

TITLE: AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND SUPPLEMENT THE CODE OF THE CITY OF ORANGE TOWNSHIP, CHAPTER 200, ARTICLE VII, ENTITLED "TURN PROHIBITIONS AND LANE RESERVATIONS" TO PROHIBIT LEFT TURNS. (Sponsored by Councilmember Clifford R. Ross)

WHEREAS, the City of Orange Township is consistently assessing safety and quality of life matters for citizens and residents and looking for ways to improve same; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined and repeatedly observed that certain left-hand turns within the City present a clear and documented danger to motorists and pedestrians alike, creating conditions that significantly increase the likelihood of traffic collisions resulting in bodily harm, serious injury, and loss of life; and

WHEREAS, the absence of proper controls, including but not limited to "No Left Turn" signage and physical barriers, exacerbates these hazardous conditions, contributing to preventable accidents and disrupting the safe and efficient flow of traffic, causing congestion and delays that impact emergency response times and overall public safety; and

WHEREAS, a determination has been made that there is a need to update the municipal code to prohibit certain left turns.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Orange Township that Chapter 200 of the municipal code be amended and supplemented as follows:

SECTION 1.

§ 200-21.1. Left Turns Prohibited.

No person shall make a left turn at the following locations:

- A. From the Scotland Road entrance of the garage connected to the property located at 51 Lincoln Avenue to south on Scotland Road.

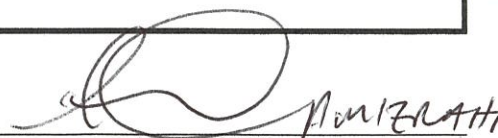
SECTION 2. Severability of Ordinance Provisions

Each section of this ordinance is an independent section, and the holding of any section or part thereof to be unconstitutional, void or ineffective for any cause shall not be deemed to affect the validity of constitutionality of any other sections or parts thereof.

SECTION 3. Conflict of Other Ordinance Provisions

That all ordinances and parts of ordinances and conflicts that are inconsistent with this ordinance are hereby repealed but only to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency.

Strikeouts are deletions. Underlines are added material.



CITY ATTORNEY

SECTION 4. Effective Date of Ordinance Provisions

That this ordinance shall take effect upon final passage upon expiration of twenty (20) days following publication unless otherwise provided

PURPOSE

To regulate left turns on roadways.

FISCAL IMPACT

Minimal.

Adopted:

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