AKRON BOROUGH
LANCASTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-001

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 15 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE, MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC, SECTION 15-605 OVERNIGHT PARKING

IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF AKRON BOROUGH AS FOLLOWS:

Background: Borough Council of Akron Borough has determined that the current Ordinance pertaining to overnight parking in the Borough needs to be updated and amended to ensure the health, safety and welfare of the Borough.

NOW THEREFORE, it is hereby ordained and enacted by the Borough Council of Akron Borough, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, as follows:

1. The Municipal Code of Akron Borough Chapter 15, Motor Vehicles and Traffic, Section 15-6-05, is hereby amended to delete paragraph 1 and 2, which are replaced with the following:

   1. No commercial vehicle as defined by this section shall park on any street, highway, or alley of the Borough of Akron between the hours of 10:00 pm and 7:00 am. The term "commercial vehicle" is defined as any self-propelled or drawn vehicle which has a gross registered weight in excess of 17,000 pounds.

   2. No recreational vehicle as defined in this section shall park on any street, highway or alley of the Borough of Akron between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m., unless the owner thereof has, in advance acquired a permit from the Chief of Police. The term "recreational vehicle" is defined as a camper, boat and trailer, house trailer, motor home, recreational trailer.

   3. No house trailer, camper trailer, boat trailer, boat, trailer or any other nonmotorized vehicle shall be allowed to remain parked unattached to a vehicle for more than two hours on any street, highway, or alley, in the Borough of Akron. Any unattached trailer must chock the tires.

2. Section 15-605 is further amended to change existing paragraphs 3 and 4 to paragraphs 4 and 5.

3. In the event any provision, section, sentence, clause, or part of this Ordinance shall be held to be invalid, illegal or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity, illegality or unconstitutionality shall not effect or impair the remaining provisions, sections, sentences, clauses, or parts of this Ordinance. It is the intent of Borough Council that the remainder of the Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

4. This Ordinance shall take effect upon approval by the Mayor after its enactment by Borough Council of Akron Borough, or as otherwise provided by law.

DULY ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 23rd day of January, 2023 by the Borough Council of Akron Borough in a public session of the said Council, duly assembled.

ATTEST:

Akron Borough
Lancaster County, Pennsylvania

Council President (Vice)

Akron Borough
Lancaster County, Pennsylvania

DATE: 1/23/2023

Mayor