

Chapter 15

Motor Vehicles and Traffic

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Part 1**General Regulations****§15-101. Definitions and Interpretation.**

1. Words and phrases, when used in this Chapter, except for Sections or parts to which different or additional definitions apply, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Vehicle Code, 75 Pa. C.S.A. §101 *et seq.*, except that in this Chapter the word “street” may be used interchangeably with the word “highway,” and shall have the same meaning as the word “highway” as defined in the Vehicle Code.

2. The term “legal holidays” as used in this Chapter shall mean and include: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day.

3. In this Chapter, the singular shall include the plural, the plural shall include the singular, and the masculine shall include the feminine.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-102. Manner of Adopting Permanent Traffic and Parking Regulations.

All traffic and parking regulations of a permanent nature shall be enacted as ordinances, as parts of ordinances, as amendments to ordinances, or as amendments to this Chapter, except where the law specifically authorizes less formal action.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-103. Provisions to Be Continuation of Existing Regulations.

The provisions of this Chapter, so far as they are the same as those of ordinances and regulations in force immediately before the enactment of this Chapter, are intended as a continuation of those earlier ordinances and regulations, and not as new enactments. Nothing in this Chapter shall affect any act done or liability incurred, or any suit or prosecution pending or to be instituted under any of those repealed or superseded ordinances or regulations.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-104. Temporary and Emergency Regulations.

1. The Chief of Police shall have the following powers to regulate traffic and parking temporarily and in time of emergency:

A. In the case of fire, flood, storm, or other emergency, to establish temporary traffic and/or parking regulations.

B. In the case of emergency or to facilitate public works, or in the conduct of parades, processions, or public events, to restrict or prohibit traffic and/or parking in limited areas for periods of not more than 24 hours.

2. Such temporary and emergency regulations shall be enforced by the Police Department in the same manner as permanent regulations. Any person who shall operate or park a vehicle or tractor in violation of any such regulation, or who shall, move, remove, destroy, injure, or deface any sign or marking erected, posted, or made

to give notice of any such regulation, shall upon conviction thereof, be subject to the penalty set forth in the law or elsewhere in this Chapter for a violation of such nature and, in case of a violation for which no specific penalty is set forth in the law or elsewhere in this Chapter, to a fine of not more than \$50 together with costs of prosecution, and, in default of payment of such fine and costs of prosecution, to imprisonment in the County Jail for not more than 10 days.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-105. Experimental Regulations.

The Township may, from time to time by resolution, designate places upon and along the highways in the Township where, for a period of not more than 90 days, specific traffic and/or parking regulations, prohibitions, and restrictions shall be in force and effect, and shall designate such locations by proper signs and markings. Such regulations, prohibitions and restrictions shall be effective as if they had been specified in this Chapter. No person shall operate and no person shall move, remove, destroy, or deface any sign or marking erected, posted, or made by authority of this Section. Any person who shall violate any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction thereof, be subject to the penalty set forth in the law or elsewhere in this Chapter for a violation of such nature and, in case of a violation for which no specific penalty is set forth in the law or elsewhere in this Chapter, to a fine of not more than \$25 together with costs of prosecution; provided, the purpose of this Section is to allow for test and experimental determination of the feasibility and desirability of permanent changes in the ordinances of the Township relative to traffic and parking.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-106. Traffic on Streets Closed or Restricted for Construction, Maintenance or Special Events.

1. The Township shall have authority to close any street or specific part of a street to vehicular traffic and to place barriers or station police officers at each end of the closed portion while construction or maintenance work is under way or a special event is being conducted on the closed portion. It shall be unlawful for any person to drive a vehicle upon any such closed portion.

2. The Township shall have authority to establish a restricted traffic area upon any street where construction or maintenance work is under way and to station flagmen at each end of the restricted portion. It shall be unlawful for any person to drive a vehicle upon any such restricted traffic area at any time when the flagman is displaying a sign directing that vehicle to stop, or is signaling that vehicle, by a flag or other device, not to proceed.

3. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-107. Use of Streets by Processions and Assemblages.

1. For the purpose of this Section, the words “assemblage” and “procession” shall have the following meanings:

Assemblage - a gathering of people without vehicles, which interferes with the

movement of pedestrian or vehicular traffic on any street.

Procession - a group of individuals, vehicles, animals, and/or objects moving along a street in a way that interferes with the normal movement of traffic. A procession shall not include a funeral caravan or military convoy.

2. It shall be unlawful for any person to hold or participate in any assemblage unless the person organizing or conducting the assemblage first obtains a permit from the Township, which shall be issued without fee. Application for the permit shall be made at least 1 week in advance of the day on which the assemblage is proposed to be held, but in any case where a State-designated highway is proposed to be used, application shall be made at least 3 weeks in advance of the proposed date. The permit shall state the place where and the date when the assemblage is to be held, the hour when the assemblage may convene and the hour by which it shall have been completely dispersed. It shall be unlawful for any person to hold or to participate in any assemblage unless the permit has been granted, or at any time or place other than that authorized by the permit.

3. It shall be unlawful for any person to hold or participate in any procession unless the person organizing or conducting the procession first obtains a permit from the Township, which shall be issued without fee. Application for the permit shall be made at least 2 weeks in advance of the day when the procession is proposed to be held, but in any case where the State-designated highway is proposed to be used, application shall be made at least 3 weeks in advance of the proposed date. The permit shall specify the date on which the procession is to be held, the route to be followed by the procession, the hour when and place where participants may commence to assemble and form before the procession is under way, the time when the procession may commence to move along its route, and the time by which the end of the procession shall have been disbanded. It shall be unlawful for any person to hold or to participate in any procession unless the permit shall have been granted, or under any conditions as to time or route or otherwise than those stated in the permit.

4. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-108. Authority of Police Officers.

The police officers of the Township are hereby authorized to direct traffic on the highways of the Township and at intersections thereof and to otherwise enforce the provisions of this Chapter.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-109. Authorization for Use of Speed Timing Devices.

1. The Township of Baldwin hereby declares that it shall hereinafter be lawful and proper for the police of the Township of Baldwin to use E.S.P. and VASCAR electro-mechanical devices or such similar equipment to enforce speed limit regulations prevailing within the geographic confines of the Township of Baldwin. It is further declared that the intention of this Section is that the use of said equipment is valid and has been valid even prior to the passage of this Section.

2. The specific equipment approved for use within the Township of Baldwin is

designated as E.S.P. device TK-100 and VASCAR electro-mechanical devices. It is further declared to be the intention of the Township of Baldwin to approve the specific equipment described hereinabove and for any equivalent or replacement equipment.

3. It is hereby directed that the equipment be operated by properly instructed and certified equipment operators and they be periodically retrained and re-certified at reasonable periods of time and as may be determined to be necessary by a court of competent jurisdiction.

4. Township police personnel are further directed to comply with all rules and regulations of the Bureau of Motor Vehicles pertaining to the use of E.S.P. devices and VASCAR electro-mechanical devices and to comply with any holdings thereto regarding enforcement as may be held by any court of competent jurisdiction in this Commonwealth.

5. This Section shall take effect immediately. If any portion of this Section is deemed to be unconstitutional or invalid, then it is declared to be the intention of the Township Board of Commissioners that this Section would have been enacted irrespective of said invalid or unconstitutional portion.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

Part 2

Traffic Regulations

§15-201. Maximum Speed Limits Established on Certain Streets.

1. A maximum speed limit of 25 mph is hereby established upon all streets and alleys of the Township.

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$35 and costs. Any person exceeding the maximum speed limit by more than five miles per hour shall pay an additional fine of \$2 per mile for each mile in excess of five miles per hour over the maximum speed limit.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-202. Traffic Signals at Certain Locations.

1. At the following locations traffic signals as indicated below shall be erected (or are ratified if previously erected), and traffic at those locations shall be directed by those signals:

Location	Type of Signal
Sussex Drive and McNeilly Road	
McNeilly Road and Sussex Avenue	Left turns only on inside lane
McNeilly Road and Sussex Avenue	Straight ahead traveling traffic on outside lane

2. Any driver of a vehicle who disobeys the directions of any traffic signal shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-203. Turning at Certain Intersections Prohibited or Restricted.

1. It shall be unlawful for the driver of any vehicle of the type indicated traveling upon the first-named street at any of the following intersections, in the direction or directions indicated in each case, to make a left turn and/or a right turn into the second-named street, as indicated, at any time when such a turn is prohibited by this Section:

Vehicles Traveling On	Direction of Travel	Not to Make Turn	Into	When	Type of Vehicle Applicable To
McNeilly Rd.	East	Left turn	Sussex Shopping Center exit		
McNeilly Rd.	West	Right turn	Sussex Shopping Center exit		

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction,

be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-204. Stop Intersections Established.

1. The following intersections (in addition to intersections with the through highways established by §15-212) are established as stop intersections, and official stop signs shall be erected (or are ratified if previously erected) in such a position as to face traffic approaching the second-named street (the intersecting or through street) on the first-named street (the stop street) in the direction or directions indicated for that intersection. Every driver of a vehicle approaching the intersection on the first-named or stop street, in the direction indicated in each case, shall stop the vehicle as required by of the Vehicle Code, 75 Pa.C.S.A. §§3323(b), and shall not proceed into or across the second-named or intersecting or through street until he has followed all applicable requirements of that Section of the law.

Stop Street	Intersecting or Through Street	Direction of Travel
Community Park Drive	Dewalt Drive	North
Crestline Drive	Dewalt Drive	East
Crestline Drive	Edgeridge Road	Southeast
Dewalt Drive	Community Park Drive	East
Dewalt Drive	Highview Road	East
Dewalt Drive	Newport Drive	West
Dewalt Drive	Old Farm Road	West
Donaldson Drive	Sussex Drive	South
Donaldson Drive		Southwest
Edgeridge Road	Haverhill Road	South
Grandview Avenue	Romine Avenue	Southwest
Haverhill Road	Edgeridge Road	Southeast
Highridge Drive	Hill Street	Southeast
Highridge Drive	Jameson Drive	South
Highridge Drive	Southview Drive	Northeast
Highview Road	Dewalt Drive	South
Highview Road	Edgeridge Road	Southeast
Highview Road	Glen Shannon Road	North and South
Highview Road	Pearce Road	North and South
Hill Street	Queensboro Avenue	Northeast
Hillsdale Street	Middle Road	Southwest

Stop Street	Intersecting or Through Street	Direction of Travel
Hillsdale Street	Newport Drive	Southwest
Jameson Drive	Donaldson Drive	Southeast
Jameson Drive	Highridge Drive	Northwest
Jameson Drive	Sussex Drive	South
Jameson Drive		Northeast - Stop sign will have an additional notice that right turns at said stop sign may keep moving.
Larch Lane	Rolling Rock Road	South
Middle Road	Hillsdale Street	Southwest and Northeast
Middle Road	Newport Drive	Southwest
Newport Drive	Dewalt Drive	North
Newport Drive	Hampton Road	West
Newport Drive	Middle Road	Northeast
Newport Drive	Rolling Rock Road	Southwest
Old Farm Road	Dewalt Drive	South
Old Farm Road	Edgeridge Road	South and North
Pearce Road	Dewalt Drive	North
Pearce Road	Highview Road	Southeast
Queesnboro Avenue	Hill Street	Southwest
Robertson Road	McNeilly Road	Northeast
Robertson Road	Romine Avenue	Northwest
Rolling Rock Road	Larch Lane	Southeast and Northwest
Rolling Rock Road	Newport Drive	East
Romine Avenue	Grandview Avenue	Southwest
Romine Avenue	Robertson Road	Southeast
Sussex Drive	McNeilly Road	West

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.
 (Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-205. Fire Lanes Established.

1. This Section shall add and define specific fire lane areas located on quasi-public

property identified generally as the McNeilly-Sussex Shopping Center.

2. There is hereby established a fire lane, for the protection of persons and property located at the McNeilly-Sussex Shopping Center in the quasi-public driveway areas, said fire land identified as that portion of the quasi-public driveway areas abutting upon the property and buildings situate on the westerly side of said buildings running north and south, parallel to McNeilly Road.

3. Said fire land shall extend from the northwest corner of said building to the southwest corner of said building and shall be 8 foot wide as measured from the nearest point of said building in the quasi-public walk and driveway areas.

4. Parking shall be prohibited at all times in the above described fire lane.

5. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this Section, shall, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than \$15 plus costs of prosecution.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-206. Motor Vehicles Not to Be Driven on Sidewalks.

No person shall operate any motor vehicle longitudinally upon any sidewalk in the Township; not shall any person operate any motor vehicle upon or across any sidewalk, except in order to gain access to or egress from a driveway or alley at such locations where the curb, if such sidewalk is curbed, shall have been properly cut down for the purpose. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this Section shall, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than \$50 and costs of prosecution, and, in default of payment of such fine and costs, to imprisonment in the County Jail for not more than 10 days.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

Part 3

Restrictions on Size, Weight, and Type of Vehicle and Load

§15-301. Vehicle Weight Limits Established on Certain Streets and Bridges.

1. On the following bridges and streets or parts of streets, by authority granted by §4902(a) of the Vehicle Code, 75 Pa.C.S.A. §4902(a), it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to drive any vehicle or combination having a gross weight in excess of the maximum prescribed below for that bridge or street or part of street, as the case may be:

Street or Bridge	Between	Maximum Gross Weight
(Reserved)		

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall be prosecuted under §§4902(a) and 4902(g-1) of the Vehicle Code, 75 Pa.C.S.A. §§4902(a), 4902(g-1) and, upon conviction, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of \$150 plus \$150 for each 500 pounds, or part thereof, in excess of 3,000 pounds over the maximum allowable weight, and costs.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-302. Restrictions on Size of Vehicles on Certain Streets and Bridges.

1. On the following bridges and streets or parts of streets, by authority granted by §4902(a) of the Vehicle Code, 75 Pa.C.S.A. §4902(a), it shall be unlawful for any person to drive any vehicle or combination in violation of the size restrictions prescribed below for that bridge or street or part of street:

Street or Bridge	Between	Restrictions
(Reserved)		

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall be prosecuted under §§4902(a) and 4902(g)(1) of the Vehicle Code, 75 Pa.C.S.A. §§4902(a), 4902(g)(1) and, upon conviction, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of \$75 and costs.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-303. Restrictions as to Weight and Size of Vehicles on Certain Streets and Bridges.

1. By reason of hazardous traffic conditions and other safety factors, by authority granted by §4902(b) of the Vehicle Code 75 Pa.C.S.A. §§4902(b), it shall be unlawful for any person to drive any vehicle or combination in violation of the restriction prescribed below for that bridge or street or part of street.

Street or Bridge	Between	Restrictions
(Reserved)		

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall be prosecuted under §§4902(b) and 4902(g)(1) of the Vehicle Code, 75 Pa.C.S.A. §§4902(a), 4902(g)(1) and,

upon conviction, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than \$25 and not more than \$100 and costs.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-304. Truck Traffic Restricted on Certain Streets.

1. It shall be unlawful for any person to drive a vehicle other than a passenger car on any of the following streets or parts of streets:

Street	Between
	(Reserved)

Provided, nothing in this Section shall prohibit any person from driving an emergency vehicle on any of those streets or parts of streets, or from driving on any of those streets or parts of streets a truck or other commercial vehicle making local deliveries to or pickups from premises located along that street or part of a street.

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

Part 4

General Parking Regulations

§15-401. Vehicles to Be Parked Within Marked Spaces.

Wherever a space is marked off on any street for the parking of an individual vehicle, every vehicle parked there shall be parked wholly within the lines bounding that space, and it shall be a violation of this Part for any person to park a vehicle or allow it to remain parked otherwise.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-402. Parking Prohibited at All Times in Certain Locations.

Parking shall be prohibited at all times in the following locations:

Street	Side	Between
Dewalt Drive	East	Highview Road and Newport Drive
Dewalt Drive	West	Pearce Road and Old Farm Road
Donaldson Drive	South	Sussex Avenue and cul-de-sac at end of drive
Highridge Drive	Both	Along lots 57, 59, and 63, Ridgeview Manor
Highview Road	North	Township line and a point 325 eastwardly
Larch Lane	South	Rolling Rock Road to Township Line
McNeilly Road	South	The west line of A.F. Willis property and 315 feet east thereof; In front of 415 McNeilly Road, 125 feet
McNeilly Road [Ord. 432]	South	The western end of the McNeilly RR tunnel underpass and a point 480 feet more or less to the west (at or about the westerly property line of 5 McNeilly Road, now or formerly known as the "Facchiano" property)
McNeilly Road [Ord. 432]	North	The western end of the McNeilly RR tunnel underpass and a point 600 feet more or less to the west (at or about the easterly property line of 97 McNeilly Road, now or formerly known as the "Toole Auto-body" property)
Newport Drive	North	Rolling Rock Road and Dewalt Drive
Pearce Road	North	Dewalt Drive and Rose Lane
Pearce Road	Both	Highview Road and Rose Lane

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006; as amended by Ord. 432, 5/8/2007, §1)

§15-403. Parking Prohibited in Certain Locations, Certain Days and Hours.

Parking shall be prohibited in the following locations at all times on the days and between the hours indicated in this Section, as follows:

Street	Side	Between	Days	Hours
Crestline Drive	South	Dewalt Dr. and Edgeridge Rd.	Every day except Saturday and Sunday	8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Dewalt Drive	East	Highview Rd. and Newport Dr.	Every day except Saturday and Sunday	8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Dewalt Drive	West	Pearce Rd. and Old Farm Rd.	Every day except Saturday and Sunday	8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Edgeridge Road	West	Highview Rd. and Haverhill Rd.	Every day except Saturday and Sunday	8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Haverhill Road	South	Township Line and cul-de-sac	Every day except Saturday and Sunday	8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Highview Road	South	Township Line and Ely Rd.	Every day except Saturday and Sunday	8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Larch Lane	North	Rolling Rock Rd. and Township Line	Every day except Saturday and Sunday	8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Middle Road	West	Newport Dr. and Township Line	Every day except Saturday and Sunday	8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Newport Drive	North	Dewalt Dr. and Hampton Rd.	Every day except Saturday and Sunday	8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Old Farm Road	South	Dewalt Dr. and Township Line	Every day except Saturday and Sunday	8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Pearce Road	North	Dewalt to Rose Lane		
Rolling Rock Road	West	Newport Dr. and Township Line	Every day except Saturday and Sunday	8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Rose Lane	North	Pearce Rd. and cul-de-sac	Every day except Saturday and Sunday	8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-404. Parking Without Lights Authorized.

The boundary limits of the Township of Baldwin are hereby established as a zone in which motor vehicles may remain standing without lights, and all streets and alleys within such boundary limits are hereby designated as streets where motor vehicles may

remain standing without lights.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-405. Penalties.

Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate any provision of this Part, upon conviction thereof, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than \$600 plus costs and, in default of payment of said fine and costs, to a term of imprisonment not to exceed 30 days. Each day that a violation of this Part continues shall constitute a separate offense.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

Part 5

Removal and Impoundment of Illegally Parked Vehicles

§15-501. Applicability and Scope.

This Part is enacted under authority of §6109(a)(22) of the Vehicle Code, 75 Pa.C.S.A. §6109(a)(22), and gives authority to the Township to remove and impound those vehicles which are parked in a tow-away zone and in violation of parking regulations of this Chapter. Vehicles which have been abandoned (as defined by the Vehicle Code) or which are parked in such a manner as to interfere with traffic or pose a hazard to others may be towed under the provisions of the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code. (Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-502. Authority to Remove and Impound.

The Township shall have authority to remove and impound, or to order the removal and impounding, of any vehicle parked overtime or otherwise illegally; provided that the circumstances of its parking were within the conditions stated in §15-501. Provided, no such vehicle shall be removed or impounded except in strict adherence to the provisions of this Part or the provisions of the Vehicle Code. (Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-503. Tow Away Zones Designated.

The following designated streets and/or parking lots are hereby established as tow-away zones. Signs shall be posted to place the public on notice that their vehicles may be towed for violation of Township parking regulations:

Street	Side	Between	Parking Lot
		(Reserved)	

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-504. Designation of Approved Storage Garages; Bonding; Towing and Storage.

Removal and impounding of vehicles under this Part shall be done only by “approved storage garages” that shall be designated from time to time by the Township. Every such garage shall submit evidence to the Township that it is bonded or has acquired liability insurance in an amount satisfactory to the Township as sufficient to indemnify owners of impounded vehicles against loss or damage to those vehicles while in the custody of the garage keeper for the purpose of towing or storage. The approved storage garage shall submit to the Township its schedule of charges for towing and storage of vehicles under this Part and, when the schedule is approved by the Township, those charges shall be adhered to by the approved storage garage; no different schedule of charges shall be demanded of or collected from any person whose vehicle is removed or impounded under this Part by any approved storage garage. The Township shall delete from its list of approved storage garages any garage that makes any unapproved charge in connection with any vehicle removed or impounded under

this Part.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-505. Payment of Towing and Storage Charges.

The payment of towing and storage charges shall not relieve the owner or driver of any vehicle from liability for any fine or penalty for the violation of the provision of this Part for which the vehicle was removed or impounded.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-506. Reclamation Costs.

In order to reclaim his vehicle, the owner shall pay towing and storage costs plus a \$50 fee, of which \$25 shall be transferred to the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation by the garage to which the vehicle was taken.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-507. Records of Vehicles Removed and Impounded.

The Township shall cause a record to be kept of all vehicles impounded under this Part and shall be able at all reasonable times to furnish the owners or the agents of the owners of those vehicles with information as to the place of storage of the vehicle.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-508. Restrictions upon Removal of Vehicles.

No vehicle shall be removed under the authority of this Part or the Vehicle Code if, at the time of the intended removal, the owner or the person for the time being in charge of the vehicle is present and expresses a willingness and intention to remove the vehicle immediately.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-509. Penalty For Violation.

Any person who shall violate any provision of this Part shall, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 together with all costs of disposing of the vehicle under the provisions of the Vehicle Code, 75 P.S. §7301 *et seq.*

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

§15-510. Reports and Disposition of Unclaimed Vehicles.

If after a period of 15 days the vehicle in storage remains unclaimed, a report shall be filed with PennDOT in accordance with §7311 of the Vehicle Code, 75 Pa.C.S.A. §7311 by the person having legal custody of the vehicle. If the vehicle has not been claimed after 30 days, the vehicle may be transferred to a licensed salvor who will then be responsible for filing the proper reports and disposing of the vehicle in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 73 of the Vehicle Code (75 Pa C.S.A. §7301 *et seq.*).

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

Part 6**Winter Storm Parking****§15-601. Parking Prohibited During and After Winter Storms Causing Accumulation of Snow or Ice on Streets.**

1. *Parking Prohibited During and After Winter Storms Causing Accumulation of Snow or Ice on Streets.* It shall be unlawful for any person to park a motor vehicle on any street in the Township at any time during which said street has had deposited upon it ½ inch or more of snow, or any accumulation of ice, until such time as the storm event(s) causing said accumulation has ceased and no further accumulation of snow or ice is predicted for the following 24 hours by local weather forecasts issued by or through local television or radio broadcasts, and until after the Township has caused said street(s) to be plowed and/or treated with salt or otherwise and the snow or ice accumulation has been removed therefrom and is no longer accumulating thereon as a result of continuing precipitation.

2. *Penalty for Violation of Parking Regulations in this Section.* Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate any provision of this Part, upon conviction thereof, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than \$600 plus costs and, in default of payment of said fine and costs, to a term of imprisonment not to exceed 30 days. Each day that a violation of this Part continues shall constitute a separate offense.

(Ord. 427, 4/4/2006)

