

TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGDALE

ORDINANCE NO. 416 - 01/21/21 - 02/18/21

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGDALE, ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, REGULATING PARKING WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGDALE DURING THE SNOW SEASON FOR SNOW PLOWING AND/OR SALTING AND ESTABLISHING A SCHEDULE OF FINES FOR VIOLATIONS AS DEFINED IN THE VARIOUS CLASSIFICATIONS OF SAID REGULATIONS

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the general health, welfare and safety of the public and the citizens of the Township of Springdale that parking be regulated within the Township for snow plowing and salting; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Springdale as follows:

SECTION I. NO PARKING DURING WINTER EMERGENCY

It shall be unlawful for any person to park any type of automobile, truck, recreational vehicle or any other form of vehicle on any public street, court or alley in a restricted area provided for in this Ordinance or any additions made by the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Springdale from time to time by resolution, during the snow season, as defined herein.

SECTION II. SNOW SEASON DEFINED

The snow season, for the purpose of this Ordinance, shall be defined as the period beginning **October 15 up to and including the period ending April 15** of the following year.

SECTION III. RESTRICTED PARKING DURING SNOW SEASON

During the snow season, each time there is a snowfall, starting from the time snow begins to fall until **24 hours after the snowfall has stopped**, the following parking ban rules shall be in effect within the Township of Springdale as follows:

- A. The following streets, avenues, roads, courts or alleys shall have parking restricted in the manner set forth from year to year, which may be modified from time to time by Resolution of the Board of Commissioners:
1. Pillow Avenue: No parking on either side the entire length of the municipal limits on Pillow Avenue during snow conditions.
 2. Main Street: No parking on either side entire length of the municipal limits on Main Street during snow conditions.
 3. Hite Road: No parking on either side the enter length of the municipal limits on Hite Road during snow conditions.

4. Butler Road: No parking on either side the entire length of the municipal limits on Butler Road.
 5. Carson Street: No Parking on the LEFT side (even house number side) of Carson Street all the way down that would be even house numbers, Also the LAST (50) fifty feet of Carson Street, no parking on either side during snow conditions.
 6. Stanley Street: No Parking on the LEFT side (odd house number side) of the Stanley Street all the way up to Wood Street.
 7. Williams Street: No Parking on either side of the Williams Street all the way down during Snow conditions.
 8. Sycamore Ridge Drive: No Parking on either side of the Sycamore Ridge Drive all the way down and including the cul-de-sac during snow conditions.
 9. Melzena Street: No Parking on either side of the road all the way down during snow conditions.
 10. Rachel Street: No parking on the last seventy five (75) feet of Rachel Street during snow conditions. Parking is otherwise permitted on either side of the street except the last 75 feet.
 11. Bucknell Drive: No Parking on the Right side (odd house numbers side) of Bucknell Dr. all the way down and including the cul-de-sac at the end of the road during snow conditions.
 12. Spring Street: No Parking at the end of the road on the RIGHT side of the bend near 204 Spring Street during snow conditions.
 13. Maple Street: No Parking either side of the road during snow conditions.
 14. Maple Street. Extension: No Parking either side of the road during snow conditions.
 15. North Hamilton Street: No parking on either side of the road all the way down including the Cul-de-sac during snow conditions.
 16. Center Street: No parking on either side of the road all the way down during snow conditions.
- B. After the 24-hour period immediately following the snowfall has passed, or once an emergency period is declared over, parking shall be allowed on both sides of the street, except where otherwise prohibited or restricted for any other reason under any other ordinance, statute or law. Should the snowfall be so severe that it cannot be cleared

within 24 hours immediately following the snowfall, the President of the Board of Commissioners, and/or Street Chair may order, with due public announcement by posting on the Township Web Site, Social Media and/or other means, additional time for the parking ban.

SECTION IV. MODIFICATIONS OF RESTRICTIONS PERMITTED

The President of the Board of Commissioners, and/or Street Chair may order, with due public announcement via the Township Web Site and/or Social Media, the reversal or extension of the parking areas prescribed in this Ordinance for periods of time necessary to plow both sides of the streets. In such cases, this order shall take precedence over existing no parking signs and regulations.

SECTION V. AUTHORITY TO TAG AND TOW

It shall be the duty of the Township of Springdale, with the assistance of the Allegheny Valley Regional Police Department, if necessary, to tag and have towed any vehicle parked upon any restricted street, avenue, road, court or alley as defined in this Ordinance during any period defined herein. The owner of such vehicle shall pay, in addition to the below mentioned fine, any cost of towing and storage of said vehicle.

SECTION VI. PROPER TIRES REQUIRED

At any time a snow parking ban is in effect, it shall be unlawful for any person to drive any type of automobile, truck or other form of vehicle unless said vehicle is equipped with snow tires or all weather tires, and said tires must have an effective amount of tread remaining on the tire.

SECTION VII. DEPOSITING OF SNOW AND ICE PROHIBITED.

No person shall shovel, blow or otherwise deposit or cause to be deposited any snow or ice on or against a fire hydrant or on any sidewalk or roadway.

SECTION VIII. PENALTIES

In addition to towing and storage costs and any other penalty that may exist under the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code, the Owner of the vehicle regarding no parking violations, or the property owner, regarding snow shoveling violations, who violates any provision of this Ordinance shall pay a fine for each offense of seventy-five (\$75.00) dollars within ten (10) calendar days from issue date directly to the Township of Springdale. Failure to pay the fine will cause a citation to be issued, and upon finding that this ordinance has been violated the magisterial district judge, the owner be assessed a fine of not less than three hundred dollars (\$300.00) and not more than six hundred dollars (600.00), together with costs of prosecution and reasonable attorney fees.

SECTION IX. SEVERABILITY

The provisions of this Ordinance shall be severable and if any of its provisions or other parts shall be held to be unconstitutional, illegal, unenforceable or otherwise invalid, such shall not affect the validity and enforceability of the remaining provisions and other parts of this Ordinance. The Board of Commissioners hereby declares its legislative intent to be that

this Ordinance would have been adopted had such unconstitutional, illegal, unenforceable or otherwise invalid provisions or parts not been included herein.

SECTION X. SAVINGS CLAUSE

The provisions of this Ordinance, so far as they are the same as Ordinances 294, 336 and 514, or any other Ordinance or regulation in force prior to the enactment of this Ordinance, are intended as a continuation of those existing Ordinances and regulations and not as new enactments. The provisions of this Ordinance shall not affect any act done or liability incurred, nor shall they affect any suit or prosecution pending or to be instituted to enforce any existing or repealed Ordinance, regulation or parts thereof.

SECTION XI. INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES REPEALED.

All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances of the Township of Springdale are hereby repealed only to the extent the same are irreconcilably inconsistent herewith.

SECTION XII. EFFECTIVE DATE.

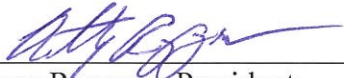
This Ordinance shall take effect immediately and approved in the manner prescribed by law.

DULY ADOPTED at and recorded in the minutes of a properly constituted meeting of the TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGDALE this ____ day of February, 2021, a full quorum being present.

ATTEST:

TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGDALE:

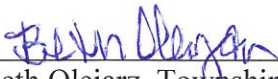

Beth Olejarz, Township Secretary


Anthony Rozzano, President,
Board of Commissioners (SEAL)

Approved as to form:


Craig H. Alexander, Solicitor

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. ____ enacted by the Board of Commissioners of the Township of Springdale on this 18 day of February, 2021.


Beth Olejarz, Township Secretary