

ORDINANCE NO. 799

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF MILLIKEN, COLORADO, AMENDING PORTIONS OF THE MODEL TRAFFIC CODE REGARDING TICKETING OF UNATTENDED VEHICLES ON PUBLIC PROPERTY

WHEREAS, the Town of Milliken adopted by reference the 2020 Edition of the “Model Traffic Code for Colorado” in Chapter 8 Article I Section 10 of the Milliken Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Milliken desires to make an addition to Chapter 8, Article I, Section 30, of the Milliken Municipal Code, which will have the effect of amending the Model Traffic Code as adopted by the Town;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF MILLIKEN, COLORADO, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Board hereby makes the following addition to Section 8-1-30 of the Milliken Municipal Code:

G. Part 17, Section 1701(6) is hereby modified to read in its entirety as follows:

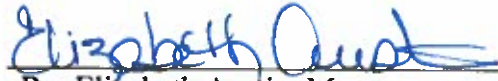
(6) A police officer coming upon an unattended vehicle, as “vehicle” is defined in section 8-3-10(a) of the Milliken Municipal Code, that is in apparent violation of any provision of this Code or the Milliken Municipal Code on public property, including any street, road, or alley, may place upon the vehicle a penalty assessment notice indicating the offense or infraction and directing the owner or operator of the vehicle to remit the penalty assessment and surcharges provided for by the Town of Milliken schedule of municipal code fines to the clerk of the Milliken Municipal Court (“Court Clerk”) within twenty days. If the penalty assessment and surcharge thereon is not paid within twenty days of the issuance of the notice, the Court Clerk shall mail a notice to the registered owner of the vehicle, setting forth the offense or infraction and the time and place where it occurred and directing the payment of the penalty assessment and surcharge thereon within twenty days from the issuance of the notice. If the penalty assessment and surcharge thereon is not paid within the twenty days from the date of mailing of such notice, the Court Clerk shall request the police officer who issued the original penalty assessment notice to file a complaint with the Milliken Municipal Court and issue and serve upon the registered owner of the vehicle a summons to appear in court at a time and place specified therein as in the case of other offenses or infractions.

Section 2. This ordinance shall not affect or prevent the prosecution or punishment of any person for any act done or committed in violation of any ordinance prior to the taking effect of this ordinance.

Section 3. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect thirty days after publication as provided by law.

INTRODUCED, READ, PASSED, AND ADOPTED THIS 13th DAY OF APRIL, 2022.

TOWN OF MILLIKEN



By: Elizabeth Austin, Mayor

ATTEST:



Caree Rinebarger, Acting Town Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Matthew T. Gould, Town Attorney