

**AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING CARS OR OTHER VEHICLES IN CERTAIN AREAS OF THE VILLAGE PARK**

**Whereas**, the village of Higginsport has provided a designated parking area for persons using the Higginsport village park;

**Whereas**, the village of Higginsport wishes to clarify certain prohibitions with respect to the presence of vehicles in the Higginsport village park;

**Whereas**, such prohibitions with respect to vehicles are necessary for the protection of public property and the safety of persons using the Higginsport village park;

**NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Council of the Village of Higginsport, Brown County, Ohio that:**

**Section 1:** No unauthorized motorized vehicle shall be allowed AT ANY TIME to be in any area of the Higginsport village park other than the designated parking area.

**Section 2:** The presence of an unauthorized motorized vehicle in any area of the park other than the designated parking area is prima facie evidence that such unauthorized motorized vehicle is in violation of Section 1 hereof.

**Section 3:** The driver of any unauthorized motorized vehicle found to be in violation of Section 1 hereof is guilty of a misdemeanor of the fourth degree. The maximum monetary penalty for such violation is \$250.00.

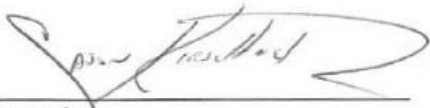
**Section 4:** The driver of any vehicle found to be to be in violation of Section 1 hereof is liable for all damages caused by vehicle, which amounts shall be in addition to the payment of any fines for violation of this ordinance.

**Section 5:** It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including but not limited to Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

**Section 6:** The undersigned hereby attest that each of the signatories set forth in this Section 6 has voted that the rule requiring every ordinance to be read on three separate days be suspended with respect to this Ordinance 2008-13.

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed by the Council of the Village of Higginsport, Brown County, Ohio this tenth (10<sup>th</sup>) day of November, 2008.

  
Approved:  
Jason Kirschner, Mayor

  
Attest:  
Jerry Green, Clerk