AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING NO PARKING ZONES WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE TOWN OF GREENWOOD CREATING EXCEPTIONS THEREFROM AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Town Council of The Town of Greenwood, in Council met, in the manner following, to wit:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person to park, stand or stop or cause to be parked or stopped any motor vehicle in any of the following places:

(1) On both sides of the extension of Market Street between the southbound lane and northbound lane of United States Route 13;

(2) On both sides of the extension of Governors Avenue between the southbound lane and the northbound lane of United States Route 13.

Section 2. The provisions of this Ordinance shall not be applicable to the operator of any motor vehicle who stops or causes his motor vehicle to stop in order to avoid conflict with other traffic, in compliance with the direction of a policeman or other traffic control officer or to load or unload passengers nor shall the provisions of this Ordinance be applicable to any operator of a motor vehicle of the Town when on official business.
Section 3. Any person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction in a court of competent jurisdiction, pay a fine of not less than Five Dollars ($5.00) nor more than Fifteen Dollars ($15.00) and shall pay the costs of prosecution; provided however, that, with the consent in writing of a person charged with a violation of any of the provisions of this Ordinance, the Chief of Police or his designated representative is authorized to accept and receive, without hearing, not less than Five Dollars ($5.00) as a penalty for such violation if such violation is paid within seven (7) days from the date of the violation or accept Fifteen Dollars ($15.00) if such penalty is paid following the expiration of seven (7) days from the date of the violation.

Section 4. In addition to any other remedy, any police officer of the Town, while in the performance of his duty, may remove or cause to be removed, at the expense of the owner or operator of any motor vehicle, any motor vehicle parked in violation in Subsection (1) of this Ordinance when the owner or operator of such motor vehicle is unable, unwilling or unavailable to move such motor vehicle immediately. If any motor vehicle is removed pursuant to the
provisions of this Subsection, the owner or operator thereof shall pay the fine imposed by Section 3 of this Ordinance, the costs of removal, a reasonable charge for storage not to exceed Six Dollars ($6.00) for each day or part thereof that the vehicle is so stored, and any court costs. In addition, said owner or operator shall sign a receipt for such motor vehicle prior to it being released to him by the storage facility. In the event the payment is made under protest, a bail bond for further appearance shall be posted as required by a court of competent jurisdiction.

Section 5. Any Ordinance inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

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