

ORDINANCE NO. 2015-0707

AN ORDINANCE TO APPROVE CURRENT REPLACEMENT PAGES TO THE FINDLAY CODIFIED ORDINANCES, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, certain provisions within the Codified Ordinances should be amended to conform with current State law as required by the Ohio Constitution; and

WHEREAS, various ordinances of a general and permanent nature have been passed by Council which should be included in the Codified Ordinances; and

WHEREAS, the City has heretofore entered into a contract with the Walter H. Drane Company to prepare and publish such revision which is before Council;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Findlay, County of Hancock, State of Ohio, two thirds (2/3) of all members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1: That the ordinances of the City of Findlay, Ohio, of a general and permanent nature, as revised, recodified, rearranged and consolidated into component codes, titles, chapters and sections within the 2015 Replacement Pages to the Codified Ordinances are hereby approved and adopted.

SECTION 2: That the following sections and chapters are hereby added, amended or repealed as respectively indicated in order to comply with current State law.

Traffic Code

301.161	Highway Maintenance Vehicle. (Added)
301.162	Highway Traffic Signal. (Added)
303.04	Road Workers, Motor Vehicles and Equipment Excepted. (Amended)
303.081	Impounding Vehicles on Private Residential Property. (Amended)
303.082	Tow Away Zones. (Amended)
331.44	Vehicular Operation on Street Closed Due to Rise in Water Level. (Added)
333.01	Driving or Physical Control While Under the Influence. (Amended)
333.03	Maximum Speed Limits. (Amended)
333.031	Approaching a Stationary Public Safety, Emergency or Road Service Vehicle. (Amended)
335.072	Driving Under Financial Responsibility Law Suspension or Cancellation. (Amended)
335.074	Driving Under License Forfeiture or Child Support Suspension. (Amended)
337.16	Number of Lights; Limitations on Flashing. (Amended)
337.17	Focus and Aim of Headlights. (Amended)
351.04	Parking Near Curb; Handicapped Parking. (Amended)

General Offenses Code

501.01	Definitions. (Amended)
501.07	Requirements For Criminal Liability. (Amended)
501.08	Culpable Mental States. (Amended)
505.071	Cruelty to Companion Animals. (Amended)
525.01	Law Enforcement and Public Office Definitions. (Amended)
525.02	Falsification. (Amended)
525.05	Failure to Report a Crime, Injury or Knowledge of Death. (Amended)
529.01	Liquor Control Definitions. (Amended)
529.07	Open Container Prohibited. (Amended)
533.09	Soliciting. (Amended)
533.14	Unlawful Advertising of Massage. (Added)
537.03	Assault. (Amended)
537.05	Aggravated Menacing. (Amended)
537.051	Menacing by Stalking. (Amended)
537.06	Menacing. (Amended)
537.12	Misuse of 9-1-1 System. (Amended)
537.16	Illegal Distribution of Cigarettes, Other Tobacco Products or Alternate Nicotine Products. (Amended)
537.17	Criminal Child Enticement. (Amended)
545.01	Theft and Fraud Definitions. (Amended)
545.02	Determining Property Value in Theft Offense. (Amended)
545.05	Petty Theft. (Amended)
545.15	Securing Writings by Deception. (Amended)
545.18	Receiving Stolen Property. (Amended)
549.01	Weapons Definitions. (Amended)
553.03	Duties of Locomotive Engineer. (Amended)

SECTION 3: The complete text of the sections listed above are set forth in full in the current replacement pages to the Codified Ordinances which are hereby attached to this ordinance as Exhibit A. Any summary publication of this ordinance shall include a complete listing of these sections. Notice of adoption of each new section by reference to its title shall constitute sufficient publication of new matter contained therein.

SECTION 4: That it is hereby 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 of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 5: That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the Municipality and its inhabitants for the reason that there exists an imperative necessity for the earliest publication and distribution of current Replacement Pages to the officials and residents of the Municipality, so as to facilitate administration, daily operation and avoid practical and legal entanglements; wherefore this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and immediately after its passage.

PASSED August 4, 2015

ATTEST Dennis DeVore
CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED August 4, 2015

Mr. P. Slough
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL
Rydia J. Michael
MAYOR