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ORDINANCE NO. #25

AN ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT THE OBSTRUCTION IN ANY WAY OF ANY STREET, PUBEIC PLACE OR SIDEWALK IN THE CITY OF LAKEWOOD, TENNESSEE, AND TO MAKE IT UNLAWFUL AND A NUISANCE FOR ANY VEHICLE TO BE LEFT PARKED IN ANY STREET, PUBLIC PLACE OR SIDEWALK IN THE CITY OF LAKEWOOD, TENNESSEE, AND TO PROVIDE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF LAKEWOOD, TENNESSEE, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful for anyone to obstruct in any way any street, public place or sidewalk except as authorized by law and an obstruction within the meaning of this Section shall be construed to mean to so occupy the sidewalk, street or public place that the preuse and enjoyment thereof by the public is in any way interrupted and interferred with. The City Manager is authorized and directed to remove such obstruction after notice and request to the person so offended to remove such obstruction and the person offending shall be liable to pay double the expense of removing such obstruction.

SECTION 2. It shall be a nuisance and unlawful for any vehicle to be left parked on any street, sidewalk or public place within the City of Lakewood, Tennessee for a period of one week under circumstances which indicates that ownership of said vehicle has been abandoned and such vehicle may be removed and stored at the discretion of the City Manager and if not claimed by its owner within three months, may be sold and the proceeds therefrom shall be deposited to the general fund of the City of Lakewood, Tennessee.

SECTION 3. Any person, firm or corporation violating any provisions of this ordinance shall upon conviction be fined not less than Five ($5.00) Dollars nor more than Fifty ($50.00) Dollars, and that each violation of this ordinance occurring on a different day shall be and constitute a separate offense, punishable by fine as above set forth.

SECTION 4. Be it further provided that this ordinance shall take effect from and after the date of its passage, the public welfare requiring it.

L. L. Tessell Comm.

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ATTEST: Guy Smith
CITY MANAGER