

This supersedes Ordinance No. 99-011

**ADOPTION OF MODEL TRAFFIC ORDINANCE**

- Section 1: Chapter 300, consisting of Sections 300.010 through 300.600, revised Statutes of Missouri commonly know as the “Model Traffic Ordinance,” is hereby adopted as and for the Traffic Ordinance of this Town with like effect as if recited at length herein as authorized by Section 300.600 RSMo.
- Section 2: The Court of jurisdiction shall establish a traffic violations bureau to assist the Court with the clerical work of traffic cases. The bureau shall be in charge of such person or persons and shall be open at such hours as the officer of the Court may designate. The Judge of the court who hears traffic cases shall designate the specified offenses under this law or under the Traffic Ordinances of the Town and the State traffic laws in accordance with the Supreme Court Rules in respect to which payments of fines may be accepted by the traffic violation bureau in satisfaction of and shall specify suitable schedules setting forth the amount of such fines for first, second and subsequent offenses, provided such fines are within the limits declared by law or Ordinance, and shall further specify what number of offenses shall require appearance before the Court.
- Section 3: Unless another penalty is expressly provided by law, every person convicted of a violation of any provision of this Ordinance shall be punished by a fine or imprisonment, or by both a fine and imprisonment as set forth in a schedule approved by the Board of Trustees which is currently in effect or hereinafter amended or in case there is no provision for a set fine or imprisonment, then the judge shall determine the fine and imprisonment or any combination of, in accordance with the Ordinances relating to.
- Section 4: All existing Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with the “Model Traffic Ordinance” are hereby repealed on the effective date thereof.
- Section 5: This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon final passage by the Board of Trustees and shall continue in effect as it now exists or is in the future amended unless repealed by action of the Board of Trustees.
- Section 6: All violations for which the Board of Trustees has not set a specific fine shall have a fine set by the judge.

In addition to the Court costs, the Judge may assess jail costs in the case and medical costs as provided in Section 479.260.1 RSMo and the Judge may further assess for arrests involving alcohol or drug related traffic offenses pursuant to Section 577.048 RSMo, the reasonable cost of making the arrest and the cost of any chemical tests made in the case.