

ORDINANCE OF THE LAPORTE COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
NO. 84-2

ABANDONED VEHICLE ORDINANCE

Be it ordained by the Board of County Commissioners of the County of LaPorte, Indiana:

Section 1. That the Ordinance of LaPorte County prohibiting the keeping of motor vehicles without current license plates or any junked or abandoned vehicles on private or public property and providing penalties for the violation thereof, as passed by the LaPorte County Board of Commissions on March 5, 1973 is repealed.

Section 2. That the County of LaPorte, Indiana, adopts as its abandoned vehicle ordinance Public Law 128 of the Acts of 1981 (I.C. 9-9-1.1-1 thru I.C. 9-9-1.1-16) as amended, except as hereafter modified.

Section 3. The Building Commissioner of the County of LaPorte, Indiana, in cooperation with the Sheriff's Department, shall be the enforcement officer under this Ordinance.

Section 4. The enforcement officer may, in writing, order any person to comply with the terms of this Ordinance and may direct that any abandoned vehicle be removed as required by the State law within 72 hours. The failure of any person to comply with said order shall subject said person to civil fine as follows:

A. Each day of non-compliance with the provisions of the order constitutes a separate and distinct violation. Judgment of up to \$500.00 per day may be entered for a violation of this Ordinance.

B. The County Attorney shall enforce this Ordinance by civil action.

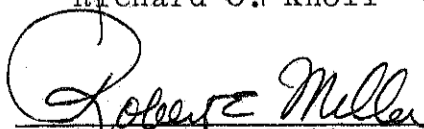
Section 5. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after passage, approval and publication.

Passed by the Board of Commissioners of the County of LaPorte, Indiana, on this 30 day of April, 1984.

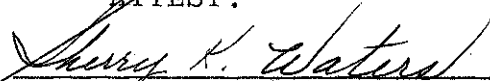
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