

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**

**COUNTY OF LEELANAU VILLAGE OF NORTHPORT**

**ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_**

**AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE OVERNIGHT PARKING OF UNATTACHED TRAILERS**

**THE VILLAGE OF NORTHPORT ORDAINS:**

**SECTION 1 TITLE**

This ordinance shall be known and cited as the “Village of Northport Unattached Trailer Ordinance”.

**SECTION 2 PURPOSE**

The purposes of this ordinance are to:

1. Promote and protect the health, safety, and general welfare of the residents and property owners in the Village.
2. Limit the outdoor storage of boats, boat trailers, and other trailers and towed accessories for the purpose of protecting property values and the health, safety, and welfare of residents of the Village.
3. Protect the Village’s natural resources.

**SECTION 3 AUTHORIZATION**

This ordinance is authorized and enacted pursuant to MCL 66.1, *et seq.*, and other applicable laws.

**SECTION 4 UNLAWFUL ACTS**

Unattached accessories such as trailers and boats are prohibited from being parked on any village street overnight unless attached to a motor vehicle in which case, are limited to a 48 hour time period.

**SECTION 5 PERSONS AUTHORIZED TO ENFORCE THIS ORDINANCE AND TO ISSUE MUNICIPAL CIVIL INFRACTION CITATIONS**

The following persons are authorized to enforce this Ordinance and to issue municipal civil infraction citations under this Ordinance pursuant to MCL 600.8701-8735, as amended of the Revised Judicature Act:

1. Village DPW Superintendent;
2. Village Zoning Administrator;
3. Village Clerk

4. Leelanau County Sheriff Deputies; and
5. All other persons authorized by Resolution of the Village Council.

**SECTION 6 MUNICIPAL CIVIL INFRACTION PENALTIES**

Any person violating this Ordinance shall be deemed to be responsible for a municipal civil infraction and shall be subject to a fine of \$50 per night per occurrence.

**SECTION 7 SEVERABILITY**

This Ordinance and the various parts, sections, sub-sections, phrases, sentences, paragraph, and clauses thereof are hereby declared to be severable. If any part, sentence, paragraph, section, sub-section, phrases, or clause is adjudged unconstitutional or invalid, it shall not affect the remainder of the Ordinance.

**SECTION 8 REPEAL**

This Ordinance repeals any prior Northport Village trailer parking ordinance.

**SECTION 9 EFFECTIVE DATE AND ADOPTION**

This Ordinance shall take effect on the 20<sup>th</sup> day after its passage, or upon the date of its publication, which occurs first.

Date Approved:

Those Voting in Favor:

Those Voting Against:

Those Absent or Abstaining:

**CERTIFICATION**

I, Joni L. Scott, Clerk of the Village of Northport, Leelanau County, Michigan, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the Northport Village Junk and Inoperable Vehicle Ordinance of 2016 as adopted by the Northport Village Council at a meeting held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016, at which a quorum was present.

Date:

Published:  
Filed with the County Clerk:  
Village of Northport, Clerk