

# Town of Georgetown, IN

Ordinance # G-06- 11

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 73 OF  
THE GEORGETOWN CODE OF ORDINANCES,  
PROHIBITING PARKING ON PUBLIC STREETS  
IN ACCORDANCE WITH STATE LAW  
IN THE TOWN OF GEORGETOWN, INDIANA**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE  
TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GEORGETOWN,  
INDIANA THAT:**

**WHEREAS**, the Town Council of Georgetown has reviewed Chapter 73 of the Town's Code of Ordinances; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Town Council of Georgetown has identified that Schedule 2 of Chapter 73 is in violation of the State Statute (Indiana Code 9-21-16-1) and the Indiana Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (Section 3B-18). The Council believes that the Town's Ordinances must respect and comply with the State Laws for the good of the Town and the long-term safety of our citizens; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Indiana Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (Section 3B-18) specifically states there should be no parking is allowable on any street, the paved surface of which is 31 feet or less in width.

**WHEREAS**, parking on a public street has created problems for emergency and public safety vehicles to gain access to citizens who are in need of their help. Additionally, on-street parking has often prohibited snow removal, school bus traffic, and U.S. Mail Carriers from being able to deliver mail into the mail boxes. Lastly, on-street parking has caused disputes between neighbors that result in police officers being called to the scene to resolve the parking issues.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED:**

**SECTION 1.** Chapter 73 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read:

**SCHEDULE I. RESTRICTED PARKING.**

North side of High Street; said portions of High Street affected being those areas only between Georgetown-Greenville Road and Kepley Road within the town limits

**SCHEDULE II. NO PARKING.**

~~Kelly Avenue between State Road 64 and Walnut Street — Any time, northbound or southbound~~

~~Waits Road between State Road 64 and the railroad tracks—Any time, northbound or southbound—~~

~~Roy Street between High Street and unnamed alley north of High Street—Any time, northbound or southbound—~~

With the exception of parking allowed on one side High and Walnut streets, from Georgetown-Greenville Rd to Kepley Rd, as identified in Schedule I, no on-street parking is allowed on any public street in Georgetown.

**Section 73.99 PENALTY**

The penalty for violation of this Chapter shall be a local citation and fine in the amount of \$25.00 payable to the Office of the Georgetown Clerk-Treasurer. Each day of violation shall be considered a separate violation.

**A. Distribution of Fines**

**a. 50% of all fines collected shall be deposited into the Town's Motor Vehicle Highway Fund (#201) and the remaining 50% shall be deposited into the Town's Law Enforcement Continuing Education Fund (#233).**

**SECTION 2.** The remainder of the Code of Ordinances is confirmed and reiterated.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all Ordinances of the Town of Georgetown, Indiana which are in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict, and any Ordinance not in conflict with this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

Adopted by the Town Council of the Town of Georgetown, Indiana, this 20 day of April, 2006.

Gary L. Smith  
Gary Smith, President

Jeff McCaffrey  
Jeff McCaffrey, Vice President

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ATTEST:

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Doug Code, Georgetown Clerk/Treasurer