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## GREEN TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES RESOLUTION No. 06-0814-G

# RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING REGULATIONS ON STORAGE OF JUNK MOTOR VEHICLES AND UNLICENSED COLLECTOR'S VEHICLES

#### BY THE BOARD:

WHEREAS, Section 505.173 of the Ohio Revised Code authorizes the board of township trustees to adopt resolutions as the board considers necessary to regulate the storage of junk motor vehicles on private or public property within the unincorporated area of the township; and

WHEREAS, the Board has determined that establishing regulations for storage of junk motor vehicles on private or public property would benefit the citizens of Green Township.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Trustees of Green Township that the following regulations for storage of junk motor vehicles are adopted under the authority of Section 505.173 of the Ohio Revised Code effective immediately.

### REGULATIONS GOVERNING STORAGE OF JUNK MOTOR VEHICLES

- 1. For purposes of these regulations, a junk motor vehicle is defined as a vehicle which is: (A) three years old, or older; and (B) apparently inoperable; and (C) extensively damaged, such damage including, but not limited to flat tires, missing wheels, missing tires, damaged or missing motor, damaged or missing transmission; or body damage.
- 2. These regulations shall not restrict the operation of a scrap metal processing facility licensed under authority of sections 4737.05 to 4737.12 of the Revised Code; the operation as a motor vehicle salvage dealer, salvage motor vehicle auction, or salvage motor vehicle pool of a person licensed under Chapter 4738. of the Revised Code; or the provision of towing and recovery services conducted under sections 4513.60 to 4513.63 of the Revised Code, including the storage and disposal of junk motor vehicles removed from public or private property in accordance with those sections.
- 3. Any junk motor vehicle and any unlicensed collector's vehicle, must be concealed by a fitted tarp designed for covering motor vehicles or must be stored in a garage or other enclosed structure.

- 4. Regardless of whether it is licensed or unlicensed, a collector's vehicle is a junk motor vehicle for purposes of these regulations if the collector's vehicle meets all of the criteria of a junk motor vehicle as defined herein.
- 5. If a junk vehicle is concealed by a fitted tarp designed for covering motor vehicles, no other tangible property or debris may be placed or stored on top of the fitted tarp.
- 6. Violation of these regulations shall be a minor misdemeanor. Each day that a violation of these regulations continues constitutes a separate offense. Fines levied and collected under these regulations shall be paid into the township general revenue fund.
- 7. In addition to other remedies provided by law and in these regulations, the board of township trustees may also institute an action for injunction, mandamus, or abatement, or any other appropriate action or proceeding to prohibit the storage of junk motor vehicles in violation of these regulations.

**ADOPTED AT A REGULAR MEETING** of the Board of Township Trustees of Green Township, Hamilton County, Ohio the 14th day of August, 2006.

Mrs. Winkler Yes

Mr. Upton Yes

Mr. Mitchell - Yes

#### **CERTIFICATE OF FISCAL OFFICER**

**IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED** that the foregoing is a true and correct transcription of a resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees in session this 14<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2006.

Thomas J. Straus

Green Township Fiscal Officer

Hamilton County, Ohio