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Town of Cheswold
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State of Delaware
1787

TITLE #: 29
Ordinance #: 11-14-19-057

Date: November 14, 2019

ORDINANCE
for
NO PARKING REGULATIONS
During SNOW EVENTS

Description This Ordinance shall be known as the No Parking Ordinance and is designed to provide guidelines and requirements for the timely and environmentally safe removal of snow from Town owned streets during snow events. It also provides for associated violations and penalties.

Section 1 – PURPOSE The purpose of this Ordinance is to document the procedures for the immediate removal of vehicles from Town owned streets upon notice from the United States Weather Bureau of a snow event of sleet or snowfall, **which will require the removal of such elements from Town owned streets.**

Section 2 – AUTHORITY TO ACT

Section 4.2.25 of the Town Charter of the Town of Cheswold provides the Town Council with the authority to preserve the health, peace, safety, cleanliness, ornament and good order and public welfare of the Town and its residents and visitors.

Section 3- NOTICE TO REMOVE

Upon firm notice of imminent precipitation of sleet or snowfall, the Town Administrator/Manager or duly authorized agent shall issue an alert to the Director of Public Works to prepare for snow removal on all Town owned streets.

The office of Public Works will ensure that a notice of a snow event is posted to the Town website at www.cheswold.delaware.gov and the posting shall include a notice to remove all vehicles of all types from Town owned streets to prepare for the safe and efficient of sleet and/or snow.

Such notice will also be posted to the Town of Cheswold Bulletin Board; Facebook Page and all public locations where public notices are normally and usually posted. Additionally, traffic signs shall be installed on Town streets notifying all motorists on affected streets of the requirements to remove vehicles during sleet and/or snow events.

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Section 4 – IMMEDIATE REMOVAL OF VEHICLES

After a snow event has been posted to the Town website, vehicle owners shall have one hour after the commencement of the snow event to remove their vehicle from the Town owned street. Vehicles shall remain off Town owned streets until the conclusion of the snow event and the snow removal from the street. Failure to remove a vehicle shall result in a fine as defined in Section 5 of this Ordinance.

Section 5 – VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES

Any person(s), firm(s), association(s) or corporation(s) who allow or permit any violation of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be subject to a fine of \$50.00 for the first offense and \$100 for any subsequent offenses.

For the purpose of this Section, each day that the vehicle other obstruction is not removed, as set forth, shall constitute a separate offense.

Section 6 - EFFECTIVE DATE

This ordinance and the rules, regulations, provisions, requirements, orders, administration and management and matters established and adopted hereby shall take effect and be in full force and effective, **on TBD** from and after the date of its final passage and adoption.

Ordinance No. 11-14-19-057, entitled, PARKING REGULATIONS during SNOW EVENTS, was was posted for Public Notice on January 14, 2020 and presented for public comment at a Public Hearing meeting, held at 6:00 p.m., on Monday, February 3, 2020, at the Town Hall of the Town of Cheswold, 691 Main Street, Cheswold, Delaware, 19936.

I, Robert W. Sine, Mayor of the Town of Cheswold, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Ordinance passed by affirmative vote of all elected Members of the Cheswold Town Council at a regularly scheduled Town Council Meeting, held at 7:00 pm on, **Monday, February 3, 2020, at the Town Hall of the Town of Cheswold, 691 Main Street, Cheswold, Delaware, 19936** at which a quorum was present and voting throughout, and that the same is still in force and effect.

Certified: _____
Mayor Robert W. Sine

Date: _____, 2019

ATTEST: _____
Secretary/Treasurer Theon E. Callender

Date: _____, 2019

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Agreed: _____
Vice-Mayor Larence Kirby

Date: 2019

Agreed: _____
Councilperson Judith Johnson

Date: , 2019

Agreed: _____
Councilperson Santo Faronea

Date: , 2019

Agreed: _____
Councilperson Mark Moxley

Date: , 2019

NOTARIZED: _____
Town Clerk Shadina Jones

Date: , 2019

Sponsored by: Matt Maugle– Maintenance Technician
Co-Sponsor: Sam Callender – Town Administrator

Introduction: August 13, 2019

READINGS & REVIEWS:

Initial Council Review

November 22, 2019

Added “which will require the removal of such elements from Town owned streets’, to the end of Section 1 – PURPOSE.

2nd Council Review

December 2, 2019

Inserted “Such notice will also be posted to the Town of Cheswold Bulletin Board; Facebook Page and all public locations where public notices are normally and usually posted. Additionally, traffic signs shall be installed on Town streets notifying all motorists on affected streets of the requirements to remove vehicles during sleet and/or snow events.”, at the end of Section 4 – NOTICE TO REMOVE.

3rd Council Review
Public Hearing

January 6, 2020
February 3, 2020

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