

TOWN OF MORGANTOWN, INDIANA

ORDINANCE NO. 2019-3

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING PARKING AND PROHIBITING
PARKING ON DESIGNATED STREETS AND SECTIONS OF STREETS

WHEREAS, the Town of Morgantown, Indiana (“Town”), pursuant to Ind. Code §9-21-1-3(a)(1), may regulate the parking of vehicles on streets within its jurisdiction;

WHEREAS, the Morgantown Town Council (the “Council”), with the input of the Town Marshal and the Town Operations Manager, has identified streets and sections of streets, within the Council’s jurisdiction, on which, in order to serve public safety and best interest, parking should be regulated or prohibited currently prohibits parking on certain streets during certain hours, and now desires to regulate parking in certain parking facilities that are owned or leased by the Town.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Town Council of the Town of Morgantown, Indiana as follows:

Section 1. Parking shall be prohibited, at all times, on the following streets and sections of streets:

- A. South Marion Street, along its entire west side, from its intersection with Elm Street to its intersection with Bloomington Pike (Pike Street).
- B. Park Street, along its entire north side, from its intersection with Highland Street to its intersection with Church Street, and along its south side, from its intersection with Elmore Street, to the east, for a distance of 30 feet;
- C. Elm Street, along both sides, for a distance of 30 feet to the west of its intersection with S. Ash Street;
- D. Morton Street, along its east side from the south property line of 339 Morton Street to the north property line of 289 Morton Street.

Section 2. Parking shall be prohibited, at all times, on South Marion Street, along its entire east side, from its intersection with Elm Street to its intersection with Bloomington Pike (Pike Street), except for 2 marked spaces in front of the apartments at 479 South Marion where short term parking, for loading/unloading, shall be permitted for periods of no longer than one-half (1/2) hour at a time.

Section 3. Temporary No Parking: The Town Marshal is authorized to prohibit parking on Town streets and sections of Town streets, from time to time, to accommodate special events, construction projects, and/or emergencies, by using barricades and other traffic control measures and devices, in addition to or along with signs or notices.

Section 4. General Regulations: A person may not stop, stand, or park a vehicle, except

when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic or to avoid conflict with law or the directions of a police officer or traffic control device, in any of the following places:

- (1) On a sidewalk.
- (2) In front of a public or private driveway.
- (3) Within an intersection.
- (4) Within fifteen (15) feet of a fire hydrant.
- (5) On a crosswalk.
- (6) Within twenty (20) feet of a crosswalk at an intersection.
- (7) Within thirty (30) feet upon the approach to any flashing beacon, stop sign, or traffic control signal located at the side of a roadway.
- (8) Between a safety zone and the adjacent curb or within thirty (30) feet of points on the curb immediately opposite the ends of a safety zone, unless the traffic authority indicates a different length by signs or markings.
- (9) Within fifty (50) feet of the nearest rail of a railroad crossing.
- (10) Within twenty (20) feet of the driveway entrance to a fire station and, on the side of a street opposite the entrance to a fire station, within seventy-five (75) feet of the entrance (when properly sign posted).
- (11) Alongside or opposite a street excavation or obstruction if stopping, standing, or parking would obstruct traffic.
- (12) On the roadway side of a vehicle stopped or parked at the edge or curb of a street.
- (13) Upon a bridge or other elevated structure upon a highway or within a highway tunnel.
- (14) At any place where official signs prohibit stopping.

Except where angle parking is permitted, a vehicle stopped or parked upon a Town street, where there is an adjacent curb must be stopped or parked with the right-hand wheels of the vehicle parallel with and within twelve (12) inches of the right-hand curb. This provision does not apply to an autocycle. A motorcycle stopped or parked upon a roadway where there is an adjacent curb may be stopped or parked with the rear wheel of the motorcycle to the curb and with the front tire facing the flow of traffic.

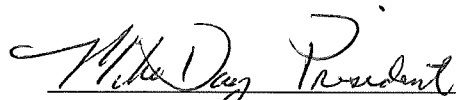
Section 5. Commercial Vehicles. Except while and for the purpose of making deliveries or otherwise conducting business in Town, parking of vehicles with a gross vehicle weight in excess of 10,000 pounds shall be prohibited on designated Town Streets and street sections. Restricted areas will be identified by signs or street markings.

Section 6. Penalties. Each violator of the restrictions and provisions of this Ordinance shall pay a fine and penalty to the Town in the sum and amount of \$50.

With regard to the provisions of Sections 3, 4, and 5, this Ordinance shall become effective upon publication. With regard to the provisions of Sections 1 and 2, this Ordinance shall become effective upon publication and upon the posting of no parking signs on the designated streets and sections of streets.

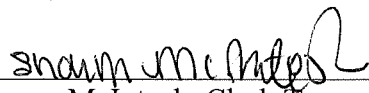
Introduced and adopted, by affirmative vote of the Town Council of the Town of Morgantown, at its regular meeting on the 11th day of March, 2019.

Adopted, on second and final reading, by affirmative vote of the Town Council of the Town of Morgantown, on the 8th day of April, 2019.



Mike Day, President
Morgantown Town Council

Attest:



Sharon McIntosh, Clerk Treasurer