

IOWA COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. 4

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE STANDING OR PARKING OF VEHICLES

SECTION 1. Purpose. The purpose of this ordinance is to regulate the standing or parking of vehicles on roads and highways under the jurisdiction of Iowa Counts and to provide for punishment for violation of this Ordinance.

SECTION 2. Authority to Establish. The Board of Supervisors of Iowa County is empowered under the authority of Iowa Code Section 321.236 and specifically 321.239 to restrict the parking of vehicles in the right of way of any highway under its jurisdiction by the adoption of traffic ordinances.

SECTION 3. Notice of Hearing. The Board of Supervisors shall fix a time and place of hearing and cause notice to be published at least once, not less than four nor more than twenty days before the date of hearing in a newspaper of general circulation in Iowa County, Iowa. The newspaper notice shall set forth the area of restriction or prohibition of standing or parking of vehicles under any highway under the jurisdiction of Iowa County, Iowa, that is to be affected by the current ordinance. Notice is not required to include a specific description of every highway that parking is to be prohibited on. The said description shall be on file in the Iowa County Auditor's Office and referred to as being on file in such office in the publication notice. The notice shall include the township in which the road is located.

SECTION 4. Hearing and Establishment. Area in which parking is to be prohibited is established by resolution. On the date fixed for hearing or any day to which the hearing has been adjourned, upon proof to its satisfaction made by affidavit of due publication and posting of the notice of hearing, the board shall consider any and all relevant evidence and if the Board finds that the proposed no parking areas are practical, it may establish said no parking zones by proper resolution. The no parking zone shall be marked by no parking signs, placement of which shall be states by the Board in establishing said zone.

SECTION 5. Punishment. Any person violating a no parking zone established under provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a Misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction, be fined not to exceed \$25.00, or be imprisoned not to exceed seven days in the County Jail.

SECTION 6. When Effective. This ordinance shall be in effect after its final passage, approval, and publication as provided by Law.

Effective: July 14, 1986