CITY OF GRANT PARKING ORDINANCE ORDINANCE NO. 48

AN ORDINANCE RESTRICTING THE PARKING OF SEMI-TRACTORS, SEMI-TRAILERS AND ANY OTHER TRUCKS PLATED AT OR EXCEEDING 36,000 IBS GROSS VEHICLE WEIGHT RATING WITHIN THE CITY OF GRANT, NEWAYGO COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

THE CITY OF GRANT, NEWAYGO COUNTY, MICHIGAN, HEREBY ADOPTS ORDINANCE NO. 48 AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I. Name:

This ordinance shall be known and cited as the City of Grant Parking Ordinance.

SECTION II. Purpose:

The purpose of this ordinance is to restrict the parking of semi-tractors, semi-trailers and any other trucks plated at or exceeding 36,000 lbs. gross vehicle weight rating.

SECTION III. Terms Defined:

For purposes of this ordinance the following definitions apply:

- A. <u>Semi-Tractor</u>. Means every vehicle that is self-propelled and designed for carrying and/or pulling a trailer and/or semi-trailer as defined herein.
- B. <u>Semi-Trailer</u>. Means every vehicle with or without motor power designed for carrying persons and/or property and for being drawn by a motor vehicle and is constructed so that some part of its weight and its load rests upon or is carried by another vehicle.
- C. <u>Truck Plated at 36,000 lbs. Gross Vehicle Weight Rating.</u> Means every motor vehicle that has obtained a plate from the Secretary of State or like administrative agency and has been determined by said agency to have a gross weight of 36,000 lbs.
- D. <u>Parking</u>. Means standing a vehicle, whether occupied or not, upon a road, alley or private property, when not loading or unloading.

SECTION IV. Regulations:

It shall be a nuisance and unlawful for any person, persons, firm, corporation, property owner, or tenant to park or permit the parking of a semi-tractor, semi-trailer or any other truck plated at or exceeding 36,000 Ibs gross vehicle weight rating at any dwelling, or any property

suitable for dwelling, located within the City Limits of the City of Grant.

SECTION V. Penalties:

Any person, persons, firm, corporation, property owner, or tenant violating any provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred (\$100.00), or by imprisonment in the County Jail for a period not to exceed 90 days, or both fine and imprisonment. Each day the violation of this Ordinance exists shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION VI. Severability:

If any section, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by a decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

SECTION VII. Effective Date:

This Ordinance shall take effect upon publication as provided by the Grant City Charter.

Motion, to adopt the foregoing Ordinance No. 48 made by Commissioner Powell, second by Commissioner Gardner.

Motion, declared affirmatively on this 17th day of May, 2004

Terry Fett, Mayor

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of Ordinance No. 48 adopted by the City Commission of the City of Grant, County of Newaygo, State of Michigan, at the Meeting held on May 17, 2004, and that said meeting was conducted and public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with the Open Meetings Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976 (Act 267), and that the minutes of said meeting were kept and will be or have been made available as required by said Act.

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