PENINSULA TOWNSHIP JUNK ORDINANCE No. 41

THE TOWNSHIP OF PENINSULA, GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY, MICHIGAN ORDAINS:

Section 101 General Provisions

Title: This ordinance shall be known and cited as the Peninsula Township Junk Ordinance.

Statement of Intent: The regulation of junk in and throughout the community shall continue to retain and protect the public health, safety and general welfare of the residents, property owners and property values within Peninsula Township, Grand Traverse County, Michigan.

Section 102 Definition

<u>Junk:</u> Any motor vehicle, machinery, appliance, product or merchandise, scrap metal, other scrap materials which are damaged, deteriorated, or that are in a condition which prevents their use for the purpose for which they were intended, and household trash.

Section 103 Prohibited Acts & Enforcement

The Grand Traverse County Sheriff and his deputies are authorized as local enforcement officers for the following actions which are prohibited:

A. No person shall place, discard, or abandon junk in a place where it is visible from a highway, street, or other public way, or where it is visible to an abutting landowner from that portion of the land used on a regular basis. No person shall place, discard or abandon junk on public property or the private property of another, regardless if visible from a highway, street, or other public way, or from adjoining land.

Section 104 Penalties

- A. A violation of this ordinance is a municipal civil infraction, subject to a maximum fine of \$500.00 plus court costs.
- B. Commencing thirty (30) days after receiving notice of a violation, if not abated, each day the violation continues shall constitute a separate violation of this ordinance.

Section 107 Severability

Each of the provisions of this ordinance is severable, and if any part is held invalid for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining parts shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 108 Effective Date

This ordinance shall take effect on April 13, 2010.

ORDINANCE CERTIFICATION

At a regular meeting of the Peninsula Township Board, Grand Traverse County, held in the Peninsula Township Hall, located at13235 Center Rd., Traverse City, Michigan, on
<u>April 13</u> , 2010, at 7:00 p.m.
PRESENT: Rosi, Wilson, Weatherholt, Hoffman, Byron, Horton & Manigold ABSENT: None
It was moved by <u>Manigold</u> and supported by <u>Byron</u> that the
following Ordinance be adopted:
(See attached PENINSULA TOWNSHIP ORDINANCE)
YES: Byron, Horton, Rosi, Manigold NO: Hoffman, Wilson, Weatherholt
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ORDINANCE DECLARED ADOPTED.
PENINSULA TOWNSHIP
By:
I, the undersigned, the Clerk of the Township of Peninsula, Grand Traverse County, Michigan, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of certain proceedings taken by the Peninsula Township Board of said County at its regular meeting held on April 13 2010, relative to adoption of the ordinance therein set forth; that said meeting was conducted and public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with the Open Meetings Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, and that the minutes of said meeting were kept and will be made available as required by said Act; this ordinance was published in the Traverse City Record Eagle on April 18 , 2010.
Dated: 4/13/p Monica A. Hoffman, Clerk

Note: The Ordinance and this Ordinance Certification should be placed in the Township Ordinance Book.