

Milton Township Notice of Adoption of
MILTON TOWNSHIP ORDINANCE NUMBER 2007-02

MILTON TOWNSHIP ENFORCEMENT OFFICER ORDINANCE

Adopted: July 16, 2007

Effective: August 25, 2007

An ordinance to establish the office of Ordinance Enforcement Officer; to prescribe the duties of said office; to authorize the Township Board to appoint any person or persons to said office, and to amend any ordinances of Milton Township which conflict with the provisions hereof.

MILTON TOWNSHIP, located in Cass County, Michigan ORDAINS:

Section 1: Ordinance Enforcement Officer. The position of Ordinance Enforcement Officer within Milton Township, Cass County, Michigan is hereby established.

Section 2: Appointment. The Milton Township Board is hereby authorized, by motion and/or resolution, to appoint any person or persons to the office of Ordinance Enforcement Officer for such term or terms as may be designated in said motion and/or resolution. Said Board may further, by motion and/or resolution, remove any person from said office, in the discretion of said Board.

Section 3: Authority. The Ordinance Enforcement Officer is hereby authorized to enforce all ordinances of Milton Township, whether currently or hereafter enacted, and whether such ordinances specifically designate a different official to enforce the same or do not designate any particular enforcing officer. Where a particular officer is so designated in any such ordinance, the authority of the Ordinance Enforcement Officer to enforce the same shall be in addition and supplementary to the authority granted to such other specific officer. An Ordinance Enforcement Officer shall in the performance of the officer's duties be subordinate and responsible to the Supervisor or such other Township Board member as the Township Board may from time to time designate.

Section 4: Duties. The ordinance enforcement duties shall include the following:

Investigating ordinance violations;

Issuing and serving notice of violations;

Serving appearance tickets as authorized under MCL 764.9c, as amended;

Appearing in court or other proceedings to assist in the prosecution of ordinance violators, and

Such other ordinance enforcement duties as may be delegated by the Township Board, Township Supervisor or other Township official authorized to assign such duties.

Section 5: Severability. The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable and if any part is declared invalid for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction it shall not affect the remainder of the Ordinance which shall continue in full force and effect.

Section 6: Supplementary Effect. All ordinances of the Township heretofore or hereafter adopted shall be considered to be supplemented the terms of this Ordinance.

Section 7: Repeal. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent they are in conflict, but only to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency.

Section 8: Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect 30 days after publication.

Copies of the ordinance may be viewed at the Milton Township Hall located at 2576 E. Bertrand Road, Niles, Michigan, Mondays & Fridays, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Wednesdays, 9:00 a.m. to 1 p.m. or by appointment by calling the Township Clerk at 269-684-7262.

Jacqueline Boggs, Milton Township Clerk.