ORDINANCE



## AN ORDINANCE REGULATING PARKING DURING HEAVY SNOWFALL, HEREBY REPEALING AND REPLACING ORDINANCE NO. 325 AS PASSED ON JANUARY 27, 1977, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of Tuscarawas, Ohio has reviewed issues involving the regulation of parking on streets and roadways within the Village of Tuscarawas, Ohio during periods of heavy snowfall, and the Council of the Village of Tuscarawas, Ohio have determined it necessary to amend and repeal Ordinance No. 325; and therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF TUSCARAWAS, OHIO AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That in order to facilitate the movement of traffic and to combat the hazards of excessive snow and ice on streets or portions of streets named in Section 4 of this Ordinance, the Mayor of the Village of Tuscarawas, Ohio, in his/her discretion, may declare an emergency due to such hazards.

SECTION 2. That after such emergency has been declared, or after a 3 inch (3") snowfall has occurred, it shall be unlawful during the period of the emergency for any person to park or cause or permit to remain parked his/her automobile or truck on those streets or portions thereof named in Section 4 hereof.

SECTION 3. That any motor vehicle found parked on those streets or portions thereof named in Section 4 hereof during the time of such emergency shall be removed at the order of the Mayor of the Village of Tuscarawas, Ohio or any Police Officer of the Village of Tuscarawas, Ohio and shall subject the owner or operator to the fines provided herein.

SECTION 4.

That the streets or portions thereof where parking is prohibited after an emergency has been declared or after a 3 inch (3") snowfall has occurred are the following:

- 1. Main Avenue East side of street
- 2. Cherry Street both sides of street
- 3. School Street North side of street
- 4. Church Street North side of street
- 5. East Avenue both sides of street
- 6. Maple Street both sides of street

**SECTION 5.** 

The owner or operator of any vehicle found parked on any streets named in Section 4 above of this Ordinance during an emergency as declared by the Mayor of the Village of Tuscarawas, Ohio, or after a 3 inch (3") snowfall has occurred shall be guilty of a minor misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined not less than Twenty Five Dollars (\$25.00) nor more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00).

SECTION 6. Ordinance No. 325, as passed by the Council of the Village of Tuscarawas, Ohio on January 27, 1977, is hereby repealed and abolished.

SECTION 7.

This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the health, safety and welfare of the Village of Tuscarawas, Ohio and its inhabitants and, therefore, this Ordinance shall go into immediate operation and effect.

Passed:

December 8, 2011

John Decker, Mayor

ATTEST: Kim Lyons, Fiscal Officer James J. Ong, Solicitor