

**Re-Adoption of  
General Ordinance No. 2004-4  
An Ordinance Amending General Ordinance 2000-2 and Amending General Ordinance  
1996-3 And Amending the Sweetser Town Code as to Signs, Parking  
And Emergency Snow Routes**

WHEREAS, to promote public safety and the well being of the citizens of the Town of Sweetser, Indiana, as to traffic control signs within the Town of Sweetser, Indiana.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Sweetser, Indiana, that the Sweetser Town Code is amended by revising Chapter 1, Highway Regulations, former Section Numbers 9-4-1-28 and 9-4-1-114 to read as follows:

9-21-4-3 Traffic Control Signs: The Town Council, acting within reasonable exercise of its police power, hereby adopts the following regulations governing certain roads and streets with in the Town of Sweetser under its jurisdiction:

- (a) Upon Greenburg Street from its intersection with Main Street to its intersection with Greenberry Street, vehicular traffic shall move only in East to West direction. In addition, all vehicles upon Greenburg Street coming from Main Street on Greenburg Street shall stop before entering or crossing Greenberry Street.
- (b) All roads and streets listed below are designated as preferential highways. All vehicles shall stop before or crossing a preferential highway, as indicated by signs posted at or upon the entrance to these highways.
  - 1. Broadway Street
  - 2. Craven Street
  - 3. Jackson Street
  - 4. Main Street
  - 5. Meridian Street
  - 6. Greenberry Street
  - 7. Osborn Drive
  - 8. Allen Drive
  - 9. Laura Lane
  - 10. Pennsylvania
  - 11. Wes Way
  - 12. Delphi Pike
  - 13. Elm Street
  - 14. Eagle Drive
- (c) The intersection of Greenberry Street and Hubert Street, Greenberry Street and Sherron Street, and Greenberry Street and Franklin Street shall all be and hereby designated as a four-way stop intersection. Every vehicle these intersections shall stop.

- (d) Any person violating any provisions of this Code Section shall be fined not more than \$100.00 nor less than \$50.00 and all fines collected shall be deposited in the General Fund. Such violations of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be enforced pursuant to the provisions of I.C. 34-28-5-1 and I.C. 36-1-6-3(c) in the Gas City Municipal Court or such other Court as may be designated subsequently by the Sweetser Town Council; or such person issued the Citation for violating this Ordinance may plead guilty to this offense without appearing in the Gas City Municipal Court of any indicated amount of the fine by Money Order or Cashier's Check to the Gas City Municipal Court: 211 East Main Street, Gas City, Indiana, 46933

9-21-1-3 No Parking Zones:

- (a) No person shall stop, park or leave standing any vehicle, whether attended or unattended, on the following streets or portion of streets in the Town of Sweetser:
1. No parking 100 Block of North Main between 100 South Main at Penn Street North to Miller Street on East or West of Right of Way.
  2. On the East side and the West side of Main Street from its intersection with Davis Street to its intersection with State Road 18 unless such parking is in a designated parking area.
  3. On the South side of Pennsylvania from its intersection with Main Street to its intersection with South Greenberry Street.
  4. No part of a parked vehicle shall protrude within twenty-two (22) feet of either side of the intersection of Main Street and the former CSX crossing unless such parking is in a designated parking area.
  5. No person shall stop, park or leave standing any vehicle whether it is attended or unattended, on any property owned by, or under the control of any department of the Town of Sweetser at any time unless otherwise allowed by this Ordinance or by an Ordinance amending this Ordinance.
- (b) The Town Marshal or members of the Sweetser Police Department is hereby authorized to have vehicles removed that are parked in violation of this Code Section, at the vehicle owners expense, or to require the owner or other person in control of the vehicle to move the vehicle.
- (c) The stopping, standing and parking limitations set forth in this Code Section does not apply to authorized emergency vehicles as defined in Indiana Code 9-4-1-28.
- (d) Any Person violating any provision of this Code Section shall be fined not less than fifty dollars (\$50.00) on first offense and not less than One hundred Dollars (\$100.00) on second offense. All fines collected shall be deposited in the General



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**9-21-1-3 Emergency Snow Routes:**

- (a) The Town Council President or the Vice President of the Town Council in the absence of the Council President may declare a Snow Emergency when the weather conditions exist or threaten to exist that may substantially impede the free flow of traffic on Town streets as a result of the accumulation of snow or ice.
- (b) No person shall within two (2) hours after declaration of the Snow Emergency by the Town Council President and/or Vice President, park or cause a vehicle to remain upon any street designated as a Snow Emergency Route.
- (c) The following roads and streets listed below are designated as Snow Emergency Routes:
  - 1. Broadway Street
  - 2. Craven Street
  - 3. Jackson Street
  - 4. Main Street
  - 5. Meridian Street
  - 6. Greenberry Street
  - 7. Osborn Drive
  - 8. Allen Drive
  - 9. Laura Lane
  - 10. Pennsylvania
  - 11. Wes Way
  - 12. Delphi Pike
  - 13. Elm
  - 14. Eagle
  - 15. Ryan
  - 16. Scott
  - 17. Maple
  - 18. DeVoe
- (d) The Town Street Superintendent shall cause signs to be erected and maintained on roads and streets designating them as Snow Emergency Routes.

- (e) A snow emergency shall remain in effect until canceled by the Town Council President and/or Vice President.
- (f) In addition to the above mentioned Snow Emergency Routes, the Town Council President and/or Vice President may designate any other Town roads or streets as Snow Emergency Routes after a snow emergency has been declared.
- (g) The Town Marshal or any member of the Police Department may remove or cause to be removed, at the owner's expense, any vehicle remaining on a Snow Emergency Route after the declaration of a Snow Emergency.
- (h) Any person violating any provision of this Code Section shall be fined not more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00). All fines collected shall be deposited in the General Fund. Such violations of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be enforced pursuant to the provisions of I.C. 34-28-5-1 and I.C. 36-1-6-3(c) in the Gas City Municipal Court or such other Court as may be designated subsequently by the Sweetser Town Council; or such person issued the Citation for violating this Ordinance may plead guilty to this offense without appearing in the Gas City Municipal Court or any indicated amount of the fine by Money Order or Cashier's Check to the Clerk-Treasurer of the Town of Sweetser, 113 North Main Street, Sweetser, Indiana 46987, as the Violations Clerk as established by General Ordinance 2000-9.

This ordinance shall become effective after its passage and approval subsequent to a public hearing and after required publication.

Adopted this 24~~th~~ day of June 2004.

TOWN COUNCIL, TOWN OF SWEETSER,  
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