village of Wilbur Park. Whenever the words "*St. Louis County*" or "*County*" are used in this Code with reference to applicability of its provisions, they shall mean the areas described in this Section. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1201.020, 11-21-85)

#### SECTION 300.030: DEFINITIONS

The following words and phrases as used in this Code shall for the purpose of this Code have the meanings respectively ascribed to them:

*ALLEY*: The entire width and length of the public right-of-way and/or easement of an alley.

*ALLEYWAY*: That portion of an alley intended for use by the general traveling public.

*ANGLE PARKING*: The standing or parking of any vehicle, upon a highway, roadway or alleyway in a manner where the longitudinal axles of the vehicle forms an angle with the alignment of the curb.

*ARTERIAL ROAD*: Any road designated by the St. Louis County Council as part of the County arterial road system authorized by Section 137.558, RSMo.

#### *AUTHORIZED EMERGENCY VEHICLES*:

1. Vehicles operated as ambulances, or operated by the State Highway Patrol, Police or Fire Department in St. Louis County, Missouri, Sheriff, Deputy Sheriff or Medical Examiner.
2. Publicly or privately owned vehicles operated in the performing of an emergency service by the Prosecuting Attorney, the Prosecuting Attorney's full time investigators, or the two (2) deputy medical examiners whom the Coroner has designated in writing to the St. Louis County Police Department as being so authorized.
3. Any privately owned vehicle operated as an ambulance when responding to emergency calls.
4. Any privately owned wrecker or tow truck, or vehicles owned and operated by a public utility or public service corporation while performing emergency service.

*BICYCLE:* Every device propelled by human power upon which any person or persons may ride, having two (2) or more tandem wheels either of which is twenty (20) or more inches in diameter.

*CENTER LINE:* A yellow line or lines delineating the separation between travel lanes in opposite directions. It need not be at the geometrical center of the pavement.

*COMMERCIAL VEHICLE:* Any vehicle including, but not limited to, cars, trucks, buses, tractors, tractor-trailers, tractor-trailer truck units and trailers, motorized or not, designed for and/or primarily or regularly used for commercial purposes including, but not limited to, carrying freight, merchandise, paying passengers, supplies, tools or equipment. A commercial sign affixed to such a vehicle shall be evidence that such a vehicle is a commercial vehicle, but lack of such a sign shall not indicate whether a vehicle is or is not a commercial vehicle.

*CONTROLLED OR LIMITED ACCESS HIGHWAY/ROADWAY:* Every highway or roadway or right-of-way thereof in respect to which owners or occupants of abutting lands and other persons having no legal rights of access to, from, on or across the same except at such points and in such manner as may be determined or designated by the public authority having jurisdiction over such highway or roadway.

*CROSSWALKS:* Any pedestrian crossing indicated by lines or other markings on the pavement, or, when not marked at intersection, that portion of a highway or roadway ordinarily included within the prolongation or connection of curb and property lines.

*DRIVER:* Any person who drives, operates or is in any manner in actual physical control of a vehicle.

*DRIVEWAY:* A travelway privately used for access to and distribution within a site, not including sidewalks.

*EDGE LINE:* A solid white line used to delineate the right edge of a highway or roadway.

*GROSS WEIGHT:* The total weight of a vehicle including the weight of any carried cargo.

*HIGHWAY:* The traveling portion of a public right-of-way of a highway intended for use by the general traveling public and maintained by the Missouri Highway and Transportation Department.

*INTERSECTION:*

1. The area embraced within the prolongation or connection of the lateral boundary lines, or if present, the lateral curb lines, of two (2) or more highways, roadways, or alleyways, whether or not one such highway, roadway or alleyway crosses the other.
2. Where a highway or roadway includes two (2) roadways thirty (30) or more feet apart, then every crossing of each roadway of such divided highway or roadway by an intersecting highway or roadway shall be regarded as a separate intersection.

*JUNKED MOTOR VEHICLE:* A motor vehicle without current, valid registration plates and motor vehicle safety inspection certificates lawfully attached to it, or a motor vehicle which is wrecked, dismantled, inoperative, abandoned, or discarded.

*LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER:* Every officer of the St. Louis County Department of

Police or any officer lawfully and duly authorized, deputized, assigned or called upon to direct or regulate traffic or to make arrests for violation of traffic regulations, or any Fire Department Official acting pursuant to Section 310.010 of this Code.

*MOTORCYCLE:* A motor vehicle operated on two (2) or three (3) wheels whether or not with a sidecar and excluding motorized bicycles.

*MOTOR VEHICLE:* Any self-propelled vehicle not operated exclusively on tracks.

*OPERATOR:* Any person actually in physical control of a vehicle.

*PARK OR PARKING:* The stopping of a vehicle, whether occupied or not, other than only temporarily for the purpose of loading or unloading passengers or cargo.

*PRIVATE ROADWAY OR DRIVEWAY:* Every roadway or driveway not open to the use of the general traveling public.

*RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT:* The territory contiguous to and including a highway, roadway or alleyway not comprising a business district as defined by the St. Louis County Zoning Code, when the property on such highway, roadway or alleyway, for a distance of six hundred (600) feet or more is primarily improved with residences or residences and buildings in use for business.

*RIGHT-OF-WAY:*

1. The privilege of immediate use of the highway, roadway or alleyway;
2. A strip of land over which a highway, roadway or alleyway passes.

*ROAD:* The entire width and length of the right-of-way or the easement of a road, street, avenue, or boulevard or similar item.

*ROADWAY:* That portion of a road intended for use by the general traveling public, typically delineated by curbs, edgelines, or the edge of pavement.

*SCHOOL ZONE:* A section of any highway or roadway where signs warn of the presence of persons going to and returning from public or private schools.

*SHOULDER:* The portion of a road outside the roadway excluding sidewalks.

*SIDEWALK:* A paved area separate from the highway or roadway intended for use by pedestrians.

*STAND OR STANDING:* The halting of a vehicle, whether occupied or not, other than for the purpose of receiving or discharging passengers.

*STOP OR STOPPING:*

1. "Stop" means, when required, the complete cessation of movement.
2. "Stop or stopping", when prohibited, means the halting even momentarily of a vehicle except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic, or in compliance with the directions of a Law Enforcement Officer or traffic control device.

*THROUGH ROADWAY:* All highways, and every roadway or portion thereof on which vehicular traffic is given preferential right-of-way.

*TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES:* All official signs, signals, markings, intersection lighting and devices not inconsistent with this Code, placed by a public body having authority to regulate, warn, or guide traffic.

*VEHICLE:* Any mechanical device on wheels, in, upon or by which persons or property is or may be transported or drawn upon a highway, roadway, or alleyway or driveway, except devices moved by human power or used exclusively upon rails or tracks. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1202.010, 11-21-85; Ord. No. 003-003 §1, 7-22-03)

**SECTION 300.040:                    AUTHORITY OF STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION  
COMMISSION**

All regulations contained in this Traffic Code regarding traffic control devices on State highways shall be with the concurrence of the State Highway and Transportation Commission. The State Highway and Transportation Commission is hereby authorized to post and install all regulatory signs on State highways. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1201.025, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 300.050:                    VIOLATION OF CODE A MISDEMEANOR**

It is a misdemeanor for any person to do any act forbidden or fail to perform any act required in this Code. A judgment establishing that a person has violated the Code's provisions shall not be deemed a conviction for a misdemeanor within the meaning of Section 556.016, RSMo. 1978, as amended. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1201.030, 11-21-85)

## **CHAPTER 305: TRAFFIC ADMINISTRATION**

### **SECTION 305.010: AUTHORITY OF DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS AND TRAFFIC**

The Director of the Department of Highways and Traffic's authority as it pertains to traffic control shall include but not be limited to the following:

1. Install regulatory traffic control devices in the case of emergency or special conditions which the public peace, safety, convenience and expedition of traffic may demand.
2. Close any roadway, alleyway, or driveway within St. Louis County and withdraw the same from public use temporarily and during such period as public work thereon or other public emergency or expediency shall make such acts necessary. In conjunction with this authority, the Director shall place a sign at each end of the portion of such roadway, alleyway or driveway withdrawn from public use. This sign shall bear the legend "*Road Closed*".
3. When it has been determined by the Department of Highways and Traffic that any barrier, obstacle or plant material within the County right-of-way adjacent to the roadway pavement is hazardous, the Director is authorized to remove said barrier or plant material from the right-of-way.
4. The Director is authorized to mount and install lamps upon any part of any or all of the vehicles owned or operated by the St. Louis County Department of Highways and Traffic which lamps when lighted, display a flashing yellow or amber light visible in any and all directions from such vehicle and to use such lamps when such vehicle is being used in the performance of emergency services. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1201.090, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 305.020: STATE AND COUNTY MAY INSTALL TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES**

The State Highway and Transportation Commission on State Highways, or the Department of Highways and Traffic on roadways other than State highways, shall be authorized to install any traffic control device(s), subject to the provisions of the Traffic Code. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1201.140, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 305.030: TRAFFIC ACCIDENT REPORTS**

The St. Louis County Department of Police shall maintain a suitable system of filing traffic accident reports. Such reports shall be filed alphabetically by location. Such reports shall be available for the use and information of the Department of Highways and Traffic and other County offices which require their use. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1201.130, 11-21-85)



## **CHAPTER 310: ENFORCEMENT AND OBEDIENCE TO TRAFFIC REGULATIONS**

### **SECTION 310.010: ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY**

- A. The St. Louis County Department of Police and its officers and the State Highway Patrol shall enforce all traffic ordinances of this County and shall have authority to make arrests for any violations of this Code.
- B. Officers of the St. Louis County Department of Police or such officers as are duly and lawfully assigned by the Superintendent of Police are hereby authorized to direct all traffic by voice, hand or signal in conformance with the traffic laws; provided that in the event of a fire or other emergency or to expedite traffic or to safeguard pedestrians, such officers of the Police Department may direct traffic as conditions may require notwithstanding the provisions of the traffic laws.
- C. Officers of any City, Town or Village Fire Department or Fire Protection District having the status of a political subdivision pursuant to the Statutes of the State of Missouri, when at the scene of a fire, may direct or assist the Law Enforcement Officers in directing traffic at such scene, or in the immediate vicinity. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1201.040, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 310.020: PERSONS TO OBEY OFFICERS**

No person shall willfully fail or refuse to comply with any lawful order or direction of any Law Enforcement Officer or Fire Department Official invested by law with authority to direct, control, or regulate traffic. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1201.050, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 310.030: PUBLIC EMPLOYEES TO OBEY TRAFFIC CODE**

- A. The provisions of this Code shall apply to the driver of any vehicle owned by or used in the service of the United States Government, this State, County or municipalities and it shall be unlawful for any said driver to violate any of the provisions of this Code, except as otherwise permitted in this Code or State law.
- B. All operators of Fire Department vehicles returning from fires or false alarms, or when on other non-emergency runs, shall obey all provisions of this Code. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1201.060, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 310.040: VEHICLES PROPELLED BY PERSONS OR ANIMALS SUBJECT TO TRAFFIC CODE**

Every person propelling any push cart or driving an animal upon a highway, roadway, alleyway or driveway, and every person driving any animal-drawn vehicle, shall be subject to the provisions of this Code applicable to the driver of any vehicle, except those provisions of this Code which by their very nature can have no application. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1201.070, 11-21-85)



**SECTION 310.050:**

**AUTHORIZED EMERGENCY VEHICLES EXEMPTED**

- A. The provisions of this Code regulating the operation, parking and standing of vehicles shall apply

to authorized emergency vehicles, as defined in this Code, except that the driver of an authorized emergency vehicle, when responding to an emergency call or when in pursuit of an actual or suspected violator of the law, or when responding to, but not upon returning, to a fire alarm, but subject to the conditions herein stated, may:

1. Park and stand irrespective of the provisions of this Code;
  2. Proceed past a red signal indication or stop sign but only after slowing down as may be necessary for safe operation;
  3. Exceed the maximum speed limits so long as the driver does not endanger life or property;
  4. Disregard regulations governing direction of movement or turning in specified directions.
- B. The exemption herein granted to an authorized emergency vehicle shall apply only when the driver of any such vehicle while in motion sounds audible signal by bell, siren, or exhaust whistle, as may be reasonably necessary, and when the vehicle displays at least one (1) lighted red or blue beacon visible in normal atmospheric conditions for a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the front of such vehicle.
- C. The foregoing provisions shall not relieve the driver of an authorized emergency vehicle from the duty to drive with due regard to the safety of all persons, nor shall such provisions protect the driver from the consequences of the driver's reckless disregard for the safety of others, nor shall such provision relieve the driver from the duty of obeying the directions of a Law Enforcement Officer at the scene of the emergency. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1201.080, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 310.060: RIGHT OF WAY OF AUTHORIZED EMERGENCY VEHICLES**

- A. Upon the immediate approach of an authorized emergency vehicle equipped with at least one (1) lighted beacon exhibiting red or blue light visible under normal atmospheric conditions from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the front of the vehicle, or when the vehicle is emitting an audible signal by siren, exhaust whistle or bell, the driver of every other vehicle, unless otherwise directed by a Law Enforcement Officer, shall yield the right of way and shall immediately drive to a position parallel to and as close as possible to the right-hand edge or curb of the roadway clear of any intersection and shall stop and remain in the stopped position until the authorized emergency vehicle has passed.
- B. This Section shall not relieve the driver of an authorized emergency vehicle from the duty to drive with due regard for the safety of all persons using the highway or roadway. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.090, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 310.070: LEAVING ACCIDENT SCENE) PROHIBITED**

The driver of a vehicle involved in an accident resulting in injury to or the death of any person, or damage caused to property, shall immediately give said driver's name, address, motor vehicle number, and operator's or chauffeur's license number, to the injured party or to a Law Enforcement Officer. The above described identification procedure shall be done

before leaving the scene of the accident. If it is necessary to leave the scene to summon police, aid, or assistance, the driver leaving the accident scene shall immediately return after contacting the police, aid, or assistance. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1218.010, 11-21-85)

## **CHAPTER 315: TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES**

### **SECTION 315.010: AUTHORITY TO INSTALL TRAFFIC SIGNALS**

The Village may by ordinance establish those locations at which traffic signal controls shall be installed. The St. Louis County Council may also by ordinance establish those locations at which traffic signal controls shall be installed. The Director of the Department of Highways and Traffic shall install and maintain the proper traffic signal controls on other than highways in accordance with Schedule I of this Code. The State Highway Commission shall install and maintain the proper traffic signal controls on highways in accordance with Schedule I of this Code. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1203.010, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 315.020: MANUAL ON UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES**

All traffic control devices on highways, roadways, alleys, and driveways within St. Louis County shall conform to the "*Manual On Uniform Traffic Control Devices*" published by the Federal Highway Administration bearing the identification number D6.1-1978, and its latest revisions. Copies of the manual are on file in the office of the St. Louis County Clerk and in the Department of Highways and Traffic. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1201.120, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 315.030: OBEDIENCE TO TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES**

- A. The driver of any vehicle shall obey the instructions of any official traffic control device applicable to the driver placed in accordance with the provisions of this Code, unless otherwise directed by a Law Enforcement Officer. This Section is subject to the exceptions granted the driver of any authorized emergency vehicle by this Code.
- B. When a traffic control signal is not operating due to mechanical failure or other reasons, all traffic shall come to a complete stop before proceeding through the intersection at which the non-operating signal is stationed. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1201.100, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 315.040: WHEN TRAFFIC SIGNS REQUIRED FOR ENFORCEMENT PURPOSES**

No provisions of this Chapter for which signs are required shall be enforced against an alleged violator, if at the time and place of the alleged violation, an official sign is not in proper position and sufficiently legible to be seen by an ordinarily observant person. If a particular Section does not state that signs are required, the Section shall be effective even though no signs are erected or in place. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1201.110, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 315.050: TRAFFIC SIGNAL INDICATIONS**

Whenever traffic is controlled by traffic signal indications exhibiting different colored lights successively one at a time, or with arrows, the following colors only shall be used and the lights shall indicate and apply to drivers of vehicles and pedestrians as follows:

1. "*Green indications*" shall allow the following:

- a. Traffic, except pedestrians, facing a *circular green* may proceed straight through or turn right or left except as such movement is modified by lane-use signs, turn prohibition signs, lane markings, or roadway design. But, vehicular traffic, including vehicles turning right or left, shall yield the right-of-way to other vehicles, and to pedestrians lawfully within the intersection or an adjacent crosswalk, at the time such signal indication is exhibited.
  - b. Traffic, except pedestrians, facing a *green arrow*, shown alone or in combination with another indication, may cautiously enter the intersection only to make the movement indicated by the arrow, or such other movement as is permitted by other indications shown at the same time. Such vehicular traffic shall yield the right-of-way to pedestrians lawfully within an adjacent crosswalk and to other traffic lawfully using the intersection.
  - c. Unless otherwise directed by a pedestrian signal, pedestrians facing any green indication, except when the sole green indication is a turn arrow, may proceed across the roadway within any marked or unmarked crosswalk.
2. "*Steady yellow indications*" shall have the following meanings:
- a. Traffic, except pedestrians, facing a steady *circular yellow* or *yellow arrow* signal is thereby warned that the movement allowed by green indications is being terminated and that a red indication will be exhibited immediately following the yellow indications at which point vehicular traffic shall not enter the intersection. No vehicle shall be in the intersection at the time the yellow indication is terminated and the red indication is begun.
  - b. Pedestrians facing a steady *circular yellow* or *yellow arrow* signal, unless otherwise directed by a pedestrian signal, are thereby advised that there is insufficient time to cross the roadway before a red indication is shown and no pedestrian shall then start to cross the roadway.
3. "*Steady red indications*" alone shall require the following:
- a. Vehicular traffic facing a steady *circular red* signal alone shall stop at a clearly marked stop line or as near to the line as previously stopped traffic will allow, before entering the intersection. If no stop line is present, drivers shall stop before entering the intersection. If a crosswalk is present on the near side of the intersection, drivers shall stop before entering the crosswalk. No vehicular traffic may enter the intersection until the signal allows such movement, except under the provisions of Section 315.080.
  - b. No pedestrian facing the signal shall enter the roadway until the green is shown alone, unless authorized so to do by a pedestrian "*walk*" signal.
  - c. Unless otherwise directed by a pedestrian signal, pedestrians facing a steady *circular red* or *red arrow* signal alone shall not enter the roadway.
4. "*Flashing signal indications*" shall have the following meanings:
- a. *Flashing red (stop signal)*: When a red lens is illuminated with intermittent flashes, drivers of vehicles shall stop at a clearly marked stop line. If a crosswalk is

present at the near side of the intersection, drivers of vehicles shall stop before entering the crosswalk. The right to proceed shall be subject to the rules applicable after making a stop at a *stop* sign.

- b. *Flashing yellow (caution signal)*: When a yellow lens is illuminated with intermittent

flashes, drivers of vehicles may proceed through the intersection or past such signal only with caution.

5. In the event a traffic signal is erected and maintained at a place other than an intersection, the provisions of this Section shall be applicable except as to those provisions which by their nature can have no application. Any stop required shall be made at a sign or marking on the pavement indicating where the stop shall be made, but in the absence of any such sign or marking, the stop shall be made at the signal. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1203.020, 11-21-85)

#### **SECTION 315.060: PEDESTRIAN INDICATIONS**

Whenever pedestrian indications exhibiting the words or symbols for "*walk*" or "*don't walk*" are in place, the indications shall mean the following:

1. The "*don't walk*" indication or a symbol of a raised palm, steadily illuminated, means that a pedestrian shall not enter the roadway in the direction of the indication.
2. The "*don't walk*" indication or a symbol of a raised palm, while flashing, means that a pedestrian shall not start to cross the roadway in the direction of the indication, but that any pedestrian who has partly completed crossing during the steady *walk* indication shall proceed to a sidewalk, or to a safety island.
3. A "*walk*" indication or symbol of a walking person, steadily illuminated, means that pedestrians facing the signal indication may proceed across the roadway in the direction of the indication. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1203.030, 11-21-85)

#### **SECTION 315.070: OBSERVANCE OF LANE DIRECTION CONTROL SIGNALS**

When lane direction control signal indications are placed over the individual lanes of a highway or roadway, vehicular traffic may travel in any lane over which a green signal indication is shown. Traffic shall not enter or travel in any lane over which a red indication is shown. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1203.040, 11-21-85)

#### **SECTION 315.080: WHEN RIGHT TURNS AT RED LIGHTS PROHIBITED**

After stopping as required by Section 315.050(3), vehicular traffic facing a steady red signal may cautiously enter the intersection to make a right turn unless a sign is erected prohibiting the movement as listed herein. Vehicular traffic entering the intersection to make a right turn on the steady red signal shall yield the right of way to pedestrians and other traffic proceeding as directed by the signal at the intersection. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1203.050, 11-21-85)

#### **SECTION 315.090: DISPLAY OF UNAUTHORIZED SIGNS, SIGNALS OR MARKINGS**

- A. No person shall place, maintain or display or cause to be placed, maintained or displayed upon or in view of any highway or roadway an unauthorized sign, signal, marking or other

device which purports to be or is an imitation of or resembles an official traffic control device or which attempts to direct the movement of traffic, or which hides from view or interferes with the effectiveness of any official traffic control device or signal.



- B. No person shall place or maintain or cause to be placed or maintained nor shall any public authority permit upon any highway or roadway any traffic sign or signal bearing any commercial advertising.
- C. This Section shall not be deemed to prohibit the erection upon private property adjacent to highways or roadways of signs giving useful directional information and of a type that cannot be mistaken for official signs.
- D. Every such prohibited sign, signal or marking is hereby declared to be a public nuisance and the authority having jurisdiction over the highway or roadway is hereby empowered to remove it or cause it to be removed without notice. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1218.100, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 315.100: INTERFERENCE WITH TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES**

No person shall, without lawful authority, attempt to or in fact alter, deface, injure, knock down, or remove or cause to be altered, defaced, injured, knocked down or removed, any official traffic control device or any inscription shield or insignia thereon, or any part thereof. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1218.110, 11-21-85)

## **CHAPTER 320: SPEED REGULATIONS**

### **SECTION 320.010: SPEED LIMITS TO BE POSTED WITH SIGNS**

All portions of highways and roadways on which a speed limit has been established shall be marked by signs erected at least at the beginning of such designated portions of highways and roadways. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1204.010, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 320.020: SPEED LIMITS ON HIGHWAYS**

No person shall operate a motor vehicle upon the portions of State highways described herein in excess of the speed limits indicated for each portion. The Board of Trustees may, by ordinance, limit speed on all portions of streets as engineering investigations show the necessity for such limitations with the concurrence of the State Highway and Transportation Commission. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1204.020, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 320.030: MINIMUM SPEED LIMIT ON FEDERAL INTERSTATE HIGHWAYS**

No person shall operate a motor vehicle at a speed of less than forty (40) miles per hour upon any divided highway designated as part of the Federal interstate system within St. Louis County, except when a slower speed is required for safe operation of the vehicle because of weather or other special conditions. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1204.025, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 320.040: GENERAL SPEED LIMIT ON ROADWAYS AND ALLEYWAYS**

No person shall operate a motor vehicle on any roadway or alleyway used by the general motoring public, at a rate of speed in excess of twenty-five (25) miles per hour, except on highways or in zones otherwise provided for by ordinance. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1204.030, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 320.050: SPEED LIMIT ON PARKING LOTS**

No person shall operate a motor vehicle on any parking lot at a rate of speed greater than a reasonable and prudent rate of speed, having regard to the visibility, weather conditions, condition of pavement and traffic and use of the parking lot. In no case shall the rate of speed exceed fifteen (15) miles per hour. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1204.040, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 320.060: SPECIAL SPEED LIMITS ON ROADWAYS**

No person shall operate a motor vehicle upon those portions of the roadways which are set forth and described in Schedule II at a rate of speed in excess of that speed limit set for such portions of the roadways by said Schedule. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1204.050, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 320.070:**

**IMPEDING TRAFFIC, ADVERTISING VEHICLES**

No person shall operate a motor vehicle used primarily for advertising purposes, or display posters

or placards or any article for the inspection of the public on such vehicles or as a part of the vehicle, at a rate of speed less than twenty (20) miles per hour. The operator of such vehicle shall move the vehicle continuously and shall not stop the vehicle except when ordered by any Police Officer or in obedience to traffic signals or signs. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1204.060, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 320.080: IMPEDING TRAFFIC, SLOW DRIVING**

No person shall drive at such a slow speed or in such position on the roadway so as to impede or block the normal and reasonable movement of traffic. This provision shall not apply when reduced speed is necessary for safe operation, or because the driver is upon a grade or when the vehicle is a truck or trailer necessarily or in compliance with law, proceeding at reduced speed. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1204.070, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 320.090: AGGRESSIVE DRIVING**

- A. It shall be unlawful for the operator of any motor vehicle intentionally to harass or alarm another person who is inside a motor vehicle by intentionally or knowingly:
1. Increasing or decreasing the speed of his/her vehicle;
  2. Changing lanes;
  3. Following the other person's vehicle more closely than is reasonable and prudent under the totality of the circumstances;
  4. Impeding or obstructing the operation of the other person's motor vehicle; or
  5. Operating his/her vehicle in a manner that endangers or would be likely to endanger any person or property.
- B. Every person convicted of violating this provision shall be punished by a fine of not less than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) nor more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), or by detention in the County Jail for not more than one (1) year, or by both such fine and imprisonment. (Ord. No. 99-01 §1, 9-28-99)

## CHAPTER 325: TURNING MOVEMENTS

### SECTION 325.010: REQUIRED POSITION AND METHOD OF TURNING AT INTERSECTIONS

The driver of a vehicle intending to turn at an intersection shall do as follows:

1. *Signal lane right turns on roadways.* Both the approach for a right turn and the right turn shall be made as close as practicable to the right-hand curb or edge of the roadway. When entering the intersection, the right turn shall be made so as to leave the intersection, as nearly as practicable, in the right-most lane lawfully available to traffic moving in the direction upon the roadway being entered.
2. *Dual lane right turns on roadways.* Where right turns from two (2) lanes proceeding in the same direction are permitted by signs or pavement markings, the following action is required of drivers making right turns:
  - a. A driver turning from the outermost lane of the highway or roadway from which the driver is leaving shall make the turn into the outermost lane of the intersecting highway or roadway onto which the driver is entering.
  - b. A driver turning from the innermost lane of the highway or roadway from which the driver is leaving shall make the turn into the innermost lane of the highway or roadway onto which the driver is entering.
3. *Single lane left turns on roadways.* The driver of a vehicle intending to turn left at any intersection shall approach the intersection in the extreme left-hand lane lawfully available to traffic moving in the direction of travel of such vehicle. When entering the intersection, the left turn shall be made so as to leave the intersection, as nearly as practicable, in the left-hand lane lawfully available to traffic moving in the direction upon the roadway being entered. Whenever practicable, the left turn shall be made in that portion of the intersection to the left of the center of the intersection.
4. *Dual left turns on roadways.* Where left turns from two (2) lanes proceeding in the same direction are permitted by signs or pavement markings, the following action is required of drivers making left turns:
  - a. A driver turning from the outermost lane of the highway or roadway from which the driver is leaving shall make the turn into the outermost lane of the intersecting highway or roadway onto which the driver is entering.
  - b. A driver turning from the innermost lane of the highway or roadway from which the driver is leaving shall make the turn into the innermost lane of the intersecting highway or roadway onto which the driver is entering.
5. *Two-way left turn lanes.* Where two-way left turn lanes are designated by pavement markings and signs, drivers of vehicles traveling in either direction may, with caution, utilize these lanes to remove themselves from the traffic stream in preparation for executing left turns within five hundred (500) feet of having entered the lane. Such lanes shall not be used for overtaking or passing another vehicle when no left turning movement is made. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1205.010, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 325.020: TURNING MOVEMENTS AT GRADE SEPARATIONS**

At or near all highway or roadway grade separations all traffic turning movements shall be made with a series of right turns, and there shall be no left turns at or near grade separations. However, left turns may be made at grade separation intersections where directed by signs or arrows or pavement markings. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1205.020, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 325.030: TURNING AND DIRECTIONAL MOVEMENTS RESTRICTED**

The Board of Trustees may by ordinance establish those intersections and locations on highways or roadways at which drivers of vehicles shall not make a right, left, or "U" turn, or shall not proceed straight ahead. The Director of the Department of Highways and Traffic shall place proper signs at such intersections. Where signs are posted indicating *No Right Turns*, *No Left Turns*, or *No "U" Turns*, or *Right Turn Only*, *Left Turn Only*, or *Right or Left Turn Only*, or words or symbols to that effect, no driver shall make a right turn, left turn, or "U" turn, or proceed straight ahead, within any intersection or on any portion of the roadway or highway between intersections in St. Louis County. All intersections and locations where the above turns are restricted shall be set forth and described herein. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1205.030, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 325.040: U-TURNS PROHIBITED AT CERTAIN PLACES**

- A. No driver of any vehicle shall turn the vehicle so as to proceed in the opposite direction at any intersection controlled by a traffic control device or Law Enforcement Officer.
- B. No driver of any vehicle shall turn the vehicle around so as to proceed in the opposite direction upon any curve or upon the approach to or near the crest of a grade, or any place where the vehicle cannot be seen by the driver of another vehicle approaching on the same roadway within three hundred (300) feet.
- C. No driver of any vehicle shall turn the vehicle around so as to proceed in the opposite direction at any place where the movement cannot be made safely or where it will interfere with other traffic or cause a traffic hazard. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1205.040, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 325.050: AUTHORITY TO PLACE AND OBEDIENCE TO PAVEMENT MARKINGS AND SIGNS**

- A. The Director of the Department of Highways and Traffic is authorized to place signs and pavement markings within or adjacent to intersections indicating the course to be traveled by vehicles at such intersections.
- B. When authorized pavement markings or signs are placed within an intersection indicating the course to be traveled by turning vehicles, no driver of a vehicle shall disobey the directions of the indications. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1205.050, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 325.060: SIGNALS FOR TURNING OR STOPPING**

- A. A driver intending to turn a vehicle to the right shall extend an arm at an angle above horizontal so that the arm may be seen from the rear of the turning vehicle and shall slow down and approach the

intersecting road as near as practicable to the right side of the road along which the driver is proceeding before turning.

- B. A driver intending to turn a vehicle to the left shall extend an arm in a horizontal position so that the arm may be seen from the rear of the vehicle and shall slow down and approach the intersecting road so that the left side of the vehicle is as near as practicable to the center line of the road along which the vehicle is proceeding before turning.
- C. When stopping or slowing the speed of a vehicle, a driver shall extend an arm down in a vertical position so that the arm may be seen from the rear of the vehicle, but only if the movement of other vehicles may reasonably be affected by such slowing of speed.
- D. None of the above hand signals are required if the turning, slowing, or stopping vehicle's electrical signaling and brake lights are operating properly, and are used to signal the intended movement. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.120, 11-21-85)





**CHAPTER 330: ONE-WAY STREETS AND ALLEYS**

**SECTION 330.010: DESIGNATION OF ONE-WAY REGULATIONS ON  
HIGHWAYS,  
ROADWAYS, ALLEYWAYS AND DRIVEWAYS**

Upon those highways, roadways, alleyways and driveways described herein, drivers shall move only in the described direction when signs indicating the direction of traffic are erected and maintained at every intersection where movement in the opposite direction is prohibited. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1208.010, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 330.020: AUTHORITY TO PLACE SIGNS AND OBEDIENCE TO THEM**

- A. Whenever any highways, roadways, alleyways and driveways are listed herein, the Director of the Department of Highways and Traffic shall place and maintain the appropriate signs. Signs indicating the direction of lawful traffic movement shall be placed at every intersection where movement of traffic in the opposite direction is prohibited.
- B. No person shall operate any vehicle in violation of the signs or other devices placed in accordance with this Chapter. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1208.020, 11-21-85)



## **CHAPTER 335: STOP AND YIELD REGULATIONS, RAILROAD CROSSINGS**

### **SECTION 335.010: THROUGH ROADWAYS DESIGNATED**

Those highways and roadways described herein, are hereby declared to be through highways or roadways for the purpose of this Chapter. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1206.010, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 335.020: SIGNS REQUIRED AT THROUGH ROADWAY**

At any through roadway designated herein, it shall be the duty of the Director of the Department of Highways and Traffic to place and maintain a stop sign or a yield sign on each roadway intersecting a through roadway. Drivers shall obey the directions of these signs. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1206.020, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 335.030: INTERSECTIONS WHERE STOP REQUIRED**

Traffic on the highway or roadway in Schedule III of this Code, shall stop before entering the intersection of the named highway or roadway described in Schedule III. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1206.030, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 335.040: INTERSECTIONS WHERE YIELD REQUIRED**

Traffic on the highway or roadway described herein shall yield the right-of-way before entering the intersection of the named highway or roadway described herein. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1206.040, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 335.050: VEHICLES ENTERING YIELD INTERSECTION**

- A. The driver of a vehicle approaching a yield sign shall in obedience to the sign slow down to a speed reasonable for the existing conditions, or shall stop if necessary, and shall yield the right of way to any pedestrian crossing the roadway on which the vehicle is being driven. Said driver shall also yield to any vehicle in the intersection or approaching on another highway or roadway so closely as to constitute an immediate hazard. After yielding, said driver may proceed, and the drivers of all other vehicles approaching the intersection shall yield to the vehicle so proceeding, provided however, that a driver who enters a yield intersection without stopping and has or causes a collision with a pedestrian in a crosswalk or a vehicle in the intersection shall prima facie be considered not to have yielded as required by this Code. The foregoing shall not relieve the drivers of other vehicles approaching the intersection at such distance as not to constitute an immediate hazard from the duty to drive with due care and to avoid a collision.
- B. The driver of a vehicle approaching a yield sign, if required for safety to stop, shall stop before entering the crosswalk on the near side of the intersection. In the event there is no crosswalk, said driver shall stop at a clearly marked stop line, but if none, then at the point nearest the intersecting roadway where the driver has a view of approaching traffic on the intersecting roadway. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1206.050, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 335.060: VEHICLE ENTERING STOP INTERSECTION**

- A. Except when directed to proceed by a Law Enforcement Officer or traffic signal, every driver of a vehicle approaching a stop intersection indicated by a stop sign shall stop before entering the crosswalk on the near side of the intersection. In the event there is no crosswalk, the driver shall stop at a clearly marked stop line, but if none, then at the point nearest the intersecting roadway where a driver would have a view of approaching traffic on the intersecting roadway before entering the intersection.
- B. The driver after having stopped shall yield the right-of-way to any vehicle which has entered the intersection from another roadway or which is approaching so closely on said roadway as to constitute an immediate hazard. Said driver having yielded may proceed and the drivers of all other vehicles approaching the intersection shall yield the right-of-way to the vehicle proceeding. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1206.060, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 335.070: STOPPING BEFORE EMERGING FROM AN ALLEYWAY, PRIVATE ROADWAY OR DRIVEWAY**

The driver of a vehicle emerging either by forward motion or backing, from an alleyway, private roadway, driveway, or building shall stop the vehicle immediately prior to driving onto a sidewalk or onto the sidewalk area and shall yield the right-of-way to any pedestrian as may be necessary to avoid collision. Upon entering the highway or roadway the driver shall yield the right-of-way to all vehicles approaching on the highway or roadway. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1206.070, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 335.080: STOP WHEN TRAFFIC OBSTRUCTED**

No driver shall enter an intersection or a marked crosswalk unless there is sufficient space on the other side of the intersection or crosswalk to accommodate the vehicle the driver is operating without obstructing the passage of other vehicles or pedestrians, notwithstanding any traffic signal indication to proceed. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1206.080, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 335.090: OBEDIENCE TO RAILROAD SIGNAL**

- A. Whenever any person driving a vehicle approaches a railroad grade crossing under any of the circumstances stated in this Section, the driver of the vehicle shall stop a minimum of fifteen (15) feet from the nearest rail of the railroad, and shall not proceed until safe to do so. The foregoing requirements shall apply when:
1. A clearly visible electric or mechanical signal device gives warning of the immediate approach of a railroad train.
  2. A crossing gate is lowered or when a human flagholder gives or continues to give a signal of the approach or passage of a railroad train.
  3. A railroad train approaching within approximately one thousand five hundred (1,500) feet of the highway or roadway crossing emits a signal audible from such distance and the railroad train, by reason of its speed or nearness to such crossing, is an immediate

hazard.

4. An approaching railroad train is plainly visible and is in hazardous proximity to such crossing.
- B. No person shall drive any vehicle through, around, or under any crossing gate or barrier at a railroad crossing while the gate or barrier is closed or is being opened or closed. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1206.090, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 335.100:                    WHEN CERTAIN BUSES AND TRUCKS SHALL STOP AT  
RAILROAD  
CROSSING**

Every motor vehicle transporting passengers for hire, every school bus, and every motor vehicle transporting high explosives or poisonous or compressed flammable gases and every motor vehicle used for the transportation of inflammable or corrosive liquid in bulk, whether loaded or empty, shall, upon approaching any railroad grade crossing, be brought to a full stop a minimum of fifteen (15) feet from the nearest rail of the railroad grade crossing, and shall not proceed until due caution has been taken to ascertain that the course is clear. Such full stop shall not be required at a railroad grade crossing protected by a guard or Law Enforcement Officer on duty or by a traffic signal, or railroad flashing signal, giving positive indication to approaching vehicles to proceed. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1206.100, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 335.110:                    RIGHT-OF-WAY AT INTERSECTION**

- A. The driver of a vehicle approaching an intersection from any highway, roadway or alleyway shall yield the right-of-way to any vehicle which has entered the intersection from a different highway, roadway or alleyway, absent other directions from a traffic control device or Law Enforcement Officer.
- B. When two (2) vehicles enter an intersection from different highways, roadways, or alleyways at approximately the same time, the driver on the left shall yield the right-of-way to the driver of the vehicle on the right. This Subsection shall not apply to vehicles approaching each other from opposite directions when the driver of one vehicle is attempting to or is making a right turn.
- C. The driver of a vehicle within an intersection intending to turn to the left shall yield the right-of-way to any vehicle approaching from the opposite direction which is within the intersection or so close to the intersection as to constitute an immediate hazard.
- D. The driver of a vehicle intending to make a left turn into an alley, private road or driveway shall yield the right-of-way to any vehicle approaching from the opposite direction when the making of the left turn would create a traffic hazard. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1206.110, 11-21-85)





## **CHAPTER 340: MISCELLANEOUS DRIVING RULES**

### **ARTICLE I. MISCELLANEOUS REGULATIONS**

#### **SECTION 340.010: RIDING ON MOTORCYCLES**

A person operating a motorcycle shall ride only upon the permanent and regular seat attached to the motorcycle. The operator shall not carry, nor shall any other person ride on a motorcycle unless the motorcycle is designed to carry more than one (1) person. If so designed, a passenger shall ride upon the permanent and regular seat, or upon another seat firmly attached to the rear or side of the operator's position. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1218.020, 11-21-85)

#### **SECTION 340.020: MOTORCYCLES) PROTECTIVE HEADGEAR**

Every person operating or riding as a passenger on any motorcycle shall wear protective headgear at all times the vehicle is in motion. The protective headgear shall meet standards and specifications established by the Missouri Director of Revenue. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1218.025, 11-21-85)

#### **SECTION 340.025: USE OF BICYCLES, SCOOTERS, ROLLER BLADES, ROLLER SKATES AND SKATEBOARDS**

- A. It shall be unlawful for a parent or guardian to permit a child under the age of seventeen (17) years to operate or be a passenger on a bicycle, a scooter, roller blades, roller skates or skateboard unless the child shall wear protective headgear which properly fits and is fastened securely upon the head of the child.
- B. It shall be unlawful for a child under the age of seventeen (17) years to operate or be a passenger on a bicycle, a scooter, roller blades, roller skates or skateboard without wearing protective headgear which properly fits and is fastened securely upon the head of the child.
- C. The headgear shall meet or exceed the impact standard for protective bicycle helmets set by the U.S. Consumer Products Safety Commission, the American National Standards Institute (ANSI), the Snell Memorial Foundation or the American Society of Testing and Materials (ASTM). (Ord. No. 2005-003 §1, 3-8-05)

#### **SECTION 340.030: CLINGING TO MOVING VEHICLES**

- A. No person riding on any bicycle, motorcycle, coaster, sled, roller skates, or any toy vehicle shall attach the item or said person to any moving vehicle, nor shall any person ride on the hood, roof, or fender of any vehicle.
- B. No driver shall allow or permit any attaching of such items to the vehicle the driver is operating. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1218.030, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.040: PASSENGER LIMITATIONS**

No person shall drive a motor vehicle which has more than three (3) persons over the age of sixteen (16) years in the front seat. No person shall extend any body parts outside the vehicle, except the hand and arm for signaling purposes only. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1218.040, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.050: LITTERING AND CARELESSLY LOADED VEHICLES**

- A. No person shall throw, dump, deposit, place or cause to be thrown, dumped, deposited or placed upon any highway, roadway, alleyway, parking lot, private road or driveway, or right-of-way of same:
1. Any tacks, nails, wire scrap metal, glass, crockery, sharp stones or other substances injurious to the feet of persons, animals, or the tires of vehicles.
  2. Any paper, rubbish, garbage, or debris of any and all kinds.
  3. Any mud, dirt, sand, gravel, rock, stone or other excavated material or substance dug, scooped, blasted, or removed from the earth on any lot or tract of land, provided however, that this provision shall not apply to any excavation in highways for which a special use permit has been issued by the Director of the Department of Highways and Traffic of St. Louis County.
  4. Any and all substances and materials which cause or may cause a hazard and obstruction to the movement of traffic, including snow or ice.
- B. No person shall throw, dump, deposit or place or cause to be thrown, dumped, deposited or placed, such materials and substances in such a manner as to cause the same to roll, flow or wash upon any highway, roadway, alleyway, parking lot, private roadway or driveway, or right-of-way of same.
- C. No person, when moving or hauling any load upon any highway, roadway, alleyway, parking lot, private road or driveway, or right-of-way of same, shall allow the load or parts of the load to blow, spill, drop, or otherwise come to rest over and upon said highway, roadway, alleyway, parking lot, private road or driveway, or right-of-way of same.
- D. All motor vehicles, and every trailer and semi-trailer operating upon any highway, roadway, alleyway, parking lot, private roadway or driveway in St. Louis County and carrying goods, materials, farm products, or any of the substances referred to in this Section, which may reasonably be expected to become dislodged and fall from the vehicle, trailer or semi-trailer as a result of wind pressure or air pressure or by the movement of the vehicle, trailer or semi-trailer shall have a protective cover or be sufficiently secure so that no portion of such goods or material can become dislodged and fall from the vehicle, trailer or semi-trailer while being transported or carried; provided that covers for vehicles transporting garbage, offal or other rubbish must be approved in accordance with Chapter 607, SLCRO 1974, as amended.
- E. No person shall drive an overloaded vehicle or one loaded in a manner such that any part of the load is likely to fall upon and litter any road, or cause injury to persons or damage to other vehicles or property.

F. Any person who, by reason of accident, violates this Section, shall be held blameless of such violation upon an affirmative showing that the person:

1. Immediately cleaned and cleared away materials or substances involved; or
2. Immediately made reasonable and conscientious effort to clean and clear; or
3. By reason of such accident was rendered incapable of cleaning and clearing away materials or substances involved. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1218.050, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.060:****PERMIT FOR PARADE OR PROCESSION**

No procession or parade containing twenty-five (25) or more persons or twenty-five (25) or more vehicles, excepting the Armed Forces of the United States, the military forces of this State, and the forces of the Police and Fire Departments, shall occupy, march, or proceed along any highway, roadway or alleyway except in accordance with a permit issued by the St. Louis County Department of Police, and such other regulations as are set forth herein which may apply. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1218.060, 11-21-85)



**SECTION 340.070: REGULATIONS FOR FUNERALS AND OTHER PROCESSIONS**

- A. A funeral composed of a procession of vehicles shall be identified as such by the display upon the outside of each vehicle of a pennant or other identifying insignia.
- B. Each driver in a funeral or other procession shall drive as near to the right-hand edge of the highway or roadway as practical and shall follow the vehicle ahead as close as is practical and safe.
- C. No driver of a vehicle shall drive between the vehicles comprising a funeral or other authorized procession while they are in motion and when such vehicles are conspicuously designated as required in this Code. This provision shall not apply at intersections where traffic is controlled by traffic signals or Law Enforcement Officers. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1218.070, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.080: MERCHANDISE VENDING REGULATIONS**

It is unlawful to vend or distribute merchandise or materials from a vehicle, stand, or otherwise within the limits of any highway, roadway or alleyway in St. Louis County, except under such license, conditions and regulations prescribed by County ordinances; but in no instance shall such vending be permitted or authorized where the same causes stopping, standing, or parking in or upon a highway, roadway or alleyway, or when such vending or distributing causes traffic confusion and interferes with the free and unhindered mobile progression of traffic. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1218.080, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.090: SCHOOL BUS REGULATIONS**

- A. Every bus used for the transportation of school children shall bear upon the front and rear of the bus, a plainly visible sign containing the words "*School Bus*" in letters not less than eight (8) inches in height. Each bus shall have lettered on the rear in plain and distinctive type the following: "*State Law: Stop while bus is loading and unloading.*" Each school bus subject to the provisions of this Section shall be equipped with a mechanical and electrical signaling device, which will display a signal plainly visible from the front and rear and indicating intention to stop. The driver of a school bus is required to use such equipment to indicate the intention to stop.
- B. No driver of a school bus shall take on or discharge passengers at any location upon a highway, or roadway consisting of four (4) or more lanes of traffic, whether or not divided by a median or barrier, in such manner as to require the passengers to cross more than two (2) lanes of traffic; nor shall the driver take on or discharge passengers while the vehicle is upon the highway, roadway or alleyway proper unless the vehicle so stopped is plainly visible for at least three hundred (300) feet in each direction to drivers of other vehicles upon any highway, roadway or alleyway and then only for such time as is actually necessary to take on and discharge passengers.
- C. The driver of any school bus driving upon any highway, or roadway of St. Louis County after loading or unloading school children, should remain stopped if the bus is followed by three (3) or more vehicles, until such vehicles have been permitted to pass the school bus, if the conditions prevailing make it safe to do so. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1218.090,

11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.100: ROADWAYS, ALLEYWAYS AND DRIVEWAYS CLOSED**

No person shall use or attempt to use any roadway, alleyway, or driveway withdrawn from public

use. Nor shall any person drive or attempt to drive any vehicle or animal on the same during the period such roadway, alleyway or driveway is withdrawn from public use. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1218.120, 11-21-85)

## **ARTICLE II. REGULATIONS FOR DRIVERS**

### **SECTION 340.110: OPERATING UNDER THE INFLUENCE**

No person shall operate a motor vehicle while:

1. Under the influence of alcohol; or
2. Under the influence of any controlled substance as defined by Chapter 195, RSMo.; or
3. Under the influence of model glue or any substance containing toluene; or
4. Under the influence of any combination of alcohol and controlled substances;

to such extent as to impair the person of full possession of normal faculties. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.010, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 340.120: CARELESS AND IMPRUDENT DRIVING**

Every person operating a motor vehicle shall drive the vehicle in a careful and prudent manner and at a rate of speed so as not to endanger the property of another or the life or body of any person, including the driver or passengers of the vehicle, and shall exercise the highest degree of care. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.020, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 340.130: DRIVERS TO EXERCISE DUE CARE**

Every driver of a vehicle shall exercise due care to avoid collision with any pedestrian upon any highway, roadway, alleyway or driveway notwithstanding any other provision of this Title. Such driver shall give warning by sounding the horn when necessary to avoid a collision. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.030, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 340.140: DRIVING WITHIN SINGLE LANE**

Upon any highway, roadway, alleyway or driveway, which has been divided into two (2) or more clearly marked lanes for traffic, a vehicle shall be driven as nearly as practicable entirely within a single lane. Such vehicles shall not be moved from the lane unless done with safety and without irregular movement. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.040, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 340.150: KEEPING TO RIGHT**

Upon any highway or roadway other than any one-way roadway, the driver of a vehicle



shall keep as near to the right hand curb as practicable, except when overtaking and passing another vehicle.

Such overtaking and passing shall be subject to the limitations applicable by law to overtaking and passing. The driver of a vehicle shall also proceed to the right of a traffic island in the road unless signs designate otherwise. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.050, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.160: FOLLOWING OTHER VEHICLES**

The driver of a vehicle shall not follow another vehicle more closely than is reasonably safe and prudent, having due regard for the speed of the vehicle and the traffic upon, and the condition of, the highway or roadway. Vehicles being driven in a caravan or motorcade upon any highway or roadway outside of a business or residence district shall be operated so as to allow sufficient space between each vehicle or combination of vehicles as to enable any other vehicle to overtake or pass such vehicle in safety. This Section does not apply to drivers in a funeral procession or in a duly authorized parade. This Section applies whether or not the following vehicle is towing other vehicles. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.060, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.170: SHORTCUTTING TRAFFIC PROHIBITED**

No driver shall operate a motor vehicle on any private lot, road, driveway, parking lot or any area which is not a roadway, for the purpose of avoiding travel upon the right-of-way between one (1) highway or roadway and the same or another highway or roadway. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.070, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.180: OPERATOR TO STOP WHEN PURSUED**

The operator of a motor vehicle shall bring the vehicle to a complete stop upon perceiving a police vehicle in pursuit with lights or siren activated. Such vehicle shall be parked in a position parallel to and as close to the right-hand edge of the road as possible. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.080, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.190: BACKING OF VEHICLES**

The driver of any vehicle shall not back the vehicle unless the movement can be made with reasonable safety and without interfering with other traffic. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.100, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.200: OPENING AND CLOSING VEHICLE DOORS**

- A. No person shall open the door of a motor vehicle on the side adjacent to moving traffic unless and until it is reasonably safe to do so.
- B. No person shall leave a door open on the side of a motor vehicle adjacent to moving traffic for a period of time longer than necessary to load or unload passengers. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.110, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.210: DRIVING ON SIDEWALK**

The driver of any vehicle shall not drive within any sidewalk area except at a permanent or temporary driveway. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.130, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.220: ENTRY AND EXIT ON LIMITED ACCESS ROADWAY**

No person shall drive a vehicle onto or from any limited access roadway or highway except at entrances and exits as are established by public authority. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.140, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.230: REGULATION OF THE KINDS AND CLASSES OF TRAFFIC ON CERTAIN ROADS**

No person shall operate any commercial motor vehicle with a gross weight in excess of the amounts specified herein at any time on any roadway or parts of roadways described herein. Such vehicles may be operated thereon for the purpose of delivering or picking up materials or merchandise upon the restricted roadways. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.145, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.240: REGULATION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC ON CERTAIN ROADS**

When the proper signs are posted prohibiting such travel, no person shall operate any motor vehicle directly between the points specified herein along the roadways specified herein at specified times. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.147, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.250: CROSSING FIRE HOSE**

No vehicle shall be driven over any unprotected hose of any Fire Department when the hose is laid down on any highway, roadway, alleyway, or driveway, for use at any fire or alarm of fire, without the consent of the Fire Department Official in command. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.150, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.260: FOLLOWING FIRE APPARATUS**

The driver of any vehicle other than one on official business shall not follow any fire apparatus traveling in response to a fire alarm closer than five hundred (500) feet, or drive into or park such vehicle within the block or within five hundred (500) feet of where the fire apparatus has stopped in answer to a fire alarm. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.160, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 340.270: DRIVERS TO STOP FOR SCHOOL BUS**

- A. The driver of a vehicle upon any highway or roadway upon meeting or overtaking from either direction any school bus which has stopped on the highway or roadway for the

purpose of receiving or discharging any school children and whose driver has given the signal to stop in the manner

provided by law, shall stop the vehicle before reaching the school bus and shall not proceed until the school bus resumes motion or until signaled by its driver to proceed.

- B. The driver of a vehicle need not stop for a stopped school bus under the following conditions:
1. When on a divided highway or roadway proceeding in the opposite direction.
  2. When proceeding in the opposite direction on a highway or roadway carrying four (4) or more lanes of traffic.
  3. In either direction when the school bus is stopped in loading zone constituting a part of, or adjacent to, a limited or controlled access highway at a point where pedestrians are not permitted to cross the highway. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.180, 11-21-85)

### **ARTICLE III. PASSING REGULATIONS**

#### **SECTION 340.280: NO PASSING ZONES**

- A. The Director of the Department of Highways and Traffic is hereby authorized to determine those portions of any roadway where overtaking and passing or driving a vehicle to the left of the roadway would be especially hazardous and shall declare the same as a "*No Passing Zone*".
- B. The Department of Highways and Traffic shall mark the no-passing zone by applying a solid yellow line on the roadway surface just to the right of center of the roadway. When the aforesaid solid yellow line is in place, no driver of a vehicle shall pass another vehicle in the places where passing is prohibited.
- C. In any prosecution charging a violation of no-passing zones as provided in this Code, proof that such no-passing zones are appropriately marked in conformance with Section 315.020 shall constitute a prima facie presumption that the no-passing zone was duly and properly designated and marked as provided by the Code. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1211.010, 11-21-85)

#### **SECTION 340.290: PASSING OF VEHICLES PROCEEDING IN THE SAME DIRECTION**

- A. The following rules shall govern the overtaking and passing of vehicles proceeding in the same direction, subject to the limitations and exceptions hereinafter stated:
1. The driver of a vehicle overtaking another vehicle proceeding in the same direction shall pass to the left of the overtaken vehicle at a safe distance and shall not again drive to the right side of the roadway until safely clear of the overtaken vehicle.
  2. The driver of an overtaken vehicle shall give way to the right in favor of an overtaking vehicle on the left upon perceiving the overtaking vehicle. This Subsection does not apply when an overtaken vehicle is being passed on the right as permitted.

3. No driver of a vehicle shall overtake and pass another vehicle moving in the same direction within an intersection, or within one hundred (100) feet of an intersection.

- B. The driver of a motor vehicle may overtake and pass to the right of another vehicle only under the following conditions:
1. When the vehicle overtaken is making or about to make a left turn.
  2. Upon a highway or roadway with unobstructed pavement of sufficient width for two (2) or more lanes of vehicles in the same direction.
  3. Upon a one-way roadway.
  4. Upon any highway or roadway with unobstructed pavement of such width and clearly marked for four (4) or more lanes of traffic.
  5. The driver of a motor vehicle may overtake and pass another vehicle upon the right under the foregoing conditions only when such movement may be made in safety. In no event shall such movement be made by driving off the highway or roadway.
  6. The provisions of this Subsection shall not relieve a driver from the duty to drive as closely as practicable to the right-hand edge of the roadway or highway.
- C. No vehicle shall be driven to the left side of the center line of a roadway or highway in overtaking and passing another vehicle proceeding in the same direction, unless the left side is clearly visible and is free of on-coming traffic for a sufficient distance ahead to permit such overtaking and passing to be completely made without interfering with the safe operation of any vehicle approaching from the opposite direction or any vehicle overtaken.
- D. No vehicle shall at any time be driven to the left side of the roadway or highway under the following conditions:
1. When approaching the crest of a grade or upon a curve of the roadway or highway where the driver's view is obstructed within such distances as to create a hazard in the event that another vehicle might approach from the opposite direction.
  2. When the view is obstructed upon approaching within one hundred (100) feet of any bridge, viaduct, tunnel, or when approaching within one hundred (100) feet of or at any intersection or railroad grade crossing. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1211.020, 11-21-85)

## **CHAPTER 345: PEDESTRIAN'S RIGHTS AND DUTIES**

### **SECTION 345.010: PEDESTRIANS TO OBEY TRAFFIC SIGNALS**

Pedestrians are subject to traffic signals as are declared in this Code. At all other places pedestrians have those rights and are subject to the restrictions stated in this Chapter. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1209.010, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 345.020: PEDESTRIANS RIGHT OF WAY IN CROSSWALKS**

When traffic signals are not in place or not in operation, the driver of a vehicle shall yield the right of way to a pedestrian crossing the roadway within the crosswalk when the pedestrian is on the half of the roadway on which the vehicle is travelling. Such driver shall also yield when the pedestrian is approaching so closely from the opposite half of the roadway as to be in danger. Such driver shall slow down or stop if need be to give the right of way to a pedestrian. No pedestrian shall suddenly leave a curb or other place of safety and walk or run into the path of a vehicle which is so close that it is impossible for the driver to yield. A pedestrian's right of way in a crosswalk is modified under the condition and as stated in Section 345.050(B). Whenever any vehicle is stopped at a marked crosswalk or at any unmarked crosswalk at an intersection to permit a pedestrian to cross the roadway, the driver of any other vehicle approaching from the rear shall not overtake and pass the stopped vehicle. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1209.020, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 345.030: USE OF CROSSWALK**

Pedestrians shall move upon the right half of a crosswalk whenever practicable. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1209.030, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 345.040: CROSSING AT RIGHT ANGLES**

No pedestrian shall cross a road at any place other than by a path at right angles to the curb, or by the shortest path to the opposite curb, except when in a crosswalk. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1209.040, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 345.050: WHEN PEDESTRIAN SHALL YIELD**

- A. Every pedestrian crossing a roadway at any point other than within a marked crosswalk, or other than crossing a roadway within an unmarked crosswalk at an intersection, shall yield the right of way to all vehicles upon the roadway.
- B. Any pedestrian crossing a roadway at a point where a pedestrian tunnel or overhead crossing has been provided shall yield the right of way to any vehicle upon the roadway. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1209.050, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 345.060: PROHIBITED CROSSING**



Pedestrians shall not cross at any place between adjacent intersections at which traffic control signals

are in operation, except when crossing in a marked crosswalk. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1209.060, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 345.070: PEDESTRIANS TO OBEY RAILROAD SIGNALS**

No pedestrian shall pass through, around, under, or over any crossing gate or barrier at a railroad grade crossing or bridge while the gate or barrier is closed or is being opened or closed. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1209.070, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 345.080: WALKING ALONG ROADWAY**

- A. Where sidewalks are provided, it shall be unlawful for any pedestrian to walk or otherwise move along and upon an adjacent roadway.
- B. Where sidewalks are not provided, any pedestrian walking along or otherwise moving along and upon a road shall, when practical, walk or otherwise move only on the left side of the roadway or its shoulder facing traffic which may approach from the opposite direction. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1209.080, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 345.090: PEDESTRIANS SOLICITING RIDES OR BUSINESS**

- A. No person shall stand in a roadway for the purpose of soliciting a ride, employment, charitable contribution or business from the occupant of any vehicle.
- B. No person shall stand on or in proximity to a road for the purpose of soliciting the watching or guarding of any vehicle parked or about to be parked on a road. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1209.090, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 345.100: ROLLER SKATES AND COASTERS, USE RESTRICTED**

No person upon roller skates, or riding in or by means of any coaster, skateboard, toy vehicle, sleds, snowmobiles, skis, or similar device, shall go upon any road except while crossing the road. When so crossing, such person shall be granted all of the rights and shall be subject to all of the duties applicable to all other pedestrians. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1209.100, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 345.110: DRIVERS TO AVOID HAZARD TO BLIND PEDESTRIAN**

The driver of a vehicle approaching a totally or partially blind pedestrian who is carrying a cane predominately white or metallic in color, with or without a red tip, or who is using a guide dog, shall take all necessary precautions to avoid injury or hazard to the blind pedestrian. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1212.170, 11-21-85)

## **CHAPTER 350: PARKING REGULATIONS**

### **ARTICLE I. METHOD OF PARKING**

#### **SECTION 350.010: REQUIRED DIRECTION AND MANNER OF PARKING**

- A. Except as otherwise provided in this Code, every vehicle stopped or parked upon a highway or roadway shall be stopped or parked with the right-hand wheels of the vehicle parallel to and within eighteen (18) inches of the right-hand curb or right-hand edge of pavement and headed in the direction of lawful traffic movement.
- B. No person shall stop, stand or park any vehicle upon or within eighteen (18) inches of the traveled portion of any highway or through roadway as established herein. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1207.010, 11-21-85)

#### **SECTION 350.020: PARKING NOT TO OBSTRUCT TRAFFIC**

No person shall park any vehicle upon any roadway or alleyway in a manner or under conditions as to leave available less than ten (10) feet of the width of the roadway or alleyway for free movement of vehicular traffic. No person shall stop, stand or park a vehicle on a highway, roadway or alleyway in such position as to block the entrance to any abutting property. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1207.020, 11-21-85)

#### **SECTION 350.030: ANGLE PARKING PROHIBITED**

All angle parking is strictly prohibited upon any highway, roadway or alleyway in Wilbur Park except where allowed by the Board of Trustees by the adoption of an appropriate ordinance, and the proper signs posted allowing the angle parking. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1207.030, 11-21-85)

### **ARTICLE II. PROHIBITED OR RESTRICTED PARKING**

#### **SECTION 350.040: PARKING PROHIBITED IN SPECIFIED PLACES**

- A. No person shall stop or park a vehicle, except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic or in compliance with law or the directions of a Law Enforcement Officer or traffic control device, in any of the following places:
  - 1. On a sidewalk.
  - 2. In front of a public or private driveway exiting onto any highway, roadway, alleyway or parking lot.
  - 3. Within an intersection.
  - 4. Within fifteen (15) feet of a fire hydrant.

5. On a crosswalk.
  6. With twenty (20) feet of a crosswalk.
  7. Within thirty (30) feet upon the approach to any intersection or so close to an intersection as to obstruct the normal flow of traffic.
  8. Within fifty (50) feet of the nearest rail of a railroad crossing.
  9. Within twenty (20) feet of the driveway entrance to any fire station and on the side of a street opposite the entrance to any fire station within seventy-five (75) feet of the entrance (when properly posted).
  10. Alongside or opposite any roadway excavation or obstruction when stopping, standing, or parking would obstruct traffic.
  11. On the roadway side of any vehicle stopped or parked at the edge or curb of a street.
  12. Upon any bridge or other elevated structure upon a highway, roadway, alleyway or within a highway tunnel.
  13. At any place where official signs prohibit stopping.
  14. Within eight (8) feet of a public or private mailbox.
  15. Upon any portion of the right-of-way of any controlled or limited access highway.
  16. Upon any portion of the road so as to obstruct emergency snow removal operation.
  17. Upon any unpaved shoulder or other unpaved portion of the right-of-way.
- B. Where it is determined by the Department of Highways and Traffic, upon the basis of an engineering and traffic investigation that it is to the best interest and safety of the general public to increase the distances set out above, the Director of Highways and Traffic is hereby empowered to lengthen the distances of Subsections (4), (6), (7), (8), (9), and (14), not to exceed one hundred (100) feet in length, and when official signs are erected, no person shall stop, stand or park a vehicle at such designated places.
- C. No person shall move a vehicle not lawfully under such person's control into any such prohibited area or away from a curb such distance as is unlawful. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1207.040, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 350.050:****TIME LIMITATION ON PARKING**

No person shall park a vehicle, including a boat, trailer or camper, on any roadway for an uninterrupted period of time longer than twenty-four (24) hours except in an emergency. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1207.050, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 350.060: PARKING PROHIBITED IN RESIDENTIAL FRONT YARDS**

- A. No person shall park or permit a vehicle to remain in the front, side or back yard of residential property unless such vehicle is parked in an enclosed garage or on a paved driveway or designated parking area as described in Subsection (C). No person shall park or permit lawn, snow removal or other equipment or machinery to remain in the front, side or back yard of residential property, unless such equipment or machinery is parked in an enclosed garage.
- B. For the purpose of this Section, "*front yard*" means the area between a road and a line parallel to the road and intersecting the closest point of residence. "*Required front yard*" means the area between a road and the front yard setback line established by application of the Zoning Ordinances of St. Louis County. "*Residential*" refers to properties zoned non-urban or residential and includes property used for residential purposes regardless of zoning.
- C. A designated parking area shall be adjacent to and contiguous to the driveway within a residential property, and shall be paved. Such designated parking area may not be located within the required front yard, but may be located in any other part of the residential lot, including within a front yard which does not constitute a portion of a required front yard, if any. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1207.060, 11-21-85; Ord. No. 002-002 §1, 5-28-02)

**SECTION 350.070: PARKING PROHIBITED FOR CERTAIN PURPOSES**

No person shall park a vehicle on any roadway for the principal purpose of:

1. Displaying such vehicle for sale.
2. Washing, greasing or repairing or performing similar activities upon such vehicle, except repairs necessitated by an emergency. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1207.070, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 350.080: PARKING OF COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLES IN RESIDENTIAL DISTRICTS**

- A. No commercial vehicle having a gross weight in excess of twelve thousand (12,000) pounds shall be parked in any driveway or designated parking area or on any roadway or highway in a residential district between the hours of 12:00 Midnight and 6:00 A.M. of any day, except in an emergency.
- B. Except as hereinafter provided, no commercial vehicle shall be parked in any driveway (other than in an enclosed garage) or designated parking area as defined in Section 350.060(C), or on any roadway or highway in a residential district at any time, except while loading or unloading, or making a service call, with the exception of governmental and public utility vehicles during work-in-progress. No more than one (1) commercial passenger car, light pickup truck or van (under twelve thousand (12,000) pounds) and one (1) non-commercial trailer not exceeding twenty-five (25) feet in length and eight (8) feet in height may be parked in an enclosed garage or on any private driveway or designated parking area other than in a front yard, as defined in Section 350.060(B). (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1207.075, 11-21-85; Ord. No. 002-002 §2, 5-28-02; Ord. No. 003-003 §2, 7-22-03)

**SECTION 350.090:**

**DESIGNATION OF NO PARKING ZONES**

Parking on certain highways or roadways or parts of highways or roadways shall be prohibited or limited as designated herein. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1207.080, 11-21-85)



## CHAPTER 355: TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS BUREAU

### SECTION 355.010: BUREAU ESTABLISHED) DUTIES

- A. There is established a Traffic Violations Bureau within the Department of Administration to assist the Circuit Courts with the clerical work in traffic cases.
- B. The Traffic Violations Bureau shall have the duties enumerated hereunder and such other and further duties as may be imposed upon it by law and by the Director, Department of Administration.
  - 1. Accept designated fines and costs and issue receipts for them.
  - 2. Whenever any person charged with an offense which is payable at the Traffic Violations Bureau fails to appear and pay the fine and costs in the time prescribed, the Bureau shall notify the County Counselor for appropriate action. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1214.010, 11-21-85)

### SECTION 355.020: SCHEDULE OF FINES AND COSTS

- A. Any person charged with a violation for which payment may be made to the Traffic Violations Bureau may within thirty (30) working days after receipt of arrest notice pay a designated fine and costs therefor to the Traffic Violations Bureau except that costs shall not be charged for parking violations. The payment of a fine and costs to the Traffic Violations Bureau shall be deemed an acknowledgement of conviction of the alleged violation.
- B. The following schedule of violations, together with fines and costs for them, are the only violations which may be satisfied by payment to the Traffic Violations Bureau. These violations identified in the "*Court Costs Only If Compliance*" column may be satisfied in the following manner: The person so charged may mail a Statement of Compliance signed by any St. Louis County Police Officer or State Highway Patrol Officer along with the costs thereof or may present said Statement and costs in person or by attorney or by any member of the person's immediate family to the Traffic Violations Bureau. Speeding violations may be satisfied by payment to the Traffic Violations Bureau only if fifteen (15) miles or less over the maximum limit.



**SCHEDULE OF FINES FOR VIOLATIONS**

<b>Description of Violation</b>	<b>Violation County</b>	<b>Ordinance</b>	<b>Court Costs Only If</b>
<b>Fine</b>	<b>Compliance</b>		
<b>SPEEDING</b>			
Exceeding 25 MPH Speed Limit __ in 25 Zone	1204.030	\$/mile	No
Exceeding Speed Limit on County Roadway- ___ Zone	1204.050	\$/mile	No
Exceeding Speed Limit on State Highway- ___ in ___ Zone	1204.020	\$/mile	No
Exceeding 15 MPH Speed Limit on parking lot-___ in 15 Zone	1204.040	\$/mile	No
Drove at speed less than 40 MPH on Interstate Highway-at speed of ___	1204.025	\$10.00	No
Drove at such slow speed to impede/block normal and reasonable traffic movement	1204.070	\$10.00	No
Operating advertising vehicle at speed (less than 20 MPH) that impedes traffic	1204.060	\$10.00	No
<b>STOPPING</b>			
Failed to stop for stop sign at stop line/ before crosswalk/point nearest intersection	1206.030	\$10.00	No
Failed to stop for steady red signal at crosswalk/stop line/ point nearest intersection	1203.020	\$10.00	No
Failed to stop for flashing red signal at stop line/ crosswalk/point nearest intersection	1203.020	\$10.00	No
Failed to stop for school bus receiving/ discharging school children	1212.180	\$10.00	No
Failed to stop at intersection with inoperative traffic signal	1201.100	\$10.00	No
Failed to stop for railroad grade crossing/ guard/ mechanical signal/crossing gate/ barrier	1206.090	\$10.00	No
Failed to stop loaded bus or hazardous/ inflammable/corrosive materials truck for railroad grade crossing	1206.100	\$10.00	No
Failed to proceed with caution past a flashing yellow signal	1203.020	\$10.00	No
<b>YIELD RIGHT-OF-WAY</b>			
Failed to slow to reasonable speed for existing conditions or stop for yield sign	1206.040	\$10.00	No
Failed to yield after stopping at stop sign to vehicle that entered intersection so close to cause hazard	1206.060	\$10.00	No
Failed to yield right-of-way to vehicle/ pedestrian lawfully in controlled			

intersection/crosswalk

1206.050

\$10.00

No

**Schedule Of Fines For Violations (cont)**

<b>Description of Violation</b>	<b>Violation County</b>	<b>Ordinance</b>	<b>Court Costs Only If</b>
<b>Fine</b>	<b>Compliance</b>		
<b>YIELD RIGHT-OF-WAY (cont)</b>			
Failed to yield to approaching vehicles when entering road from alley/driveway	1206.070	\$10.00	No
Failed to yield right-of-way to pedestrian at yield sign	1206.050	\$10.00	No
Failed to yield right-of-way to pedestrian facing walk signal	1203.020	\$10.00	No
Failed to yield to pedestrian when entering road from alley/driveway	1206.070	\$10.00	No
Failed to yield/stop for emergency vehicles sounding audible siren signal and displaying lighted red light	1212.090	\$10.00	No
Failed to yield right-of-way at intersection to vehicle already entered into intersection	1206.110	\$10.00	No
Failed to yield to vehicle on the right side of an intersection	1206.110	\$10.00	No
Driver making left turn at intersection failed to yield for approaching vehicle	1206.110	\$10.00	No
Driver making left turn into alley/private roadway/driveway failed to yield for approaching vehicle	1206.110	\$10.00	No
<b>TURNING</b>			
Failed to obey traffic control device (electric signal)	1203.020	\$10.00	No
Failed to obey No Right Turn/No Left Turn/Right Turn Only/Left Turn Only/Right or Left Turn Only/signs	1205.030	\$10.00	No
Disobeyed lane turn indicator sign marker	1205.050	\$10.00	No
Turned right on red signal where prohibited by sign	1205.050	\$10.00	No
U-turn at controlled intersection	1205.040	\$10.00	No
Improper turn at grade separation	1205.020	\$10.00	No
Failed to make right turn/or approach from as close as practicable to right curb/edge	1205.010	\$10.00	No
Failed to make left turn/or approach from within proper lane	1205.010	\$10.00	No
Failed to signal or gave improper signal when stopping or turning left or right	1212.120	\$10.00	No
<b>LANE USE</b>			
Failed to drive on right half of roadway	1212.050	\$10.00	No
Operated motor vehicle the wrong way on a one-way street	1208.010	\$10.00	No
Failed to drive to right of traffic island			

(unless otherwise posted)

1212.050

\$10.00

No

**Schedule Of Fines For Violations (cont)**

<i><b>Description of Violation Fine</b></i>	<i><b>Violation County Compliance</b></i>	<i><b>Ordinance</b></i>	<i><b>Court Costs Only If</b></i>
<b>LANE USE (cont)</b>			
Failed to drive within single lane	1212.040	\$10.00	No
Failed to keep to right while in funeral or procession	1218.070	\$10.00	No
Failed to drive in lane over which red signal is shown	1203.040	\$10.00	No
<b>PASSING</b>			
Passed in No Passing Zone marked with solid yellow line and posted signs	1211.010	\$10.00	No
Passed vehicle on right and traveled off main portions of road	1211.020	\$10.00	No
Increased speed while being passed	1211.020	\$10.00	No
Passed vehicle and interfered with approaching traffic	1211.020	\$10.00	No
Cut in on overtaken vehicle	1211.020	\$10.00	No
Passed vehicle when view obstructed by hill or curve	1211.020	\$10.00	No
Passed vehicle when view obstructed within one hundred (100) feet of bridge/viaduct/tunnel	1211.020	\$10.00	No
Passed vehicle at or within one hundred (100) feet of intersection or railroad grade crossing	1211.020	\$10.00	No
Illegally overtook/passed vehicle stopped for pedestrian in crosswalk	1209.020	\$10.00	No
<b>LOADING</b>			
Failed to cover or sufficiently secure vehicle load	1218.050	\$10.00	No
Operated overloaded/carelessly loaded vehicle or permitted to fall and remain upon street	1218.050	\$10.00	No
Littering upon highway, street, alley, parking lot, private road or driveway or right-of-way with: Tacks, nails, wire, scrap, metal, glass, crockery, sharp stones or other substances injurious to feet of persons, animals or tires of vehicles	1218.050	\$10.00	No
Littering upon highway, street, alley, parking lot, private road or driveway or right-of-way with: (cont) Paper, rubbish, garbage or other debris Mud, dirt, sand, gravel, rock, stone or	1218.050	\$10.00	No

other excavated material

1218.050

\$10.00

No

**Schedule Of Fines For Violations (cont)**

<b>Description of Violation</b>	<b>Violation County</b>	<b>Ordinance</b>	<b>Court Costs Only If</b>
<b>Fine</b>	<b>Compliance</b>		
<b>LOADING (cont)</b>			
Extended part of body outside the vehicle except for signaling	1218.040	\$10.00	No
Operator motor vehicles with more than three (3) persons over the age of sixteen (16) years in the front seat	1218.040	\$10.00	No
Clinging to moving vehicle while on bicycle, motorcycle, coaster, sled, roller skates or other toy vehicle	1218.030	\$10.00	No
Ride motorcycle other than astride seat	1218.020	\$10.00	No
Carrying more passengers than motorcycle designed for	1218.020	\$10.00	No
<b>EMERGENCY EQUIPMENT</b>			
Followed fire apparatus responding to fire closer than five hundred (500) feet	1212.160	\$10.00	No
Driver over unprotected fire hose without consent of fire official	1212.150	\$10.00	No
<b>SIGNS/SIGNALS</b>			
Altered/defaced/injured/knocked down or removed sign or signal device	1218.110	\$10.00	No
Place sign/signal device on/in view of highway that purports to be/imitates/resembles official traffic control	1218.100	\$10.00	No
Place sign/device which interfered with effectiveness of official traffic control/sign	1218.100	\$10.00	No
Place commercial advertising on official sign	1218.100	\$10.00	No
<b>PROHIBITED AREA</b>			
Operated motor vehicle on private road or driveway, parking lot or other area not a road for the purpose of avoiding the right-of-way	1212.070	\$10.00	No
Operated motor vehicle upon street when proper signs are posted prohibiting such travel	1212.147	\$10.00	No
Operated commercial vehicle upon a restricted street when posted (except for delivery/pickup)	1212.145	\$10.00	No
Drive upon a closed roadway when Road Closed sign posted	1218.120	\$10.00	No
Improper enter/exit onto or from limited			

access roadway

1212.140

\$10.00

No



**Schedule Of Fines For Violations (cont)**

<b>Description of Violation</b>	<b>Violation County</b>	<b>Ordinance</b>	<b>Court Costs Only If</b>
<b>Fine</b>	<b>Compliance</b>		
<b>PROHIBITED AREA (cont)</b>			
Operate motor vehicle within a sidewalk area	1212.130	\$10.00	No
Drive through funeral or other authorized procession	1218.070	\$10.00	No
Drive in procession or parade of twenty-five (25) or more vehicles without permit	1218.060	\$10.00	No
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>			
Followed another vehicle too closely	1212.060	\$10.00	No
Backed motor vehicle when such movement unsafe/interfered with other traffic	1212.100	\$10.00	No
Obstructed traffic by entering intersection/crosswalk without sufficient space on other side to clear intersection/crosswalk	1206.080	\$10.00	No
Open/left open vehicle door on side available to moving traffic when not reasonably safe/longer than necessary to load or unload	1212.110	\$10.00	No
Permitted clinging to vehicles	1218.030	\$10.00	No
<b>EQUIPMENT REGULATIONS</b>			
Failed to wear approved protective headgear when on motorcycle in motion	1218.025	\$10.00	No
Operated motor vehicle so as to emit excessive and unnecessary noise	1217.010	\$10.00	No
Failed to equip vehicle with muffler/adequate muffler/properly attached muffler	1217.010	\$10.00	Yes
Operated motor vehicle with muffler cut-out	1217.010	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to have mud flaps or fenders on truck tractor trailer/adequate mud flaps	1217.070	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to equip motor vehicle with an adequate horn	1217.060	\$10.00	Yes
Operate motor vehicle attached with or sounding gong, bell, whistle or siren	1217.060	\$10.00	Yes
Other vehicle equipment violations	1217.040	\$10.00	Yes
Drove with prohibited studded tires	1217.050	\$10.00	Yes
Drove metal tired vehicle	1217.051	\$10.00	No
Drove with vehicle front/back raised so as to obstruct vision of highway	1217.080	\$10.00	Yes
Operated vehicle with obstructed vision	1217.100	\$10.00	No
<b>BUS OPERATION</b>			
Failed to have signs on/equip school bus with mech/elec signal device	1218.090	\$10.00	No

**Schedule Of Fines For Violations (cont)**

<b>Description of Violation</b>	<b>Violation County</b>	<b>Ordinance</b>	<b>Court Costs Only If</b>
<b>Fine</b>	<b>Compliance</b>		
<b>BUS OPERATION (cont)</b>			
School bus driver required passenger to cross more than two (2) lanes of four (4) lane highway	1218.090	\$10.00	No
School bus driver loaded/unloaded passengers where bus not visible three hundred (300) feet	1218.090	\$10.00	No
School bus driver failed to permit following vehicles to pass	1218.090	\$10.00	No
Bus parking/standing upon street at other than bus stand	1207.100	\$10.00	No
Bus loading and unloading passengers at other than bus stop/stand/passenger loading zone (non-emergency)	1207.100	\$10.00	No
Bus stopped further than eighteen (18) inches from curb while loading/unloading passengers		1207.100	\$10.00
No			
<b>TRUCK/VENDING OPERATION</b>			
Merchandise vending from a vehicle in the street without a license	1218.080	\$10.00	No
Merchandise vending causing traffic confusion/interfere with traffic	1218.080	\$10.00	No
<b>LIGHTING</b>			
Operated motor vehicle without two (2) illuminated headlamps, one (1) on each side of passenger car/truck/bus when lights required	1217.020	\$10.00	No
Operated motor vehicle with illuminated headlamps which are not substantially white in color	1217.021	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to dim lights when within five hundred (500) feet of oncoming vehicle/ three hundred (300) feet of rear of vehicle	1217.020	\$10.00	No
Operated motor vehicle without two (2) illuminated red tail lamps when lights required	1217.020	\$10.00	No
Operated motor vehicle without white license lamp when lights required	1217.020	\$10.00	No
Operated motor vehicle with illuminated auxiliary lamps/cowl lamps/spot lamps which are not substantially white, yellow or amber in color	1217.021	\$10.00	Yes

Failed to equip motorcycle with approved  
headlamp

1217.020

\$10.00

Yes

**Schedule Of Fines For Violations (cont)**

<b>Description of Violation</b>	<b>Violation County</b>	<b>Ordinance</b>	<b>Court Costs Only If</b>
<b>Fine</b>	<b>Compliance</b>		
<b>LIGHTING (cont)</b>			
Equipped motorcycle with more than two (2) headlamps	1217.020	\$10.00	Yes
Aimed/used a motor vehicle spot lamp in a glaring manner/to dazzle a person	1217.022	\$10.00	No
Failed to have two (2) approved red reflectors on rear of motor vehicle	1217.020	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to equip motorcycle with an approved red reflector	1217.020	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to equip motor vehicle with white rear license lamp/to illuminate license at fifty (50) feet	1217.020	\$10.00	Yes
Equipped motor vehicle with backing lamp that is lighted when vehicle is in forward motion	1217.030	\$10.00	Yes
Displayed lighted auxiliary lamps not substantially white/yellow/amber	1217.021	\$10.00	Yes
Operated motor vehicle with flashing warning signal when not authorized	1217.021	\$10.00	No
Equipped motor vehicle with more than one (1) spot lamp	1217.022	\$10.00	Yes
Equipped motor vehicle with more than three (3) auxiliary lamps on front/mounted auxiliary lamps improperly	1217.023	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to have lighted lamps on agri mach/road mach/farm tractor	1217.024	\$10.00	Yes
Displayed more than four (4) lighted head lamps on front of vehicle	1217.025	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to display proper lighted lamps on parked vehicle	1217.026	\$10.00	No
Failed to display required lighted taillamps/reflectors on horse-drawn vehicle	1217.027	\$10.00	Yes
Equipped motor vehicle with wrong color/more than two (2) side cowl/fender lamps	1217.030	\$10.00	Yes
<b>DRIVERS LICENSE</b>			
Authorizing or knowingly permitted person to drive motor vehicle who has no legal right	1213.040	\$10.00	No
<b>REGISTRATION PLATES</b>			
Failed to register motor vehicle/trailer annually with Director of Revenue	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to display plates on motor vehicles/trailer	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
Displayed/possessed motor vehicle/trailer			

plates of another person

1213.010

\$10.00

Yes

**Schedule Of Fines For Violations (cont)**

<b>Description of Violation</b>	<b>Violation County</b>	<b>Ordinance</b>	<b>Court Costs Only If</b>
<b>Fine</b>	<b>Compliance</b>		
<b>REGISTRATION PLATES (cont)</b>			
Failed to properly affix/fasten plates to motor vehicle/trailer	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to register out of state registered vehicle in Missouri when Missouri resident	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to display on vehicle Certificate of Inspection and Approval	1213.015	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to properly affix/display tab on motor vehicle license plate	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
Operated motor vehicle/trailer displayed plate/tag/placard not furnished by Director of Revenue	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to file for duplicate motor vehicle/trailer plate within five (5) days of loss/mutilation	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to furnish annual proof of vehicle inspection and disability to Director of Revenue when issued disabled veteran license	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
Displayed historic plates when vehicle used for purposes other than exhibition/education	1213.010	\$10.00	No
Displayed dealer plates on motor vehicle/trailer hired/loaned to another	1213.010	\$10.00	No
Displayed dealer plates on motor vehicle regularly used as a service/wrecker vehicle	1213.010	\$10.00	No
<b>PEDESTRIAN</b>			
Pedestrian-failed to obey traffic control device (electric signal)	1203.030	\$10.00	No
Pedestrian-started to cross roadway when facing steady red/yellow signal	1203.030	\$10.00	No
Pedestrian-started across roadway when signal exhibited words Don't Walk	1203.030	\$10.00	No
Pedestrian-unlawfully crossing roadway at other than/right angles/shortest route	1209.040	\$10.00	No
Pedestrian-failed to yield right of way to vehicle when not at crosswalk	1209.050	\$10.00	No
Pedestrian-unlawfully crossing between adjacent intersections at which traffic control signals are in operation	1209.060	\$10.00	No
Pedestrian-suddenly leaving curb/place of safety into path of vehicle which is so close that it is impossible for the vehicle to yield	1209.020	\$10.00	No
Pedestrian-failed to stop for closed railroad gate/barrier	1209.070	\$10.00	No

**Schedule Of Fines For Violations (cont)**

<i><b>Description of Violation Fine</b></i>	<i><b>Violation County Compliance</b></i>	<i><b>Ordinance</b></i>	<i><b>Court Costs Only If</b></i>
<b>PEDESTRIAN (cont)</b>			
Pedestrian-unlawfully stand in roadway for purpose of/soliciting a ride/employment/contribution/business from the occupant of any vehicle	1209.090	\$10.00	No
Pedestrian-unlawfully walking upon roadway where sidewalks are provided	1209.080	\$10.00	No
Pedestrian-walking on wrong side of road where no sidewalks	1209.080	\$10.00	No
Failure to sound horn when necessary to avoid collision with pedestrian	1212.030	\$10.00	No
<b>COMMERCIAL REGISTRATION</b>			
Failed to display name/address/gross weight on commercial motor vehicle	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to register commercial property carrying vehicle for sufficient gross weight	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to register commercial passenger carrying vehicle for seating capacity	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to register commercial property/passenger carrying vehicle for beyond local operation	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to register vehicle as commercial motor vehicle when vehicle is so designed/constructed modified	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to register non-resident commercial motor vehicle (no reciprocal agreement)	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
Failed to register non-resident commercial motor vehicle (reciprocal agreement)	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
Displayed in-transit tags on motor vehicle not being delivered from manufacturer/dealer to dealer	1213.010	\$10.00	No
Failed to insert correct data/place of issue and destination on in-transit tags	1213.010	\$10.00	No
Operate motor vehicle no title issued	1213.010	\$10.00	Yes
<b>BICYCLIST</b>			
Bicyclist-riding at unreasonable and imprudent speed	1210.060	\$10.00	No
Bicyclist-failed to obey No Right Turn/No Left Turn/No U-Turn sign	1210.030	\$10.00	No
Bicyclist-failed to obey traffic control device/sign/signal	1210.030	\$10.00	No
Bicyclist-failed to ride as near to right side of road as practicable	1210.050	\$10.00	No

**Schedule Of Fines For Violations (cont)**

<b>Description of Violation</b>	<b>Violation County</b>	<b>Ordinance</b>	<b>Court Costs Only If</b>
<b>Fine</b>	<b>Compliance</b>		
<b>BICYCLIST (cont)</b>			
Bicyclist-riding on roadway when adjacent bicycle path available	1210.050	\$10.00	No
Bicyclist-riding more than two (2) abreast upon roadway	1210.050	\$10.00	No
Bicyclist-carrying article without one (1) hand on handle bars	1210.080	\$10.00	No
Bicyclist-improper parking	1210.090	\$10.00	NA
Bicyclist-failure to yield to pedestrian on sidewalk or vehicle on roadway	1210.070	\$10.00	No
Bicyclist-operate at night without front lighted lamp/red rear reflector	1210.100	\$10.00	No
Bicyclist-failed to equip with adequate brakes	1210.100	\$10.00	Yes
Bicyclist-riding other than astride seat	1210.040	\$10.00	No
Bicyclist-carrying more passengers than bike designed for	1210.040	\$10.00	No
Bicyclist-failure of parent to require a child under the age of seventeen (17) to wear protective headgear while bicycling, scootering, roller blading, roller skating, or skateboarding		\$10.00	No
Bicyclist-failure of child under the age of seventeen (17) to wear protective headgear while bicycling, scootering, roller blading, roller skating or skateboarding		\$10.00	No
<b>PARKING</b>			
Park more than eighteen (18) inches from the curb or edge of pavement	1207.010	\$10.00	NA
Park faced against traffic	1207.010	\$10.00	NA
Parked within eighteen (18) inches of travelled portions of State highway or through roadway	1207.010	\$10.00	NA
Park on street leaving less than ten (10) feet of width of road	1207.020	\$10.00	NA
Park/stop/stand in alley so as to block the roadway entrance to any abutting property	1207.020	\$10.00	NA
Parked at an angle (permitted only when so posted)	1207.030	\$10.00	NA
Park/stop/stand on a sidewalk	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Park/stop/stand in front of a public/private driveway	1207.040	\$10.00	NA



Park/stop/stand within an intersection

1207.040

\$10.00

NA

**Schedule Of Fines For Violations (cont)**

<i><b>Description of Violation</b></i>	<i><b>Violation County</b></i>	<i><b>Ordinance</b></i>	<i><b>Court Costs Only If</b></i>
<i><b>Fine</b></i>	<i><b>Compliance</b></i>		
<b>PARKING (cont)</b>			
Park/stop/stand within fifteen (15) feet of a fire hydrant	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Park/stop/stand on a crosswalk	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Park/stop/stand within twenty (20) feet of a crosswalk	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Park/stop/stand within thirty (30) feet upon the approach of any intersection	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Park/stop/stand within fifty (50) feet of a railroad crossing	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Park/stop/stand within twenty (20) feet/ seventy-five (75) feet on opposite side of street (when posted)/of driveway entrance to fire station	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Park/stop/stand alongside/opposite street excavation/obstruction so as to obstruct traffic	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Park/stop/stand on the roadway side of any vehicle parked/stopped at edge or curb of street	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Park/stop/stand upon bridge/elevated structure within tunnel	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Park/stop/stand where official signs prohibit parking	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Park/stop/stand within eight (8) feet of a mailbox	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Park/stop/stand upon the right-of-way of a controlled/limited access highway	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Park so as to block emergency snow removal	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Park upon unpaved shoulder or other unpaved part of road	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Moved a parked vehicle not in his/her control into a prohibited parking area	1207.040	\$10.00	NA
Park vehicle on street uninterrupted for over twenty-four (24) hours	1207.050	\$10.00	NA
Park, abandon or leave junked, derelict, wrecked, dismantled or non-operative vehicle for more than seventy-two (72) hours	1216.080	\$10.00	NA
Park vehicle between street and residential property front yard setback line	1207.060	\$10.00	NA
Park vehicle on roadway displaying vehicle for sale	1207.070	\$10.00	NA
Park vehicle on roadway for purpose of washing/greasing/repairing the vehicle			

(non-emergency)

1207.070

\$10.00

NA

**Schedule Of Fines For Violations (cont)**

<b>Description of Violation Fine</b>	<b>Violation County Compliance</b>	<b>Ordinance</b>	<b>Court Costs Only If</b>
<b>PARKING (cont)</b>			
Park commercial vehicle with gross weight over twelve thousand (12,000) pounds/ tractor/tractor trailer trunk unit/ within residential district between 12:00 Midnight and 6:00 A.M. (non-emergency)	1207.075	\$10.00	NA
Park on street posted as No Parking Zone	1207.080	\$10.00	NA
Park in parking lot posted as No Parking Zone	1207.085	\$10.00	NA
Park/stop/stand vehicle other than bus/ taxi in posted bus/taxi zone	1207.110	\$10.00	NA
Park within the block/within five hundred (500) feet when fire apparatus has stopped in answer to a fire alarm	1212.160	\$10.00	NA

**OTHER VIOLATIONS NOT IN TRAFFIC CODE**

Operate motor vehicle on common land of a subdivision without permission	716.155	\$10.00	No
Park motor vehicle on unpaved part of common ground of a subdivision without permission	716.155	\$10.00	NA
Park motor vehicle on property without consent	716.153	\$10.00	NA
Handicapped parking violation (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1214.020, 11-21-85; Ord. No. 2005-003 §2, 3-8-05)	715.153	\$10.00	NA

**SECTION 355.030: FINES AND COSTS FOR VIOLATION OF PROTECTED AREA ORDINANCES**

- A. Provisions of the schedules of this Code which exempt from the application of a specific prohibition "*residents of \_\_\_\_\_(area)\_\_\_\_\_ with vehicles properly identified pursuant to Section 365.090 of this Code*" are "*protected area*" ordinances.
- B. Any person who violates a protected area ordinance and who is not a resident of the pertinent protected area shall pay the fine and costs designated for such violation by Section 355.020.
- C. Any person who is a resident of the pertinent protected area and violates the protected area ordinance solely by reason of failure to possess or display the proper identification sticker shall be guilty of "*failure to display a protected area sticker*" and shall pay a fine of five dollars (\$5.00) and costs provided by law within thirty (30) working days of receipt of an arrest notice to the Traffic Violations Bureau. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1214.030, 11-21-85)



## **CHAPTER 360: VIOLATIONS, PENALTIES, ARRESTS**

### **SECTION 360.010: PENALTIES**

Every person who is convicted of any misdemeanor under the provisions of the Traffic Code, shall, where no different punishment is prescribed, be punished by imprisonment in the County Jail not exceeding one (1) year, or by a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), or by both such fine and imprisonment. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1215.010, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 360.020: FORMS AND NOTICES OF ARREST OR APPEARANCE**

The St. Louis County Department of Police shall provide, in quadruplicate, suitable serially numbered forms for notifying violators to appear and answer to charges of violating traffic laws and ordinances. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1215.020, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 360.030: PROCEDURE UPON ARREST**

Whenever any person is arrested for violating any provision of this Code, the arresting officer may take the violator's name, address, operator's or chauffeur's license number, and the registration number and the make of the motor vehicle involved, and issue to the person in writing a notice to answer to the charge against the person on a day specified in the notice, the day to be not less than five (5) days after the arrest, and during the hours and at a place specified in the notice. The officer may, upon the giving by the violator of a written promise to answer as specified in the notice, release the violator from custody, provided however, that if the violator is a non-resident of the County, the arresting officer, if not satisfied by personal knowledge or sufficient identification that the violator is a responsible and reliable citizen, may require that the violator post bond or enter into a recognizance with sufficient security conditioned that the violator will appear before the Circuit Court at the time and place appointed before the officer shall release the violator from custody, and if the violator may be committed to the County Jail and be held to answer the complaint. Any person who violates a written promise to appear, given in accordance with this Section, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, regardless of the disposition of the charge on which the person was originally arrested. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1215.030, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 360.040: ILLEGALLY PARKED VEHICLES, NOTICE**

Whenever any motor vehicle without a driver is found parked or stopped in violation of any of the restrictions imposed by the Ordinances of this County or by State law, the officer finding such vehicle shall take its registration number and may take any other information displayed on the vehicle which may identify its user and shall conspicuously affix to the vehicle a notice in writing for the driver to answer to the charge against the driver within five (5) days during the hours and at a place specified in the notice. The Police Department shall send at least one (1) copy of the notice to the Traffic Violations Bureau. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1215.040, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 360.050: FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH NOTICE ON VEHICLE**

If a violator of the restrictions on stopping, standing, or parking under the traffic laws or ordinances does not appear within a period of ten (10) days, the Traffic Violations Bureau shall send to the

owner of the motor vehicle to which the notice was affixed, a letter informing the owner of the violation and warning the owner that in the event such letter is disregarded for a period of twenty-five (25) days, a complaint shall be filed and a warrant of arrest issued. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1215.050, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 360.060:                    PRESUMPTIONS FROM ILLEGALLY PARKED VEHICLE**

In any prosecution charging a violation of any law or regulation governing the standing or parking of a vehicle, proof that the particular vehicle described in the complaint was parked in violation of any such law or ordinance, together with proof that the defendant named in the complaint was at the time of the parking the registered owner of the vehicle, shall constitute in evidence a prima facie presumption that the registered owner of the vehicle was the person who parked or placed the vehicle at the point where, and for the time during which, the violation occurred. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1215.060, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 360.070:                    COMPLAINT FILED AND WARRANT ISSUED, WHEN**

In the event any person fails to comply with a notice given to the person or attached to a vehicle or fails to make appearance pursuant to a summons directing an appearance in the Associate Circuit Court of Traffic Violations Bureau, or if any person fails or refuses to deposit bail as required and within the time permitted by ordinance, the Clerk of the Associate Circuit Court or Traffic Violations Bureau shall forthwith have a complaint entered against such person and secure and issue a warrant for his/her arrest. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1215.070, 11-21-85)



## **CHAPTER 365: REGISTRATION, LICENSES, PERMITS**

### **SECTION 365.010: VEHICLES ON ROADS TO BE LICENSED**

No person, firm, or corporation shall operate or park a motor vehicle or trailer upon a highway, roadway, or alleyway unless the vehicle or trailer has attached to it registration plates in accordance with Chapter 301, Sections 301.010 to 301.440, RSMo., providing for the registration and licensing of motor vehicles. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1213.010, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 365.020: VEHICLES TO DISPLAY CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTION AND APPROVAL**

No person, firm, or corporation shall operate or park a motor vehicle or trailer upon a highway, roadway or alleyway of St. Louis County unless the vehicle or trailer displays a certificate of inspection and approval, in accordance with Sections 307.350 to 307.390, RSMo., providing for Motor Vehicle Safety Inspection. This Section shall not apply to any motor vehicle owned and operated by the County or any municipality within the County. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1213.015, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 365.030: DRIVERS TO HAVE LICENSES**

- A. No person shall drive any motor vehicle, except farm tractors, upon any highway, roadway, or alleyway unless the person has a valid license or permit as an operator under the provisions of the laws of Missouri. Any person holding a valid chauffeur's license shall not be required to procure an operator's license. A person operating a motor vehicle within the restrictions and limitations of a court order granting him/her limited hardship driving privileges and having a copy of such order in his/her possession shall not be guilty of operating a motor vehicle without a valid driver's license.
- B. No person shall drive as a chauffeur any vehicle upon any highway, roadway or alleyway unless the person has a valid license as a chauffeur under the provisions of the laws of Missouri, except as provided in Chapter 302, Section 302.051, RSMo.
- C. While driving a motor vehicle, the holder of a license shall carry the license issued. The license shall be displayed for inspection when demand is made for its display by any Law Enforcement Officer. Failure of any driver of a motor vehicle to exhibit a license to Law Enforcement Officers shall be prima facie evidence that the person is not a duly licensed driver.
- D. No person shall operate a motorcycle or other self-propelled two (2) or three (3) wheeled vehicle upon any highway, roadway or alleyway unless the person has a valid operator's or chauffeur's license which has been validated for motorcycle operation according to the provisions of Section 302.020.1(4), RSMo.
- E. No person shall operate a motor vehicle in any manner in violation of the restrictions imposed in a restricted license. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1213.020, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 365.040: OPERATORS OF MOTORIZED BICYCLES TO HAVE LICENSES**

No person shall operate a motorized bicycle on any highway, roadway or alleyway unless the person has a valid operator's or chauffeur's license. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1213.025, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 365.050: AGE LIMIT OF OPERATOR**

- A. No person under the age of sixteen (16) years shall operate a motor vehicle on any highway, roadway, or alleyway of St. Louis County.
- B. No owner or lessee of any motor vehicle shall permit any person under the age of sixteen (16) years to operate such motor vehicle on any highway, roadway or alleyway of St. Louis County. Persons who have passed the age of fifteen (15) years but who have not reached sixteen (16) years, and who have been issued a driver's permit by the Director of Revenue of Missouri as provided in Section 302.130, RSMo., may operate a motor vehicle upon any highway, roadway or alleyway when an instructor approved by the State Department of Elementary and Secondary Education is occupying a seat beside the driver. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1213.030, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 365.060: PERMITTING UNLICENSED DRIVERS PROHIBITED**

No person shall authorize or knowingly permit a motor vehicle owned by or under the control of such person to be driven by any person who is not authorized to drive under any of the provisions of Chapter 302, Sections 302.010 to 302.270, RSMo., providing for driver's and chauffeur's licenses. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1213.040, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 365.070: PRESUMPTION IN REFERENCE TO UNLICENSED PERSON OPERATING MOTOR VEHICLE**

In any prosecution charging a violation of Section 365.060 proof that an unauthorized person as described in Section 365.060 and Chapter 302, Sections 302.010 to 302.270, RSMo., was driving the motor vehicle described in the complaint, together with proof that the defendant named in the complaint was, at the time described in the complaint, the registered owner of the vehicle, shall constitute a prima facie presumption that the registered owner was the person who authorized or knowingly permitted the unauthorized person to drive the vehicle at the point where, and during which the violation occurred. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1213.050, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 365.080: PROHIBITED USES OF LICENSES**

- A. No person shall display, permit to be displayed, or have in possession, any operator's or chauffeur's license knowing it to be fictitious or to have been cancelled, suspended, revoked, or altered.
- B. No person shall lend or knowingly permit the use by another of any operator's or chauffeur's license issued to the person lending or permitting its use.

- C. No person shall display or represent as one's own any operator's or chauffeur's license not issued to the person displaying the license. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1213.060, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 365.090: IDENTIFICATION OF VEHICLES OF PROTECTED AREAS**

- A. This Section sets forth the procedure for identification of vehicles used by residents of particular subdivisions or areas under provisions of schedules of this Code which exempt from the application of a specific prohibition "*residents of \_\_\_\_\_ (area) with vehicles properly identified pursuant to this Section*". A vehicle other than a motorcycle is "*properly identified*" if it has a currently valid identifying sticker affixed to the inside of lower corner of the windshield on the passenger's side. A motorcycle is "*properly identified*" if the operator has the identifying sticker in possession.
- B. A person who owns or regularly uses one (1) or more vehicles and who resides within an area whose residents are exempted from the application of one (1) or more prohibitions of a schedule contained in this Code may apply to the Director of Revenue of St. Louis County, on forms provided by the Director of Revenue, for an identifying sticker.
- C. The Director of Revenue shall issue such an identifying sticker if the Director of Revenue finds that the applicant is entitled to one. The sticker shall be in such form as the Director of Revenue determines suitable adequately to identify a vehicle, and shall be valid for a period of time, not exceeding three (3) years, as the Director of Revenue determines.
- D. Upon adoption of any provisions in any schedule of this Code providing for exemption of residents of a particular area, the Director of Revenue shall make a reasonable effort to notify the residents affected of their eligibility, but lack of actual notice shall not be a defense to any prosecution arising from a schedule provision.
- E. No identification sticker shall be affixed to any vehicle other than the vehicle for which it is issued by the Director of Revenue, and no identification sticker shall be transferred to or used by any person to whom it was not issued. Upon sale or other transfer of a vehicle to which a sticker is affixed, or upon the removal of the person owning or regularly using a vehicle to which a sticker is affixed from the area for which the sticker is issued, the sticker shall be deemed void and shall no longer entitle use of the vehicle under the exemption of the scheduled provision.
- F. The Director of Revenue may adopt any regulation to implement this Section as the Director of Revenue finds expedient to assure the proper issuance of identification stickers. The Director of Revenue may delegate the authority to print and issue identification stickers at cost to subdivision trustees or other representatives of a protected area, and shall supervise the performance of such activities to ensure compliance with this Section. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1213.100, 11-21-85)



## **CHAPTER 370: VEHICLE REMOVAL CODE**

### **SECTION 370.010: CITATION OF CHAPTER**

This Chapter shall be known and may be cited as the "*Vehicle Removal Code*". This Chapter is part of the Traffic Code, and all provisions thereof that are general in application apply to this Chapter, including, but not limited to definitions and penalties. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1216.010, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 370.020: SCOPE**

In order to enhance the public health, safety and welfare of the citizens of St. Louis County and of those persons traveling upon highways, roads and streets of St. Louis County, the provisions of this Code shall be in effect in all unincorporated parts of St. Louis County and on all arterial roads within all cities, towns and villages within the corporate limits of St. Louis County. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1216.020, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 370.030: AUTHORITY TO REMOVE VEHICLES)EMERGENCY TOWS**

The St. Louis County Department of Police and its officers are hereby authorized to remove or cause to be removed any motor vehicle or junked motor vehicle from any highway, road, or alley without providing the owner with prior notification or an opportunity to be heard under the emergency circumstances hereinafter enumerated:

1. When the motor vehicle or junked motor vehicle poses a real and imminent danger or hazard to the safety of others or a menace to traffic by being situated upon a highway, road or alley without being competently attended; or although attended, when the person in charge of the vehicle fails or refuses to remove the vehicle upon request. For the purpose of this provision, in addition to any other situation meeting this criteria, a vehicle is declared to pose an imminent danger or hazard to the safety of others or a menace to traffic when it is:
  - a. Situated upon any bridge, viaduct or causeway or in any tube, tunnel or underpass;
  - b. Situated in any lane designated for the movement of traffic, including a curb lane in which parking is prohibited;
  - c. Situated, during such hours, in any area in which parking is prohibited during certain hours for the purpose of accommodating periods of peak (or rush hour) traffic.
2. When the motor vehicle or junked motor vehicle is situated on or about a highway, road or alley so as to impede snow removal operations or construction, repair and maintenance services conducted or authorized by the St. Louis County Department of Highways and Traffic.
3. When the operator of a motor vehicle is disabled or arrested and there is no other person reasonably available to take custody of the vehicle and there is no reasonably

safe place to leave the vehicle. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1216.030, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 370.040: NOTICE FOLLOWING EMERGENCY TOW**

- A. Whenever an officer removes or causes to be removed a motor vehicle or junked motor vehicle as authorized in Section 370.030, and the officer knows or is able to ascertain the name and address of the owner by the accessible information contained on the vehicle, together with the official vehicle registration records, the officer shall immediately give or cause to be given notice in writing to the owner.
- B. The notice shall provide the following information:
1. Notification of the vehicle's removal and the reasons for the removal;
  2. The procedure for obtaining the vehicle's release, and the location of the vehicle;
  3. A statement of the owner's right to a hearing and right to be represented by counsel at the hearing; and
  4. The procedure for obtaining a hearing.
- C. In the event the officer does not know and is unable to ascertain the name and address of the owner, or for any other reason is unable to give notice as herein prescribed, and in the event the vehicle is not restored to the owner's possession within a period of three (3) days, the officer shall immediately mail or cause to be mailed a written report of the removal to the State agency whose duty it is to register motor vehicles. The notice shall include a complete description of the vehicle, the date, time and place of removal, the reasons for the removal and the name of the garage or place where the vehicle is stored. A copy of any such notice shall be filed with the proprietor of said garage. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1216.040, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 370.050: NOTICE TO REMOVE ILLEGALLY PARKED VEHICLES)  
NON-EMERGENCY**

- A. Whenever a motor vehicle or junked motor vehicle is parked or stopped on public property in violation of any County ordinance or State Statute and the circumstances of the vehicle's location do not warrant an emergency tow as authorized by Section 370.030, a Police Officer shall conspicuously affix to the vehicle a notice in writing, which notice shall in addition be mailed to the registered owner of the vehicle, if the owner may be ascertained from the accessible information contained on the vehicle together with the official vehicle registration records. The officer shall send one (1) copy of the notice to the Traffic Violation Bureau.
- B. The notice shall provide the following information:
1. The statute or ordinance violated;
  2. An order directing the removal of the vehicle within five (5) days of the date of the notice;
  3. A statement of the owner's right to a hearing;
  4. The procedure for obtaining a hearing; and



5. A statement of the right to be represented by counsel at the hearing. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1216.050, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 370.060: FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH NOTICE**

If the owner has not filed a request for hearing within five (5) days after the registered owner has been notified in accordance with Section 370.050, and the vehicle has not been removed within the five (5) day period, or in the event that a hearing is had, the Superintendent has determined that the vehicle's removal is warranted, and the vehicle has not been removed within such additional time allowed by the Superintendent, if any, then the Superintendent shall have the right to impound and dispose of the vehicle in accordance with Section 370.130. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1216.060, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 370.070: NOTICE OF REMOVAL**

Within seventy-two (72) hours of the removal of such vehicle, the Superintendent shall give notice to the Director of Revenue of the State of Missouri and to the registered owner of the vehicle, if ascertainable, that the vehicle has been impounded and stored for violation of this Chapter. The notice shall describe the vehicle and give the location where the vehicle is stored and that the owner will be charged with the cost of removal and storage. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1216.070, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 370.080: JUNKED MOTOR VEHICLES ON PRIVATE PROPERTY  
DECLARED A  
NUISANCE**

- A. No person shall park, store, leave or permit the parking, storing or leaving of a junked motor vehicle or parts thereof upon any private property within the County for a period of time in excess of seventy-two (72) hours. Provided however, this Chapter shall not apply to any vehicle enclosed within a building, nor to any vehicle retained by the owner for hobby or instructional purposes, nor to a junk yard or salvage business lawful under the Zoning ordinances of St. Louis County. Provided, further, that nothing in this Chapter shall be construed to prevent a person from keeping on the person's private property for a period of time not to exceed sixty (60) days one (1) junked motor vehicle for the purpose of making minor repairs or modifications to it, nor to prevent a person from keeping a motor vehicle of historic interest, as defined in Section 301.131, RSMo.
- B. The presence on private property of one (1) or more junked motor vehicles or parts thereof contrary to the preceding Subsection is hereby declared to be a public nuisance which may be abated as such in accordance with the provisions of this Chapter. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1216.080, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 370.090: RESPONSIBILITY FOR REMOVAL**

Upon proper notice and an opportunity to be heard having been given, the owner of the junked motor vehicle or part thereof and the owner or occupant of the real property whereon the junked motor vehicle or part thereof is situated shall be jointly and individually liable for the vehicle's removal. In the event of removal or disposition, or both, by the County, the owner of the junked motor vehicle and the owner or occupant of the private property where same is located shall be jointly and individually liable for the expenses incurred. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1216.090, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 370.100: NOTICE PROCEDURE**

- A. The Superintendent shall give notice of removal to the owner of the vehicle, if ascertainable, and to the owner or occupant of the private property where it is located at least five (5) days before the time set for compliance. Any such interested party may file a written request for hearing within the five (5) day period.
- B. It shall constitute sufficient notice for a copy of the notice to be left at the residence of the occupant, if any, of the private property on which the vehicle is located, a copy placed on the vehicle, and a copy sent by certified mail or certificate of mailing to the owner of the vehicle, if ascertainable, and to the owner of the private property at the owner's last known address according to the Assessor's rolls of St. Louis County.
- C. The notice shall provide the following information:
  - 1. Cite the violation of this Section;
  - 2. Order the removal of the vehicle within the five (5) day period;
  - 3. State that there is a right to a hearing; and
  - 4. Advise that upon failure to comply with the notice to remove, the County shall undertake such removal with the cost of removal to be levied against the owner or occupant of the real property upon which the vehicle is situated, or the owner of the vehicle. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1216.100, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 370.110: REMOVAL OF JUNKED MOTOR VEHICLE FROM PRIVATE PROPERTY**

- A. The Superintendent shall have the right to enter upon private property to take possession of the junked motor vehicle and remove it from the premises if the violation has not been remedied within the five (5) day compliance period. Provided however, the timely request for a hearing shall stay the compliance period until such time as the Superintendent has entered a decision, and for such additional period of time as shall be allotted by the Superintendent if abatement is ordered.
- B. It shall be unlawful for any person to interfere with, hinder or refuse to allow the Superintendent or the Superintendent's designee to enter upon private property for the purpose of removing a vehicle in accordance with this Chapter.
- C. Within seventy-two (72) hours of the removal of the junked motor vehicle from private property, the Superintendent shall give notice to the Director of Revenue of the State of Missouri, the registered owner of the vehicle, if ascertainable, and to the owner and occupant, if any, of the private property from which the vehicle was removed, that said vehicle or vehicles have been impounded and stored for violation of this Chapter. The notice shall describe the vehicle, give the location where the vehicle is stored, and state that the owner will be charged with the cost of removal and storage. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1216.110, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 370.120: PROCEDURE FOR HEARING**

- A. The registered owner of a vehicle towed in accordance with Section 370.030 or such owner's duly authorized agent, or the owner of a vehicle notified to remove the vehicle under the provisions of Section 370.030 or such owner's duly authorized agent, and the owner or occupant of private property on which a junked motor vehicle or part thereof is situated may file in the office of the Superintendent a written request for a hearing. The request must be filed within the period of compliance, or in the event of an emergency tow the owner must file a request within seven (7) days after notification of the tow in accordance with Section 370.040.
- B. The hearing shall be held within twenty-four (24) hours of the hearing request before the Superintendent. Formal rules of evidence shall not apply; however, the parties shall have the right to present evidence, confront and cross-examine witnesses, and receive a written decision based upon the facts adduced at the hearing.
- C. A public hearing shall be held by the Superintendent to determine the following:
  - 1. The question of the existence of circumstances warranting an emergency tow in accordance with Section 370.030; or
  - 2. The question as to whether there are reasonable grounds to believe that an ordinance or statute is violated by the position of the motor vehicle or junked motor vehicle.
- D. If the Superintendent is satisfied that there are reasonable grounds to believe that a violation exists, the Superintendent shall order the vehicle's removal. The Superintendent may impose such conditions and take such other action as deemed appropriate under the circumstances to carry out the purpose of this Chapter, and may delay the time for the removal of the motor vehicle or junked motor vehicle, if, in the Superintendent's opinion, the circumstances justify it. In the alternative, the Superintendent shall enter an order allowing such vehicle to remain if the Superintendent finds no violation or nuisance. The costs of removal, storage and advertising expenses, if any, shall be charged against the County or the owner of the vehicle or private property as deemed appropriate by the Superintendent. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1216.120, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 370.130: METHOD OF REMOVAL AND DISPOSITION OF VEHICLES AND PROPERTY**

- A. The St. Louis County Department of Police may remove or cause to be removed any motor vehicle or junked motor vehicle in accordance with the provisions of this Chapter by requesting such services of a garage, towing operation or auto repair shop under contract with St. Louis County for towing services. Such vehicles shall be placed in a garage, towing service facility, auto repair shop or other place designated or maintained by the Department.
- B. In the event that the vehicle has not been redeemed by the owner within ninety (90) days of impoundment, the County shall cause the vehicle to be appraised.
- C. If the vehicle is appraised at seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) or less, the Superintendent shall execute and retain an affidavit so attesting and describing the vehicle, including the license

plate, if any, and stating the location and appraised value of the vehicle. The Superintendent may thereupon summarily dispose of the vehicle and execute a certificate of sale. If the appraised value of the vehicle is in excess of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00), the Superintendent shall give notice of public sale not less than ten (10) days before the date of the proposed sale in a newspaper of general

circulation published within St. Louis County, and by posting public notices for at least ten (10) days prior to the sale at the location where the vehicle is stored, the County Government Center, and at one (1) other public place.

D. The notice of sale shall state:

1. The sale is of unclaimed property in the possession of the County;
2. A description of the vehicle, including any identifying marks or numbers, the date it was found, make, model, license number and any other information which will identify the vehicle;
3. The terms of the sale; and
4. The place of the sale.

E. Personal property found within a vehicle shall be considered and treated as lost property.

F. The vehicle shall be sold to the highest and best bidder. At the time of payment of the purchase price, the Superintendent shall execute a certificate of sale in accordance with Section 301.210, RSMo., 1978, as amended, in duplicate, the original of which shall be given to the purchaser, and one (1) copy to be retained by the Superintendent. The Superintendent shall make available to the purchaser all documents necessary for the purchaser to apply to the Director of Revenue for issuance of a new certificate of title. Should the sale for any reason be invalid, the County's liability shall be limited to the return of the purchase price.

G. Any proceeds in excess of the expenses incurred by the County for the removal, storage, and sale of the vehicle shall be paid to the owner of the vehicle, if the name and address of the owner is ascertainable. In the event that the name and address of the owner cannot be determined, or in the event that the Department cannot locate the owner after a diligent search the vehicle shall be deemed abandoned and the excess proceeds shall be deposited to the General Revenue Fund of St. Louis County upon the expiration of a sixty (60) day period following the date of the sale. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1216.130, 11-21-85)

#### **SECTION 370.140: REDEMPTION OF IMPOUNDED VEHICLES**

The owner of any vehicle seized under the provisions of this Chapter may redeem the vehicle at any time during the normal business hours after the vehicle removal, but prior to the sale or destruction of the vehicle upon proof of ownership and payment to the Superintendent or the Superintendent's designee of such sum as may be determined and fixed by the Superintendent or Superintendent's designee for the actual and reasonable expense of removal, storage, and advertising expenses, if any. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1216.140, 11-21-85)

#### **SECTION 370.150: PENALTY**

Any person violating Sections 370.060, 370.080 and 370.110 of this Chapter shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be subject to a fine of not more than five

hundred dollars (\$500.00). Each act in violation of any of the provisions of this Chapter shall be deemed a separate offense. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1216.150, 11-21-85)

## CHAPTER 375: VEHICLE EQUIPMENT

### ARTICLE I. LIGHT REGULATIONS

#### SECTION 375.010: LIGHTS REQUIRED ON ALL VEHICLES

- A. No driver shall operate a motor vehicle on any highway, roadway or alleyway during the period from one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) hour after sunset to one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) hour before sunrise, unless the vehicle displays at least two (2) lighted lamps on the front, one on each side, having a light source of equal power, which project either white or yellow light.
- B. Every person driving a motor vehicle equipped with multiple-beam road lighting equipment, during the times when lighted lamps are required, shall use a distribution of light or composite beam, directed high enough and of sufficient intensity to reveal persons and vehicles at a safe distance in advance of the vehicle, subject to the following requirements and limitations: Whenever the driver of a vehicle approaches an oncoming vehicle within five hundred (500) feet, or is within three hundred (300) feet to the rear of another vehicle traveling in the same direction, the driver shall dim any high-beam lights operating at the time.
- C. No driver shall operate a motor vehicle except a motorcycle, on any highway, roadway or alleyway during the period from one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) hour after sunset to one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) hour before sunrise, unless the vehicle displays two (2) lighted lamps on the rear, which display a red light visible from the rear for a distance of at least five hundred (500) feet. The number plate must be illuminated for at least fifty (50) feet in the direction from which the vehicle is proceeding.
- D. Every motorcycle shall be equipped with at least one (1) and not more than two (2) approved headlights. Every motorcycle equipped with a sidecar or other attachment shall be equipped with a lamp on the outside limit of the attachment capable of displaying a white light to the front.
- E. Every motorcycle when operated on a highway or roadway shall carry at the rear, either as part of the rear lamp or separately, at least one (1) approved red reflector, which shall be of such size and characteristics and maintained as to be visible during the times when lighted lamps are required from all distances within three hundred (300) feet to fifty (50) feet from the vehicle when directly in front of a motor vehicle displaying lawful undimmed headlamps.
- F. Every passenger car, commercial motor vehicle, motor-drawn vehicle and omnibus with a capacity of more than six (6) passengers, when operated on a highway or roadway shall also carry at the rear at least two (2) approved red reflectors, at least one (1) at each side, so designed, mounted on the vehicle and maintained as to be visible during the times when lighted lamps are required from all distances within five hundred (500) to fifty (50) feet from the vehicle when directly in front of a motor vehicle displaying lawful undimmed headlamps. Every reflector shall meet the requirements of this Chapter and shall be mounted upon the vehicle at a height not to exceed sixty (60) inches nor less than fifteen (15) inches above the surface upon which the vehicle stands. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.020, 11-21-85)

#### SECTION 375.020: PERMITTED AND RESTRICTED USE OF LIGHT DISPLAYED



**BY  
VEHICLE MOUNTED LAMPS**

- A. Vehicle mounted lamps, when illuminated, shall display lights substantially white in color.  
Vehicle

mounted auxiliary lamps, cowl lamps and spot lamps, when illuminated shall display light substantially white, yellow or amber in color.

- B. No person shall drive or move any vehicle or equipment upon any highway, roadway, alleyway or other public way when displaying a flashing warning signal of any color light visible in any and all directions from the signal, no matter how such flashing signal is mechanically produced. This provision shall not apply to school buses, to motor vehicles when used to transport United States mail from post offices to boxes of addresses thereof, to authorized emergency vehicles, to vehicles specified in Section 305.010(4) of this Code, and to firemen using blue flashing lights in accordance with Section 307.175, RSMo., 1969. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.021, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 375.030: SPOT LAMPS**

No motor vehicle may be equipped with more than one (1) spot lamp. No spot lamp shall be aimed and used so as to be dazzling or glaring to any person. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.022, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 375.040: AUXILIARY LAMPS)NUMBER)LOCATION**

No motor vehicle may be equipped with more than three (3) auxiliary lamps mounted on the front at a height not less than twelve (12) inches nor more than forty-two (42) inches above the level surface upon which the vehicle stands. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.023, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 375.050: OTHER VEHICLES)HOW LIGHTED**

All vehicles, including agricultural machinery or implements, road machinery, road rollers, traction engines and farm tractors not in this Code specifically required to be equipped with lamps, shall be equipped during the times when lighted lamps are required with at least one (1) lighted lamp or lantern exhibiting a white light visible from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the front of such vehicle and with a lamp or lantern exhibiting a red light visible from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the rear, and such lamps and lanterns shall exhibit lights to the sides of such vehicle. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.024, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 375.060: LIMITATION ON TOTAL OF LAMPS LIGHTED AT ONE TIME**

Whenever a motor vehicle equipped with headlamps as this Chapter requires is also equipped with any auxiliary lamps or a spot lamp or any other lamp on the front of the vehicle projecting a beam of an intensity greater than three hundred (300) candle power, not more than a total of four (4) of any such lamps on the front of a vehicle shall be lighted at any one time when upon a roadway. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.025, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 375.070: LIGHTS FOR PARKED VEHICLES**

- A. Whenever a vehicle is lawfully parked upon a roadway during the hours between one-half (½) hour after sunset and one-half (½) hour before sunrise and in the event there is

sufficient light to reveal any person or object within a distance of five hundred (500) feet upon the roadway no lights need be displayed upon the parked vehicle.

- B. Whenever a vehicle is parked or stopped upon a roadway or shoulder adjacent to it, whether attended or unattended, during the hours between one-half (½) hour after sunset and one-half (½) hour before sunrise and there is not sufficient light to reveal any person or object within a distance of five hundred (500) feet upon the highway, a vehicle parked or stopped shall be equipped with one (1) or more lamps meeting the following requirements: At least one (1) lamp shall display a white or amber light visible from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the front of the vehicle, and the same lamp or at least one (1) other lamp shall display a red light visible from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the rear of the vehicle, and the location of the lamps shall always be such that at least one (1) lamp or combination of lamps meeting the requirements of this Section is installed as near as practicable to the side of the vehicle which is closest to passing traffic. This Section does not apply to a motorized bicycle. Any lighted headlamp upon a parked vehicle shall be depressed or dimmed. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.026, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 375.080: TAILLIGHT, HORSE-DRAWN VEHICLE) SPECIFICATIONS**

Any person who places or drives or causes to be placed or driven, upon or along any roadway any horse-driven vehicle whatsoever, whether in motion or at rest, shall after sunset to one-half (½) hour before sunrise have attached to every such vehicle at the rear a red taillight or a red reflecting device of not less than three (3) inches in diameter of effective area or its equivalent in area. When the device consists of reflecting buttons there shall be no less than seven (7) buttons covering an area equal to a circle with a three (3) inch diameter. The reflector shall be visible to the driver of any motor vehicle approaching such horse-drawn vehicle from the rear of a distance of not less than five hundred (500) feet. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.027, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 375.090: COWL, FENDER, RUNNING BOARD AND BACKUP LAMPS**

No motor vehicle may be equipped with more than two (2) side cowl or fender lamps. Such lamps shall emit a white or yellow light without glare. No motor vehicle may be equipped with more than one (1) running board courtesy lamp on each side of the vehicle. Such lamp shall emit a white or yellow light without glare. Any motor vehicle may be equipped with a backup lamp either separately or in combination with another lamp; except that no backup lamp shall be continuously lighted when the motor vehicle is in forward motion. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.030, 11-21-85)

**ARTICLE II. IN GENERAL**

**SECTION 375.100: MUFFLER CUTOUTS AND EXCESSIVE NOISE PROHIBITED**

- A. Muffler cutouts shall not be used upon any vehicle. The motors of all vehicles shall be fitted with properly attached mufflers of such capacity or construction as to quiet the maximum possible exhaust noise. Any cutout or opening in the exhaust pipe between the motor and the muffler on any motor vehicle shall be completely closed and disconnected from its operating lever, and shall be arranged so that it cannot automatically open or be opened or operated while the vehicle is in motion.
- B. No person shall drive a vehicle in a manner or condition such that excessive and

unnecessary noises are made by its machinery, motor, signaling device, tires, or other parts, or by any improperly loaded cargo. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.010, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 375.110: OTHER EQUIPMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES**

- A. *Brakes.* All motor vehicles except motorcycles shall be provided at all times with two (2) sets of adequate brakes. Motorcycles shall be provided with one (1) set of adequate brakes kept in good working order.
- B. *Mirrors.* All motor vehicles which are constructed or loaded so that the operator cannot see the road behind the vehicle by looking back or around the side of the vehicle shall be equipped with a mirror adjusted so as to reveal the road behind and be visible from the operator's seat.
- C. *Projections On Vehicles.* All vehicles carrying poles or other objects which project more than five (5) feet from the rear of the vehicle shall display a red flag or red cloth not less than sixteen (16) inches square at the end of the projections. During periods in which lights are required by this Chapter, vehicles carrying such projection shall carry a red light at or near the end of the projection.
- D. *Towlines.* When one (1) vehicle is being towed by another they shall be coupled by a line so that the two (2) vehicles will be separated by not more than fifteen (15) feet. There shall be displayed on the towline a white cloth or other material white in color that is clearly visible to other users of the highway or roadway. During the time lights are required by this Chapter the required lights shall be displayed by both vehicles. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.040, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 375.120: STUDED TIRES PROHIBITED**

No person shall operate any motor vehicle upon any highway or roadway between the first (1st) day of April and the first (1st) day of November while the motor vehicle is equipped with tires containing metal or carbide studs. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.050, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 375.130: RESTRICTION ON USE OF METAL-TIRED VEHICLES**

- A. No metal-tired vehicles shall be operated over any improved highway or roadway, except over highways or roadways constructed of gravel or claybound gravel, if the vehicle has on the periphery of any of the road wheels any lug, flange, cleat, ridge, bolt, or any projection of metal or wood which projects readily beyond the tread or traffic surface of the tire, unless the roadway is protected by putting down solid planks or other suitable material, or by attachment to the wheels so as to prevent such vehicles from damaging the highway or roadway. This prohibition shall not apply to tractors or traction engines equipped with caterpillar treads, when the caterpillar does not contain any projection of any kind likely to injure the surface of the roadway. Tractors, traction engines and similar vehicles may be operated which have upon their road wheels "V" shaped, diagonal, or other cleats arranged in a manner as to be continuously in contact with the road surface if the gross weight on the wheels per inch of width of such cleats or road surface does not exceed eight hundred (800) pounds when measured in the direction of the axle of the vehicle.
- B. No tractor, tractor engine, or other metal-tired vehicle weighing more than four (4) tons including the weight of the vehicle and its load, shall drive onto, upon, or over the edge of any improved roadway without protecting the edge by putting down solid plans or other suitable material to prevent the vehicle from breaking off the edges of the pavement.

- C. Any person violating this Section, whether operating with or without a permit, or who shall wilfully or negligently damage a highway or roadway, shall be liable for the amount of the damage caused to any highway, roadway, bridge, culvert, or sewer, and any vehicle causing such damage shall be

subject to a lien for the full amount of the damage. The lien shall not be superior to any duly recorded or filed chattel mortgage or any other lien previously attached to the vehicle. The amount of the damage may be recovered in any action in any court of competent jurisdiction, in the name of the County or other interested party. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.051, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 375.140:                   HORNS REQUIRED, OTHER NOISE-MAKING DEVICES PROHIBITED**

- A. Every motor vehicle shall be equipped with a horn adequate for warning of the approach of the vehicle to users of the highway, roadway or alleyway and to pedestrians.
- B. No person shall drive a motor vehicle to which is attached a gong, bell, whistle or siren, or activate such device while the motor vehicle is on a roadway.
- C. This Section does not apply to authorized emergency vehicles. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.060, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 375.150:                   VEHICLES REQUIRED TO HAVE MUDFLAPS**

No person shall operate a vehicle without rear fenders upon any highway, roadway, or alleyway which is not equipped with mudflaps for the rear wheels. When mudflaps are used, they shall be wide enough to cover the full tread width of the tire or tires being protected, shall be installed so that they extend from the underside of the vehicle body in a vertical plane behind the rear wheels to within eight (8) inches of the ground, and shall be constructed of rigid material or a flexible material which is of a sufficient rigid character to provide adequate protection when the vehicle is in motion. No provision of this Section shall apply to a motor vehicle in transit and in the process of delivery equipped with temporary mudflaps. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.070, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 375.160:                   ALTERING MOTOR VEHICLES BY RAISING FRONT OR REAR OF VEHICLE PROHIBITED**

No person shall operate any motor vehicle upon any highway, roadway or alleyway when the body has been altered in such a manner that the front or rear of the vehicle is raised at an angle so as to obstruct the vision of the operator to the front or to the rear of the vehicle. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.080, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 375.170:                   PASSENGER RESTRAINT SYSTEM REQUIRED FOR CHILDREN UNDER FOUR YEARS OF AGE) EXCEPTION**

- A. Every person transporting a child under the age of four (4) years shall be responsible, when transporting such child in a motor vehicle operated by that person, for providing for the protection of the child. When traveling in the front seat of a motor vehicle the child shall be protected by a child passenger restraint system approved by the Missouri Department of Public Safety. When traveling in the rear seat the child shall be protected by either a child



passenger restraint system approved by the Missouri Department of Public Safety or the vehicle's seat belt. When the number of child passengers exceeds the number of available passenger positions, and all passenger positions are in use, remaining children shall be transported in the rear seat of the motor vehicle.

- B. Any person who violates this Section may upon conviction be fined not more than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) and court costs.
- C. This Section does not apply to any public carrier for hire. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.090, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 375.180:                    VEHICLES WITH OBSTRUCTED VISION**

No person shall operate a motor vehicle unless the operator has a clear vision of all parts of the roadway essential to the safe operation of the vehicle unobstructed by the vehicle's load, modifications to the vehicle, accumulation on the windshield or other windows of snow, mud, or other material, or any other cause. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1217.100, 11-21-85)

## **CHAPTER 380: REGULATIONS FOR BICYCLES**

### **SECTION 380.010: SCOPE OF REGULATIONS**

- A. It is a misdemeanor for any person to do any act forbidden or fail to perform any act required in this Chapter.
- B. These regulations applicable to bicycles apply whenever a bicycle is operated upon any highway, roadway or alleyway or upon any path set aside for the exclusive use of bicycles subject to those exceptions stated by this Chapter. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1210.010, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 380.020: TRAFFIC LAWS TO APPLY**

Every person riding a bicycle upon a highway, roadway or alleyway is granted all of the rights and is subject to all of the duties applicable to the driver of a vehicle by the laws of this State declaring rules of the road applicable to the driver of a vehicle, except as to special regulations in this Chapter and except as to those provisions of laws and ordinances which by their nature can have no application. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1210.020, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 380.030: OBEDIENCE TO TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES**

- A. Any person operating a bicycle shall obey the instructions of official traffic control devices applicable to vehicles, unless otherwise directed by a Law Enforcement Officer.
- B. Whenever authorized signs are erected indicating that no right or left or "U" turn is permitted, no person operating a bicycle shall disobey the direction of any such sign. Where such person dismounts from the bicycle to make any such turn, the person shall then obey the regulations applicable to pedestrians. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1210.030, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 380.040: RIDING ON BICYCLES**

- A. A person propelling a bicycle shall not ride on a seat other than a permanent and regularly attached seat.
- B. No bicycle shall be used to carry more persons at one time than the number for which it is designed and equipped. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1210.040, 11-21-85)

### **SECTION 380.050: RIDING ON HIGHWAYS, ROADWAYS, ALLEYWAYS AND BICYCLE PATHS**

- A. Every person operating a bicycle upon a highway, roadway or alleyway shall ride as near to the right side of the highway, roadway or alleyway as practicable and shall exercise due care when passing a standing vehicle or one proceeding in the same direction.

- B. Persons riding bicycles upon a road shall not ride more than two (2) abreast except on paths or parts of roads set aside for the exclusive use of bicycles.

- C. Wherever a usable path for bicycles has been provided adjacent to a roadway, bicycle riders shall use the path and shall not use the roadway. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1210.050, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 380.060:                    SPEED**

No person shall operate a bicycle at a speed greater than is reasonable and prudent under the existing conditions nor shall the bicycle rider exceed the legal speed limit for the roadway while riding upon the roadway. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1210.060, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 380.070:                    EMERGING FROM ALLEYWAY, PRIVATE ROADWAY OR DRIVEWAY**

The operator of a bicycle emerging from an alleyway, private roadway, driveway or building shall, upon approaching a sidewalk or the sidewalk area yield the right-of-way to all pedestrians approaching on the sidewalk or sidewalk area. Upon entering the highway or roadway, the operator shall yield the right-of-way to all vehicles approaching on the highway or roadway. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1210.070, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 380.080:                    CARRYING ARTICLES**

No person operating a bicycle shall carry any package, bundle or article which prevents the rider from keeping at least one (1) hand upon the handle bars. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1210.080, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 380.090:                    PARKING**

No person shall park a bicycle upon a highway, roadway, or sidewalk in such a manner as to obstruct vehicular or pedestrian traffic. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1210.090, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 380.100:                    LAMPS AND OTHER EQUIPMENT ON BICYCLES**

- A. Every bicycle when in use at nighttime shall be equipped with and shall use a lamp on the front which emits a white light visible from a distance of at least five hundred (500) feet to the front and with a red reflector on the rear of a type which is visible from all directions from fifty (50) feet to three hundred (300) feet to the rear when directly in front of lawful upper beams of headlamps on a motor vehicle. A lamp emitting a red light visible from a distance of five hundred (500) feet to the rear may be used in addition to the red reflector.
- B. Every bicycle shall be equipped with a brake which will enable the operator to make the braked wheel skid on dry, level, clean pavement. (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1210.100, 11-21-85)

**SECTION 380.110:                    PENALTIES**

Every person convicted of a violation of any provision of this Chapter shall be punished by

a fine of not more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00). (County Ord. No. 12.347 §1210.110, 11-21-85)

## **CHAPTER 385: VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES**

### **SECTION 385.010: PENALTY**

Except as otherwise provided, every person who shall be convicted of a violation under the provisions of this Title (Traffic Code), shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500.00). (Ord. No. 88 §2 Ch. XIII(1), 7-11-85)





## SCHEDULE I. TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES

In accordance with Chapter 315, traffic control devices have been installed at the following locations:

<b><i>Street</i></b>	<b><i>Location</i></b>
Weber Road Avenue	At Kathleen Avenue and Dana

(Ord. No. 88 §2, 7-11-85)



## **SCHEDULE II. SPEED LIMITS**

No person shall operate a motor vehicle or any type vehicle at a speed in excess of twenty (20) miles per hour on any street in the Village, unless signs are posted designating another speed limit.



### **SCHEDULE III. STOP SIGNS**

In accordance with the provisions of Section 335.030, and when signs are erected giving notice thereof, drivers shall come to a complete stop at the following intersections:

Rosemary Avenue at Weber Road (Southbound on Rosemary)  
Kathleen Avenue at Weber Road (Southbound on Kathleen)  
Philo Avenue at Weber Road (Southbound on Philo)  
South Virgil at Philo Avenue (3-way Stop; Northbound on Philo and Eastbound and  
Westbound on S. Virgil)  
Wayne Drive at Weber Road (Northbound on Wayne)  
Overton Drive at Weber Road (Northbound on Overton)  
Autumn Drive at Overton Drive (Westbound on Autumn)

(Ord. No. 88 §2, 7-11-85; Ord. No. WPC-98-01 §1, 2-17-98)



### SCHEDULE IV. PARKING RESTRICTIONS

The following locations shall have parking restrictions as listed when properly signposted:

<b>Street</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Restrictions</b>
Hershey Drive Circle Hershey	No parking at any time Drive and the North Lot Line of 4805 Hershey Drive.	East Lot Line of 4800

South Virgil Avenue posted.		As
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(Ord. No. 88 §2, 7-11-85)





## SCHEDULE V. PROHIBITED PARKING

- A. The following vehicles are permitted to park on the streets of the Village of Wilbur Park at any time of the day or night.

### ***Locations***

The streets of the Village of Wilbur Park include Wayne Drive, Overton Drive, Autumn Drive, Hershey Drive, south side of Weber Road within the boundaries of Wilbur Park, Rosemary Avenue from Weber Road to South Virgil, South Virgil to Philo Avenue, Kathleen Avenue from Weber Road to South Virgil, South Virgil to Philo Avenue, Philo Avenue from Weber Road to the Village limits.

### ***Allowed Vehicles***

Non-commercial Cars  
Passenger Vans  
Minivans  
Sport Utility Vehicles  
Four-Wheel Trucks licensed at 6,000 lbs or less equipped with standard size tires with either empty or covered beds, are allowed.

All other vehicles are prohibited. Prohibited vehicles include, but are not limited to, commercial vehicles, trailers, recreational vehicles, campers, motor buses and any other vehicle not specifically allowed.

- B. *Definitions.*

1. A *commercial vehicle* is one designed or regularly used for carrying freight, merchandise, supplies, tools or equipment, or used as a taxi.
2. A *motor bus* is a vehicle designed or regularly used for carrying more than nine passengers.

- C. The only exceptions are as follows:

1. A delivery truck making a delivery to a Village home - 30 minute limit.
2. A contractor's truck parked while performing their services for a Village residence during regular working hours - working hours being defined as 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Monday through Saturday.
3. Authorized emergency vehicles as per Section 310.060 of this Code.

- D. The fine under this Schedule for illegal parking of a vehicle is as follows:

\$10.00 plus Court cost for the first (1st) offense.  
\$20.00 plus Court cost for the second (2nd) offense.  
Each succeeding offense will double the fine of the preceding offense.

(Ord. No. 88 §2, 7-11-85)

