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ORDINANCE NO. 66A-18 BOARD OF SUPERVISORS JAMES CITY COUNTY VIRGINIA

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND REORDAIN CHAPTER 11, MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC, OF THE CODE OF THE COUNTY OF JAMES CITY, VIRGINIA, ARTICLE I, IN GENERAL, SECTION 11-7, ADOPTION OF STATE LAW; ARTICLE II, DRIVING AUTOMOBILES, ETC., WHILE INTOXICATED OR UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF ANY DRUG, SECTION 11-28, ADOPTION OF STATE LAW, GENERALLY; ARTICLE III, STOPPING, STANDING AND PARKING, SECTION 11-46, KEEPING OF INOPERATIVE AUTOMOBILES IN RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL ZONE, OR LIMITED AGRICULTURAL, A-2, ZONE.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of James City, Virginia, that Chapter 11, Motor Vehicles and Traffic, is hereby amended and reordained by amending Section 11-7, Adoption of state law; Section 11-28, Adoption of state law, generally; and Section 11-46, Keeping of inoperative automobiles in residential, commercial zone, or limited agricultural, A-2, zone.

Chapter 11. Motor Vehicles and Traffic

Article I. In General

Section 11-7. Adoption of state law.

Pursuant to the authority of Section 46.1-188 of the Code of Virginia, as amended, all of the provisions and requirements of the laws of the state contained in Title 46.1 of the Code of Virginia, as amended, and in force on July 1, 1986, except those provisions and requirements the violation of which constitutes a felony, and except those provisions and requirements which by their very nature can have no application to or within the county, are hereby adopted and incorporated in this chapter by reference and made applicable within the county. References to "highways of the state" contained in such provisions and requirements hereby adopted shall be deemed to refer to the highways and other public ways within the county. Such provisions and requirements are hereby adopted, mutatis mutandis, and made a part of this chapter as fully as though set forth at length herein, and it shall be unlawful for any person, within the county, to violate or fail, neglect or refuse to comply with any provision of Title 46.1 of the Code of Virginia Ordinance to Amend and Reordain Chapter 11. Motor Vehicles Page 2

which is adopted by this section; provided, that in no event shall the penalty imposed for the violation of any provision or requirement hereby adopted exceed the penalty imposed for a similar offense under Title 46.1 of the Code of Virginia.

Article II. Driving Automobiles, etc., While Intoxicated or Under the Influence of any Drug

Section 11-28. Adoption of state law, generally.

Article 2 (Section 18.2-266 et seq.) of Chapter 7 of Title 18.2, Code of Virginia, as amended and in force July 1, 1986, is hereby adopted and made a part of this chapter as fully as though set out at length herein. It shall be unlawful for any person within the county to violate or fail, neglect or refuse to comply with any section of the Code of Virginia as adopted by this section.

Article III. Stopping, Standing and Parking

Section 11-46. Keeping of inoperative automobiles in residential, commercial zone, or limited agricultural, A-2, zone.

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to keep, except within a fully enclosed building or structure or otherwise shielded or screened from view, on any property zoned for residential or commercial or limited agricultural, A-2, purposes, any motor vehicle, trailer or semitrailer, as such is defined in Section 46.1-1 of the Code of Virginia, which is inoperative. An inoperative motor vehicle shall mean any motor vehicle which is not in operating condition; or which for a period of 60 days or longer has been partially or totally disassembled by the removal of tires and wheels, the engine, or other essential parts required for the operation of the vehicle or on which there are displayed neither valid license plates nor a valid inspection decal. The provisions of this act shall not apply to a licensed business which on June 26, 1970, is regularly engaged in business as an automobile dealer, salvage dealer, or scrap processor.

The owners of property zoned for residential or commercial or limited agricultural, A-2, purposes shall, at such time as the County or its agent may prescribe, remove therefrom any such inoperative motor vehicles, trailers or semitrailers that are not kept within a fully enclosed building or structure. If, after reasonable notice, the owner of the premises has failed to remove such vehicles, the County through its own agent or employees may remove them. The County through its own agent or employees may remove them. The County through its own agent or employees may dispose of such motor vehicles, trailers or semitrailers after giving additional notice to the owner of the vehicle.

The cost of any such removal and disposal shall be chargeable to the owner of the vehicle or premises and may be collected by the County as taxes and levies are collected. Every cost authorized by this Section with which the owner of the premises shall have been assessed shall constitute a lien against the property from which the vehicle was removed, the lien to continue until actual payment of such costs shall have been made to the County. Ordinance to Amend and Reordain Chapter 11. Motor Vehicles Page 3

State law reference - Authority of board of supervisors to enact this section, Code of Virginia, Section 15.1-11.1.

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William F. Brown, Chairman Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Λ James B. Oliver, Jr.

Clerk to the Board

Adopted by the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, this __7th day of __July____, 1986.

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SUPERVISOR	VOTE
BROWN	AYE
DEPUE	AYE
MAHONE	AYE
TAYLOR	NAY
Edwards	Absent