

Ordinance No. 78

Street Naming and Numbering Ordinance

Napoleon Township

An ordinance to preserve and protect the historical street names and numbering within the Township of Napoleon, to preserve township government responsibility for assignment of new addresses and street names, and to preserve township government responsibility for changes to existing street names and addresses, these being local affairs of the Township of Napoleon protected from interference under PA 156 of 1851 (MCL 46.11) (j).

The Township of Napoleon ordains:

Section 1. Purpose

The Township of Napoleon deems it important to protect the historical street names and numbering within the township, in order to protect and perpetuate the history of the community and to avoid burdening the residents and businesses within the township with the cost of unnecessary address changes, which changes could have a potentially devastating economic impact on the residents and businesses within the township.

Section 2. Prohibition on Changing Street Names and Numbering

No street names or addresses within the township shall be assigned, altered or changed without the prior approval of the Napoleon Township Board of Trustees in the form of a formal resolution.

Section 3. Nuisance Per Se

Any violation of this ordinance shall be deemed to be a nuisance per se and the township is authorized to file an action in a court of competent jurisdiction seeking an injunction to enforce the provisions of this ordinance.

Moved by Wymer seconded by Hawker

YEAS: Wymer, Wilson, Hawker, Horsch

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Stetler

Ordinance declared adopted on January 13, 2015.

Dan Wymer
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Napoleon Township Supervisor