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Ordinance No. 02 1978

AN ORDINANCE adopting the Washington Model Traffic Ordinance and other traffic statutes to regulate traffic on the roadways of Clallam County, repealing ordinance 35-1971, and adopting a chapter in the Clallam County Code (C.C.C.)

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF CLALLAM COUNTY COMMISSIONERS;

Chapter 11.01* TRAFFIC CODE

Sections:

11.01.010 Adoption by Reference

11.01.020 Disposition of Traffic Fines and Forfeitures

11.01.030 Official Misconduct

11.01.040 Filing of Ordinance

11.01.050 Severability

11.01.060 Repealer

C.C.C. 11.01.010. Adoption by Reference. The "Washington Model Traffic Ordinance", Chapter 46.90 RCW, hereinafter referred to as the "MTO", and RCW 46.52.088, 46.61.072, 46.61.202, 46.61.215, 46.61.261, 46.61.264, 46,61.266, 46.61.269, 46.61.520, 46.61.540, 46.61.606, 46.61.608, 46.61.614, and 46.65.017 are hereby adopted by reference as and for the traffic ordinance of this county as if set forth in full herein.

<u>C.C.C. 11.01.020 Disposition of Traffic Fines and Forfeitures.</u> All fines and forfeitures collected for violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deposited in the Current Expense Fund of Clallam County, after a pro-rated share of the expense of the administration of the District Court has been deducted.

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<u>C.C.C. 11.01.030. Official Misconduct</u>. Failure, refusal, or neglect on the part of any judicial or other officer or employee receiving or having custody of any such fine or forfeiture of bail, either before or after a deposit in said general fund, to comply with the provisions of section .020 shall constitute misconduct in office and shall be grounds for removal therefrom, provided appropriate removal action is taken pursuant to state law relating to removal of public officials.

<u>C.C.C. 11.01.040.</u> Filing of Ordinance. Incident to the adoption of the MTO by reference, by this ordinance, copies of the text of the adopted MTO and of other adopted statutes shall be filed as required under the Revised Code of Washington for use and examination by the public.

<u>C.C.C. 11.01.050.</u> Severability. If any section, sub-section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this chapter is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of the remaining portions of this chapter; it being hereby expressly declared that this chapter and each section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause and phrase thereof would have been adopted irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, sub-sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases be declared invalid or unconstitutional.

<u>C.C.C. 11.01.060. Repealer</u>. Ordinance No. 35-1971 and all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

ADOPTED this 20 day of March, 1978.

BOARD OF CLALLAM COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Howard V. Doherty, Jr. Chairman

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ATTEST:

Ben G. Stone

Clerk of the Board