

**AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE NO. 11-05**

**AN ORDINANCE DEALING WITH REGULATING WINTER PARKING  
DURING SNOW EMERGENCIES IN THE CITY OF CLINTON**

Findings.

1. There have been several people in the City of Clinton who have been parking their motor vehicles on public streets even after snow emergencies have been declared;
2. Failure to remove a motor vehicle during a snow emergency prevents the streets from being properly cleared and also poses a risk to city equipment, and existing civil penalties have proven not to be adequate enough to motivate people to move their motor vehicles in those circumstances; and
3. The Clinton City Council believes that it is in the best interests of the residents of the City of Clinton to modify its Ordinance in order to enhance the penalties against those people who do not move their motor vehicles after a snow emergency has been declared in the City of Clinton.

**NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLINTON ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:**

1. That Clinton City Ordinance No. 11-05 is hereby amended to add the following:

“7. Any person who violates any provision of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction, may be punished with a sentence of not more than 90 days or a fine of not more than \$1,000, or both.”

PASSED AND ADOPTED this \_\_\_ day of April, 2019.

CLINTON CITY COUNCIL



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Greg Basta, Mayor

ATTEST:



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Karianna Wiegman, City Clerk

Adoption:

Motion:

Seconded:

Published:

WINTER PARKING ORDINANCE - Number 11-05

The City Council of the City of Clinton hereby ordains:

1. Parking on public streets, alleys, and rights of way is prohibited immediately after a snowfall of at least 2 (two) inches of snow and continue until the streets have been plowed.
2. Parking on public streets, alleys, and rights of way is further prohibited when a representative of the City's Maintenance Department or other authorized representative of the City authorized by the City Council declares a snow emergency for the removal of snow and ice from City streets.
3. A snow emergency may be called by persons set forth in paragraph 2 when conditions exist which in the City's discretion require streets to be free of parked vehicles for the removal of snow and ice on public streets, alleys, and rights of way.
4. When a snow emergency is called, parking on public streets, alleys, and rights of way shall be prohibited immediately after calling the snow emergency. The City shall make reasonable efforts to notify the general public through radio broadcast from a radio station providing a signal to the City. Failure to broadcast notice of the snow emergency shall not relieve persons from complying with the snow emergency nor with other provisions of this ordinance. Public notification is not required where the snowfall exceeds 2 (two) inches.
5. Any City maintenance personnel or law enforcement officer or other persons authorized by the City Council may impound vehicles parked in violation of the provisions of this ordinance or when such vehicle constitutes an obstruction to traffic or a hindrance of snow and ice removal.
6. If the vehicle is impounded, the owner of the vehicle must pay for the towing and storage fees related to the impounding.

PASSED by the Clinton City Council this 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2005.

Shirley D. Finberg, Mayor  
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Date: 11-10-05

David Stotesbery, Clerk  
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