

ORDINANCE NO. 5

# Traffic Regulations and Enforcement Ordinance

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*An ordinance to adopt by reference the Michigan Vehicle Code and the Uniform Traffic Code for Michigan cities, townships and villages and to adopt certain amendments to the Code.*

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THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF MADISON ORDAINS:

**Section 1. Title**

This ordinance shall be known and cited as the Charter Township of Madison Traffic Regulations and Enforcement Ordinance

**Section 2. Codes Adopted**

- a. The Michigan Vehicle Code, 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.1 to 257.923, is adopted by reference.
- b. The Uniform Traffic Code for cities, townships and villages as promulgated by the director of the department of the state police and published in the Michigan Administrative Code, 1956 PA 62, MCL 257.951 *et seq.* is adopted by reference.

**Section 3. References in Codes**

References in the Michigan Vehicle Code and the Uniform Traffic Code to "local authorities" shall mean the Charter Township of Madison.

**Section 4. Notice to Be Published**

The township clerk shall publish this ordinance in the manner required by law and shall publish, at the same time, a notice stating the purpose of the Michigan Vehicle Code and the Uniform Traffic Code and the fact that a complete copy of both codes is available to the public at the office of the clerk for inspection.

**Section 5. Inspection of Code**

A complete copy of the Michigan Vehicle code and the Uniform Traffic Code be kept at the Township offices and be made available for inspection by the public during regular business hours.

**Section 6. Conflicting Ordinances Repealed**

All prior traffic code ordinances are repealed and all other ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of the Michigan Vehicle Code and the Uniform Traffic Code are, to the extent of such inconsistency, repealed.

**Section 7. Penalties**

The penalties provided by the Michigan Vehicle Code are adopted by reference, provided, however, that the Township may not enforce any provision of the Michigan Vehicle Code for which the maximum period of imprisonment is greater than 93 days.

**Section 8. Effective Date**

This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after its adoption.

YEAS: 7  
NAYS: 0  
ABSENT: 0

**Ordinance declared adopted on October 8, 2002.**

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Theodore C. Dusseau  
Township Supervisor for the  
Charter Township of Madison

**CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION AND PUBLICATION**

I, Arnold O. Harper, the duly elected Clerk of the Charter Township of Madison certify that the foregoing ordinance is a true and correct copy of the ordinance enacted by the Township Board of the Charter Township of Madison on October 8, 2002 and published in the Adrian Daily Telegram, a newspaper circulated in the Charter Township of Madison on October 11, 2002.

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Arnold O. Harper  
Township Clerk for the  
Charter Township of Madison