

CITY OF KINGSLEY, KENTUCKY
ORDINANCE NO. 5, SERIES 2013

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING PARKING IN THE CITY OF KINGSLEY
AND PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Kingsley, Kentucky, have the authority to enact Ordinances relating to the City pursuant to KRS 82.082, and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Commissioners desire to consolidate existing parking ordinances and to establish new regulations regarding the parking of vehicles within the City limits,

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City of Kingsley that:

SECTION 1. REPEAL OF PRIOR ORDINANCES

1.1 The City Commission of the City of Kingsley does hereby repeal the following ordinances:

- (1) Ordinance #2, Series 1965; Ordinance #3, Series 1985; Ordinance #5, Series 1989

SECTION 2. DEFINITIONS

2.1 For purposes of this ordinance, the following definitions shall apply unless the context clearly indicates or requires a different meaning:

- (1) *Abandoned Motor Vehicle* means any motor vehicle, in operating condition or otherwise, left in one location on public property for a continuous period of more than seventy-two hours.
- (2) *Alley* means a street or way within a block set apart for public use, vehicular travel, and local convenience to provide access to the rear or side of abutting lots or buildings.
- (3) *Inoperable Motor Vehicle* means any motor vehicle that does not have a current license plate or that is inoperable due to being wrecked or having essential parts missing.
- (4) *Motor Vehicle* means any vehicle or device which is propelled otherwise than by muscular power [see KRS186.010 Definitions (4)].
- (5) *Parking* means, when prohibited, the stopping of a vehicle, other than as required when arriving to a stop sign, whether occupied or not, other than briefly for the purpose of and while engaged in the loading or unloading of passengers or cargo.

SECTION 3. PARKING RESTRICTIONS

3.1 The following acts and conditions are declared to be unlawful:

- (1) Leaving a motor vehicle unattended without the engine being stopped, the ignition being locked, and the key being removed from the ignition; this subsection does not apply to commercial delivery vehicles;
- (2) Parking a motor vehicle at any place on a public roadway where a traffic control sign prohibits parking;
- (3) Parking a motor vehicle for the principal purpose of displaying such vehicle for sale or displaying advertising;
- (4) Parking a motor vehicle for the principal purpose of repairing or performing maintenance on such vehicle, except for repairs necessitated by an emergency;
- (5) Leaving an abandoned motor vehicle or an inoperable motor vehicle on any public roadway for a continuous period of more than seventy-two hours;
- (6) Parking any part of a motor vehicle on any part of an easement (specifically, the grass plot which exists between the edge of the roadway and either the edge of the sidewalk or, in the absence of a sidewalk, the edge of the property line as defined by the legal description of the property);
- (7) Parking a motor vehicle in such a way as to impede pedestrian mobility on a public sidewalk;
- (8) Parking a motor vehicle in a direction other than that in which the normal traffic flows;
- (9) Parking a motor vehicle in a front yard, other than on a paved driveway;
- (10) Parking a motor vehicle on any lot that has not been developed;
- (11) Parking a motor vehicle in the alley that is south of and runs parallel to Taylorsville Road behind the commercial properties of 2702–2720 Taylorsville Road;
- (12) Leaving a motor vehicle for any length of time in a designated fire lane; (See: City of Kingsley Ordinance #2, Series 1978 that establishes and identifies fire lanes);

SECTION 4. PENALTIES

4.1 Any person, firm, or corporation found to be in violation of any provision of this ordinance shall be cited and fined per the following schedule:

- (1) Each occurrence of a violation of this ordinance shall constitute a civil violation and a separate offense, and each and every offense is punishable by:
 - (a) A fine of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00);
- (2) The notice of fine shall be served in writing via U.S. mail, or may be personally served upon the owner of the vehicle of which illegal use the violation was caused to occur. Such notice shall describe the violation, advise the amount of the fine, and demand payment within 30 days of date of notice.
- (3) All attorney's fees and/or costs incurred in the enforcement of this ordinance shall be the responsibility of the violator.

This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and publication.

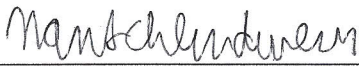
First reading: November 7, 2013 Second reading: December 5, 2013

Passed and approved this the 5th day of December, 2013



Rebecca Beld, Mayor, City of Kingsley

Attest:



Nan Schlindwein, City Clerk, City of Kingsley