

ORDINANCE NO. 06-2016

An Ordinance to Revise the Codified Ordinances by
Adopting Current Replacement Pages.

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 Walter H. Drane Company has prepared a supplement to the Codified Ordinances containing such new material;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Municipality of Worthington, Franklin County, State of Ohio:

SECTION 1. That the ordinances of the City of Worthington, 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 That the following sections and chapters are hereby added, amended or repealed as respectively indicated in order to comply with current State law: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

- 301.19 Motorcycle. (Amended)
- 303.081 Impounding Vehicles on Private Residential Property. (Amended)
- 303.082 Tow Away Zones. (Amended)
- 331.46 Vehicular Operation on Street Closed Due to Rise in Water Level. (Added)
- 335.031 Driving With Probationary License; Curfew. (Amended)
- 335.072 Driving Under Financial Responsibility Law Suspension or Cancellation. (Amended)
- 335.074 Driving Under License Forfeiture or Child Support Suspension. (Amended)
- 335.09 Display of License Plates. (Amended)
- 335.10 Expired or Unlawful License Plates. (Amended)
- 341.01 Definitions. (Amended)
- 341.03 Prerequisites to Operation of a Commercial Vehicle. (Amended)
- 341.05 Criminal Offenses. (Amended)
- 341.06 Employment of Drivers of Commercial Vehicles. (Amended)
- 351.04 Parking Near Curb; Handicapped Parking. (Amended)

General Offenses Code

- 501.07 Requirements For Criminal Liability. (Amended)
- 501.08 Culpable Mental States. (Amended)
- 529.07 Open Container Prohibited. (Amended)
- 549.01 Weapons Definitions. (Amended)
- 553.03 Duties of Locomotive Engineer. (Amended)

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SECTION 3. That the complete text of the sections listed above are set forth in full in the current replacement pages to the Codified Ordinances. A summary of the amendments to such sections is hereby attached to this ordinance as Appendix A.

SECTION 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law and by the Charter of the City of Worthington, Ohio

Passed February 1, 2016

/s/ Bonnie D. Michael
President of Council

Attest:

/s/ D. Kay Thress
Clerk of Council

Introduced January 19, 2016
P.H. February 1, 2016
Effective February 24, 2016

APPENDIX A

Traffic Code

- 301.19 Motorcycle. (Adds “cab-enclosed motorcycle” to definition of a motorcycle.)
- 303.081 Impounding Vehicles on Private Residential Property. (Adds additional documentation which may be used to provide proof of ownership in subsection (d).)
- 303.082 Tow-Away Zones. (Adds additional documentation which may be used to provide proof of ownership in subsection (g).)
- 331.46 Vehicular Operation on Street Closed Due to Rise in Water Level. (Adds new section prohibiting the operation of a vehicle on a street or highway closed due to a rise in water level.)
- 335.031 Driving With Probationary License; Curfew. (Redefines requirements for operation of a motor vehicle with a probationary license.)
- 335.072 Driving Under Financial Responsibility Law Suspension or Cancellation. (Adds subsection (d)(3) pertaining to providing the court with proof of financial responsibility; amends subsection (e) to add presentation of electronic wireless communication devices.)
- 335.074 Driving Under License Forfeiture or Child Support Suspension. (Adds last sentence to subsection (c)(2) pertaining to providing the court with proof of financial responsibility.)
- 335.09 Display of License Plates. (Adds “cab-enclosed motorcycle” to vehicles required to have a license plate on the rear of the vehicle.)
- 335.10 Expired or Unlawful Plates. (Changes penalty in subsection (f)(1) from a misdemeanor of the fourth degree to a minor misdemeanor.)
- 341.01 Definitions. (Adds “gross vehicle weight” to subsections (c)(1) and (c)(4).)
- 341.03 Prerequisites to Operation of a Commercial Motor Vehicle. (Redefines criteria for who may operate a commercial motor vehicle.)
- 341.05 Criminal Offenses. (Adds “commercial driver’s license temporary instruction permit” to first line and subsection (a)(9).)
- 341.06 Employment of Drivers of Commercial Vehicles. (Adds subsection (d) imposing additional restrictions on allowing nonqualified persons to operate a commercial vehicle.)
- 351.04 Parking Near Curb; Handicapped Parking. (Adds subsections (f)(2) and (i)(3) which prohibit parking in an access aisle and provides a penalty for such violation.)

General Offenses Code

501.07 Requirements for Criminal Liability. (Clarifies when strict criminal liability is imposed and modifies the concept of acting recklessly.)

501.08 Culpable Mental States. (Modifies the concept of acting recklessly and makes stylistic changes.)

529.07 Open Container Prohibited. (Adds subsections (c)(7) and (f) to permit the possession of an open container in an “outdoor refreshment area” and to exempt persons who are passengers on a commercial quadricycle.)

549.01 Weapons Definitions. (Deletes second sentence in subsection (e); changes “silencer” to “suppressor” in subsection (k)(5); adds subsections (p) and (q).)

553.03 Duties of Locomotive Engineer. (Deletes former subsection (a)(2).)