## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY CITY OF TAYLORSVILLE

### **ORDINANCE NO. 421**

# AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING TRAFFIC REGULATIONS WITHIN THE CITY OF TAYLORSVILLE

WHEREAS, the City Commissioners for the City of Taylorsville, in order to promote the health, the safety and the welfare of the public within the City of Taylorsville,

THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF TAYLORSVILLE AS FOLLOWS:

The CITY HEREIN Enacts this Ordinance which shall be cited as the City's Traffic Regulating Ordinance, which establishes the following Traffic Regulations within the City of Taylorsville.

## A. PARKING VIOLATIONS

- It shall be unlawful for any owner and/or operator of any motor vehicle, to park or to allow said vehicle to stop, to parked, to stand and/or to remain in any area which has been posted, by the City, as a no parking, no stopping area and/or zone;
- 2. It shall be unlawful for any owner and/or operator of any motor vehicle, to park and/or to allow said vehicle to be parked, to stand and/or to remain for any period of time in excess of the period of time which may be set forth in any sign posted, by the City, as to any space, area and/or zone, which limits the amount of time a vehicle(s) may be permitted to park, to stand and/or to remain in a parking space, zone and/or area, as so designated by the City;

## **B. MOVING VIOLATIONS**

## 1. Speeding

It shall be unlawful for any owner and/ or operator of any motor vehicle, to operate and/or to allow said vehicle to be operated so as to exceed the allowed speed limited which may be posted, by the City, for any City Street(s) and/or alley(s) with in the City;

# 2. Failing to Comply with Traffic Control Devices

It shall be unlawful for any owner and/or operator of a motor vehicle, to fail to observe, and/or to comply with any traffic control device(s) place or installed to control motor vehicle traffic in the City such as: stop signs, speed limit signs, yield signs, electric traffic control lights or devices.

## C. <u>IMPOUNDING VECHICLE</u>

The City, at its discretion, may impound any vehicle which the City determines is in violation any provision of this Ordinance, until the violation issues is resolved, and the City may have the vehicle removed by towing or other means, without notice to the owner or to the operator, and kept in an appropriate area chosen by the City for which the violator shall be liable for all cost related to the removal and storage of the vehicle.

## D. OTHER TRAFFIC REGULATIONS

 These Regulations are in addition to any other regulations and/or laws which other agencies may have established relating to motor vehicles within the City, such as the Taylorsville-Spencer County Joint Planning and Zoning Commission.

### E. <u>DEFINITIONS</u>

- Vehicle shall include, but not limited, to farm tractors and farm motorizes equipment; motorized trailers of any type; automobiles, trucks, motorcycles, RVs, mopeds, golfcarts, motorized scooters, all-terrain vehicles, etc.
- 2. Streets and alleys mean any thoroughfare and its right of way, over which the City has authority to regulate vehicular traffic or otherwise owns, controls, operates and/or maintains by the City of Taylorsville, on which a motor vehicle can be operated, including subdivisions' streets.

## F. PENALTIES

1. Pursuant to the authority of KRS 83A.065(2), any person, owner and/or operator of a motor vehicle, who violates or allows to be violated of any provision of this Ordinance, may be cited to the Spencer District Court and upon conviction, shall be guilty of a Violation and, in accordance with KRS 534.040(2)(c), shall pay a fine not to exceed \$250.00 for each violation;

- 2. In accordance with KRS 83A.065(6), each day a violation of any provision of the Ordinance continues, shall be a separate and distinct offence;
- 3. In addition to the above, the violator shall be liable for all cost related to the violation, such as the removal and storage cost of the vehicle, court cost, reasonable attorney fees which the City may incurred concerning the violation(s);
- 4. Any and all fines, forfeitures and/or cost related to the violation shall incur to the benefit of the City and shall be paid to the City of Taylorsville and deposited in the City's General Fund.

# G. REPEAL OF OTHER ORDINANCES

1. Any Ordinance inconsistent with this Ordinance is hereby repealed, particularly Ordinance # 110 regulating parking.

Enacted this the 15th day of February 2022.

CITY OF TAYLORSVILLE BY:

ATTESTED BY:

MATT DOUGLAS MAYOR

STEVE BIVEN, CITY CLERK

First Reading

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