

ORDINANCE NO. 1443-17

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF GETTYSBURG, ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, TO BE ENACTED FOR THE PURPOSE OF AMENDING CHAPTER 15 OF THE BOROUGH CODE OF ORDINANCES RELATIVE TO PARKING OF MOTOR VEHICLES FOR PURPOSES OF SETTING FINES FOR PARKING VIOLATIONS AND REPEALING THE REDUCED FINE PAYMENT PROVISIONS.

The Borough Council of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, hereby enacts, adopts and ordains this Ordinance, amending Chapter 15, Parts 3, 4, 5 and 11 of the Code of Ordinances of the Borough of Gettysburg, as follows:

SECTION 1: Chapter 15, Part 3, General Parking Regulations, Section 312, shall be amended to read as follows:

§15-312. Penalties.

Any person who shall violate any provision of this Part 3 shall, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25.00 together with costs of prosecution.

SECTION 2: Chapter 15, Part 3, General Parking Regulations, Section 313, subsections 2. and 3. shall be amended to read as follows:

§15-313. Parking Tickets and Payment of Parking Tickets.

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2. A Borough police officer or a Borough Parking Department enforcement officer, who is reporting the parking violation, shall also leave on the windshield of such vehicle a parking ticket setting forth thereon a notice to the owner or operator thereof that such vehicle has been stopped or parked in violation of the provisions of this Part 3 and instructing the owner or operator to report to the Borough in regard to such violation and within seven (7) calendar days of the date of the violation to pay the fine set forth on the parking ticket as authorized herein by placing the full amount of the fine along with a copy of the parking ticket in an envelope and depositing the envelope in either the red fine box outside of the Borough building or in the gray box located at the cashier window inside of the lobby of the Borough building during normal business hours.

3. If the applicable fine is not paid within seven (7) calendar days from the time the notice of violation was issued, prosecution will be initiated for said violation, and upon conviction thereof, the owner or operator shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than \$25.00 together with costs of prosecution.

SECTION 3: Chapter 15, Part 4, On-Street Metered Parking, Section 411, subsections A. and B. shall be amended to read as follows:

§15-411. Fines.

A. Twenty-five (\$25.00) for each separate parking violation. Within seven (7) calendar days of the date of the violation, the owner or operator may pay the fine set forth on the parking ticket as authorized herein by placing the full amount of the fine along with a copy of the parking ticket in an envelope and depositing the envelope in either the red fine box outside of the Borough building or in the gray box located at the cashier window inside of the lobby of the Borough building during normal business hours of the Borough.

B. If the applicable fine is not paid within seven (7) calendar days from the time the notice of violation was issued, prosecution will be initiated for said violation, and upon conviction thereof, the owner or operator shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than \$25.00 together with costs of prosecution.

SECTION 4: Chapter 15, Part 5, Off-Street Metered Parking, Section 511, subsections A. and B. shall be amended to read as follows:

§15-511. Fines.

A. Twenty-five (\$25.00) for each separate parking violation. Within seven (7) calendar days of the date of the violation, the owner or operator may pay the fine set forth on the parking ticket as authorized herein by placing the full amount of the fine along with a copy of the parking ticket in an envelope and depositing the envelope in either the red fine box outside of the Borough building or in the gray box located at the cashier window inside of the lobby of the Borough building during normal business hours of the Borough.

B. If the applicable fine is not paid within seven (7) calendar days from the time the notice of violation was issued, prosecution will be initiated for said violation, and upon conviction thereof, the owner or operator shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than \$25.00 together with costs of prosecution.

SECTION 5: Chapter 15, Part 11, Parking Garage, Section 1107, Penalties for Violation, shall be amended to read as follows:

§15-1107. Penalties for Violation.

A. Pre-Payment Required/Overtime Parking. Any person who shall fail to make payment of any prescribed rate or fee prior to parking in the parking garage, at any kiosk, or by obtaining an on-line parking pass, shall be assessed an overtime parking violation fine in the amount of \$25.00 dollars. Within seven (7) calendar days of the date of the violation, the owner or operator may pay the fine set forth on the parking ticket as authorized herein by placing the full amount of the fine along with a copy of the parking ticket in an envelope and depositing the envelope in either the red fine box outside of the Borough building or in the gray box located at the cashier window inside of the lobby of the Borough building during normal business hours of the Borough.

B. If the applicable fine is not paid within seven (7) calendar days from the time the notice of violation was issued, prosecution will be initiated for said violation, and upon conviction thereof, the owner or operator shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than \$25.00 together with costs of prosecution.

C. Additional Penalties. Any person who shall fail to make payment of any prescribed rate or fee for parking in the parking garage at such time when payment of the rate or fee is required shall, in addition to paying the unpaid parking fee or rate owed to the Borough, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than \$60.00 nor more than \$600.00 together with costs of prosecution.

D. Any person who shall violate any other provision of this Part shall, upon conviction, be guilty of a summary offense and shall be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than \$1,000.00 per violation and the costs of prosecution.

SECTION 6: All remaining provisions of Chapter 15, Parts 3, 4, 5 and 11 shall remain in full force and effect unless otherwise repealed by any other ordinance. All other ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 7: This ordinance shall take effect upon enactment.

THIS ORDINANCE DULY ENACTED AND ORDAINED according to law on this 9th day of January, 2017, at a duly advertised general monthly business meeting of the Borough Council of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

BOROUGH OF GETTYSBURG

By: _____
Robert L. Krummerich
President of Borough Council

ATTEST:

By: _____
Sara L. Stull, Secretary

APPROVED this ____ day of _____, 2017.

By: _____
Theodore H. Streeter, Mayor