

Ordinance No. 89

Regulating traffic on certain streets and alleys in the Borough of Clymer by establishing individual parking spaces and the use of parking meters and penalties for violations of the provisions thereof.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Council of the Borough of Clymer, Indiana County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same.

Section I. That from and after the passage of this ordinance Council may from time to time by a resolution declare various streets and alleys or portions thereof in the said Borough of Clymer congested traffic areas and by such resolution authorize and fix individual parking spaces on said streets and alleys and place parking meters in the sidewalks or curbs adjacent thereto.

Section II. Whenever a vehicle is parked in an individual parking space where a parking meter has been installed, the person parking such vehicle shall deposit therein such coins as are designated on the said meter for the time he desires to park.

Council shall determine the length of time that parking is permissible in an individual parking space and the amount of money to be deposited therein for such time. Notice to the public shall be given by appropriate signs on the parking meter setting forth the length of time for which parking is permitted. Any vehicle which remains in an individual parking space for a longer time than the time permitted by the coin deposited is illegally parked.

And it shall be unlawful under the provisions of this ordinance to deposit or cause to be deposited in any parking meter, any slugs or

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substitute for United States coins and any person convicted of any such violation shall be guilty of an offense and a fine of not more than Ten (\$10.00) Dollars and costs shall be imposed for such violations.

The provisions of this ordinance shall not apply between the hours of six p.m. in the evening until nine a.m. the following morning of each week day except Saturday when the provisions of this ordinance shall not apply, between the hours of ten p.m. Saturday evening and a.m. the (nine) following Monday and this ordinance shall not apply on holidays.

Section III. All parking is prohibited in any parking space where a meter is installed unless a coin is deposited as required by the notice on said parking meter. It shall be the duty of the police officers of the Borough of Clymer acting in accordance with the instructions issued by the Burgess of the Borough of Clymer to report:

"A" The number of each parking meter opposite each parking space which indicates that the vehicle occupying the parking space adjacent thereto has exceeded the time permitted for the coin deposited therein.

"B" The State License number of such vehicle parked therein.

"C" The time of day the violation occurred.

"D" Any other facts, a knowledge of which is necessary to a thorough understanding of the circumstances attending such violation.

Each officer shall also attach to such vehicle a notice to the owner or operator thereof that such vehicle has been parked in violation of the provisions of this ordinance, specifying the offense, and instruct the owner or operator to report to the Burgess of the Borough of Clymer within twenty-four (24) hours and pay the sum of One (\$1.00) Dollar for such violation and in default thereof shall be subject to arrest and conviction for said violation and a penalty therefore not exceeding Ten (\$10.00) Dollars and costs.

Section IV. It shall be unlawful and a violation of the provisions of this ordinance for any person to refuse, injure, tamper with, open or willfully break, destroy or impair the usefulness of any parking meter installed under the provisions of this ordinance and a reward of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars will be paid to any person or group of persons furnishing the necessary information for the arrest and conviction of any person or persons so damaging and destroying any meter or meters as aforesaid and a penalty will be imposed therefor of not less than Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars and costs.

Section V. The Burgess shall designate some member or members of the Police Department, or other person, to collect daily, semi-weekly or weekly as he may direct, the sealed receptacles in the said meters containing the coins deposited therein and deliver the same to the Borough Treasurer of the Borough of Clymer. The Treasurer of said Borough shall remove the coins from the said receptacles, count the same and deposit the amount thereof to the credit of the Borough of Clymer.

Section VI. This ordinance shall be constructed in conjunction with all other ordinances of the Borough of Clymer regulating traffic, parking, and the use of the streets and alleys and interpreted in the light thereof.

Nothing in this ordinance shall be construed as prohibiting the Borough of Clymer from providing free parking space for loading and unloading, for taxicabs, stands, and for other matters of similar nature.

Section VII. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Ordained and Enacted into a law this 18th day of February 1946.

Garnet Christie
President of Council

Attest:

John E. Steele
Secretary

Examined and approved by me this 18th day of February 1946.

John W. Pomroy
Burgess