

ORDINANCE NO. 456

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF NEW OXFORD, ADAMS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING CHAPTER 15, PART 4, SECTION 404, BY PROHIBITING THE PARKING OF BUSES, CONSTRUCTION VEHICLES, RECREATIONAL VEHICLES, TRUCK TRACTORS, TRAILERS AND OTHER VEHICLES ON BOROUGH STREETS AND ALLEYS EXCEPT IN CERTAIN LOCATIONS.

The Borough Council of the Borough of New Oxford, Adams County, Pennsylvania, hereby enacts, adopts, and ordains that Chapter 15, Part 4, section 404 of the Code of Ordinances of the Borough of New Oxford, is hereby amended as follows:

SECTION 1: Chapter 15, Part 4, section 404 shall be amended to read as follows:

§404. Parking of Buses, Construction Vehicles, Recreational Vehicles, Truck Tractors, Trailers and Certain Other Vehicles on Borough Streets and Alleys Prohibited except in Certain Locations.

1. For the purposes of this section, the following definitions shall apply:

BOROUGH - Borough of New Oxford, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

BUS - A motor vehicle designated to transport sixteen (16) or more passengers, including the driver.

CONSTRUCTION VEHICLE - A three (3) or (4) axle vehicle engaged in construction operations.

EMERGENCY VEHICLE - A motor vehicle to include but not limited to vehicles providing medical, fire and rescue, law enforcement and public safety, hazardous materials, disaster or related assistance to persons or property.

GROSS VEHICLE WEIGHT RATING - The value specified on the federal weight certification label by the manufacturer as the loaded weight of a single vehicle.

MOTOR VEHICLE - A vehicle which is self-propelled except an electric personal assistive mobility device or a vehicle which is propelled solely by human power.

PARK - When prohibited, means the halting of a motor vehicle or vehicle, whether occupied or not, except momentarily for the purpose of and while actually engaged in loading or unloading property or passengers.

PASSENGER CAR - A motor vehicle, except a motorcycle, designed primarily for the transportation of persons and designed for carrying no more than fifteen (15) passengers, including the driver, and primarily used for the transportation of persons. The term includes motor vehicles which are designed with seats that may be readily removed and reinstalled, but does not include such vehicles if used primarily for the transportation of property.

RECREATIONAL VEHICLE - A motor vehicle designed or adapted for use as a mobile dwelling for recreational travel and camping purposes. Such term shall include a house coach or trailer, a mobile home, a motor home, a camper or any other type of camping vehicle.

SCHOOL BUS - A motor vehicle which (i) is designed to carry eleven (11) passengers or more, including a driver; and (ii) is used for the transportation of preprimary, primary or secondary school students to or from public, private or parochial schools or events related to such schools or school-related activities.

TRAILER - A vehicle designed to be towed by a motor vehicle.

TRUCK TRACTOR - A motor vehicle designed and used primarily for drawing other vehicles and not so constructed as to carry a load other than a part of the weight of the vehicle and load so drawn.

VEHICLE - Every device in, upon or by which any person or property is or may be transported or drawn upon a highway, except devices used exclusively upon rails or tracks.

WRECKER - A motor vehicle designed or constructed and used for the towing of abandoned or disabled vehicles.

2. Except as indicated below, it shall be unlawful for any person to park or the owner of any motor vehicle or vehicle to allow a motor vehicle or vehicle of the class or type listed below as defined hereinabove to remain parked in, on or along any street or alley used as a public passageway within the Borough:

- a. Bus.
- b. Construction vehicle.
- c. Recreational vehicle.
- d. School bus.
- e. Trailer.

- f. Truck tractor.
- g. Wrecker.
- h. Any motor vehicle or vehicle with a gross vehicle weight rating of 10,000 pounds or more.
- i. Any motor vehicle or vehicle having a height of greater than nine (9') feet or a length of greater than thirty (30') feet.

3. An emergency vehicle being used in the Borough in response to a call while on official business within the Borough shall be exempt from the parking prohibitions of this section when being used and parked for such limited purposes.

4. A wrecker being used in the Borough for the purpose of legally towing a motor vehicle which is located in, on or along a public street or alley shall be exempt from the parking prohibitions of this section when being used and parked for such limited purposes.

5. A commercial motor vehicle making or receiving local deliveries or making local service calls to specific properties within the Borough shall be exempt from the parking prohibitions of this section when being used and parked for such limited purposes.

6. Any recreational vehicle being used by a resident of the Borough may be parked in, on or along a public street or alley immediately adjacent to the dwelling of the resident for loading or unloading purposes in preparation for or immediately following use of the recreational vehicle by such resident outside of the Borough limits and may remain so parked for a period of time not to exceed fifteen (15) consecutive hours when being used for such purposes and shall be exempt from the parking prohibitions of this section when being used and parked for such limited purposes.

7. The parking of motor vehicles or vehicles in, on or along public streets or alleys otherwise prohibited by this section shall be allowed, but such parking shall be limited to a time period of forty-eight (48) hours, in the following locations within the Borough:

- a. On the south side of Commerce Street between Timbar Lane and the Timbar Packaging and Display plant.
- b. On South College Street south of Timbar Lane.
- c. On Commerce Street between Hanover Street and South College Street.
- d. On West Golden Lane between North Bolton Street and Tracey Avenue.

SECTION 2: All remaining provisions of Chapter 15, Part 4 of the Code of Ordinances of the Borough of New Oxford shall remain in full force and effect unless otherwise repealed by this or any other ordinance of the Borough of New Oxford. All other ordinances or parts of ordinances of the Borough of New Oxford inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3: This ordinance shall take effect upon enactment.

THIS ORDINANCE DULY ENACTED AND ORDAINED according to law on this 7th day of March, 2016, at a duly advertised general monthly business meeting of the Borough Council of the Borough of New Oxford.

BOROUGH OF NEW OXFORD

By: *Dorothy M. Robinson*
Dorothy M. Robinson
President of Borough Council

Attest:

Tania K. Kepner
Tania K. Kepner, Secretary/Treasurer

APPROVED this 7th day of March, 2016.

Portia C. Bosch
Portia C. Bosch, Mayor