

**VERNON TOWNSHIP  
LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

**ORDINANCE NO. 10-14-2021**

**AN ORDINANCE CONCERNING PARKING ON ROADS, SIDEWALKS  
AND PARKWAYS UNDER THE CONTROL OF VERNON TOWNSHIP  
FOR VERNON TOWNSHIP, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

**ADOPTED BY THE  
TOWNSHIP BOARD OF VERNON TOWNSHIP**

**JONATHAN ALTENBERG, Township Supervisor  
TIMOTHY KOBLER, Township Clerk**

**ROGER N. ADDELSON  
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SHEILA SEBOR  
Trustees**

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**WHEREAS**, Vernon Township, Lake County, Illinois ("Township"), is a duly organized and existing township and unit of local government created under the provisions of the laws of the State of Illinois, and is operating under the provisions of the Illinois Township Code, 60 ILCS 1/1-1, et seq. ("Code"), and all laws amendatory thereto; and

**WHEREAS**, 625 ILCS 5/11-208(a) of the Illinois Vehicle Code provides that the Township has the authority to regulate the standing or parking of vehicles on roads or rights-of-way under the jurisdiction of the Township; and

**WHEREAS**, the Supervisor and Board are committed to protecting the roadways and rights-of-way of the Township from damage resulting from parking on the roads and rights-of way and ensuring the safety of all who use them.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Township Supervisor of Vernon Township, Lake County, Illinois, as follows:

**ARTICLE I.  
IN GENERAL**

**SECTION 01.      Incorporation Clause.**

The statements set forth in the preamble to this Ordinance are found to be true and correct and are incorporated into this Ordinance as if set forth in full.

**SECTION 02.      Restricted Truck or Large Vehicle Parking**

It shall be unlawful to stand or park any truck, truck-trailer, tractor-trailer, or truck-tractor on any Township public way having a gross weight when fully loaded, in excess of eight thousand (8,000) pounds and/or bearing a classification of "D" or higher under the provisions of the Illinois Vehicle Code, except for the purpose of loading or unloading the same, and then only during such time as is reasonably necessary for such activity.

It shall be unlawful to park a detached semi-trailer upon any Township public way.

**Section 03. Authorization.**

The officers, employees, and/or agents of the Township shall take all action necessary or reasonably required, as directed by the Supervisor, to effectuate the intent of this Ordinance and shall take all action necessary to ensure compliance. The Supervisor is hereby authorized to enter into any agreements and expend Township funds as necessary to effectuate this Ordinance. All prior actions of Township officials, employees and agents with respect to the subject matter of this Ordinance are hereby expressly ratified.

**Section 04. Violations**

Any vehicle parked in violation of the section may be assessed a fine by the Township not to exceed Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) and issued a citation by an appropriate law enforcement agency, with each day that violation of this ordinance occurs constituting a separate violation. In addition to this fine and at the owner's expense, the Township may authorize an appropriate towing company to remove and store the vehicle at a lot operated by the towing company.

**Section 05. Posting of Signage**

The Township Manager shall be directed to post appropriate signage on any impact public way to provide the notification of this Ordinance.

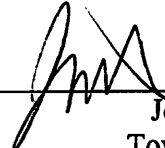
**Section 06: Effective Date.**


This Ordinance shall be effective and in full force 10 (ten) days following passage, or immediately upon the installation of appropriate signage as referenced above, whichever is later.

**ADOPTED** by the Township Board of Vernon Township, Lake County, Illinois, on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of October 2021, by the following roll-call vote:

	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
Addelson	X			
Hirsh	X			
Knizhnik	X			
Sebor	X			
Supervisor Altenberg	X			
<b>TOTAL</b>	5	0	0	0

**APPROVED** this 14<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2021.

  
Jonathan Altenberg  
Township Supervisor

Attest:  
  
Timothy Kobler  
Township Clerk

COUNTY OF LAKE            )  
  ) SS  
STATE OF ILLINOIS        )

**CLERK'S CERTIFICATE**

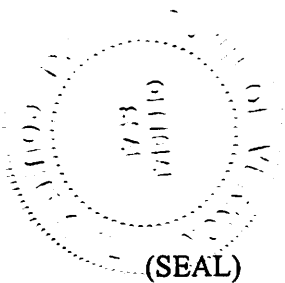
I, Timothy Kobler, certify that I am the elected and duly qualified Clerk of Vernon Township, Lake County, Illinois (the "Township") and, as such, I am the keeper of the records and files of the Township and its Supervisor and Trustees (collectively, the "Township Board"). I further certify as follows:


Attached to this Certificate is a true, correct and complete copy of Township Ordinance No. 10-14-2021, entitled:

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This Ordinance was duly passed and approved by the Township Board at a duly noticed meeting held on the 14th day of October, 2021. I do further certify that a quorum of said Township Board was present at said meeting, and that the Township Board complied with all the requirements of the Illinois Open Meetings Act in connection with said meeting.

Given under my hand and official seal at Vernon Township, Lake County, Illinois, this 14th day of October 2021.



  
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Timothy Kobler  
Township Clerk