

EMERGENCY ORDINANCE 2024-05

**BICYCLE SAFETY GUIDELINES FOR THE SAFE OPERATION OF BICYCLES WITHIN
THE VILLAGE LIMITS OF TREMONT CITY**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Village of Tremont City, State of Ohio:

Whereas it is the Village of Tremont City Council to ensure the safety of all resident children while operating their bicycles inside the village limits.

No person under the age of fifteen shall operate their bicycles on any of the Village's main throughfares/street to include North and South Mulberry Streets and East and West Main Streets. While operating a bicycle on any of the forementioned streets all bicyclist under the age of fifteen shall use the sidewalks of these streets.

Violation of this ordinance will impose the following penalties:

1st Offense: Verbal Warning and a letter sent to the child's parent or guardian

2nd Offense: Confiscate bicycle and place in the Police office and surrender it upon a parent or guardian coming with the child to retrieve the bicycle.

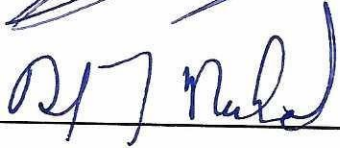
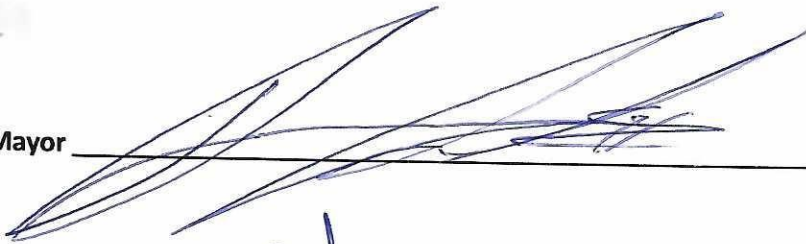
3rd Offense: Confiscate bicycle and place in the rear of the Municipal garage where it will be impounded for 1 week and the child violating this ordinance will have their bicycle riding privileges suspended for 1 week, and parent or guardian notified of violation and disciplinary action taken.

4th Offense: Child in violation of this ordinance will have their bicycle riding privileges suspended for the remainder of the calendar year and the parent or guardian will be cited into our Magistrate court under this ordinance as an unclassified misdemeanor and a fine not to exceed \$500 be imposed by the Magistrate.

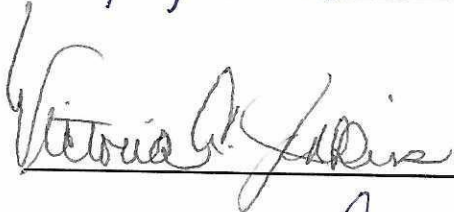
Signatures

Upon motion by VICKI JENKINS and seconded by STEVE HENDER, to accept the motion. The roll being called upon its adoption which resulted as follows:

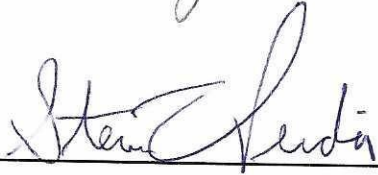
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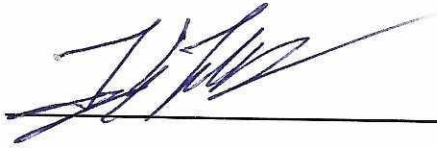
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This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.