CITY OF GARFIELD BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY ORDINANCE NO.: 3033

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING PART II, GENERAL LEGISLATION, CHAPTER 226, OVERNIGHT PARKING, OF THE REVISED GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF GARFIELD

WHEREAS, to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of the City of Garfield, the Governing Body seeks to limit the parking of larger vehicles from parking overnight on City streets;

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and City Council of Garfield, County of Bergen, State of New Jersey, the current text of City Ordinance, Part II, General Legislation, Chapter 226, Parking, Article VIII, Overnight Parking, is hereby amended as follows:

Section 1. Part II, General Legislation, Chapter 226 is repealed and replaced as follows:

§ 226-40 Prohibition on parking on public and City streets.

- **A.** No person and/or business entity shall park a vehicle between the hours of 3:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. on public or municipally owned property and City streets. Violations of this section shall be considered a motor vehicle parking violation and shall be subject to the penalties as those set forth in § 226-42 of the City Code of the City of Garfield.
- **B.** No vehicle, including but not limited to, van, truck or recreational vehicle, that exceeds 22 feet in length and eight feet in width shall be permitted to park on any street in the City of Garfield between the hours of 10:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m.
 - (1) The temporary standing of the aforementioned prohibited vehicle shall be permitted for the loading and unloading of passengers or property not to exceed 15 minutes.
- C. Vehicles over the registered gross weight designated in § 226-41 of the City Code of the City of Garfield are hereby excluded from the streets or parts of streets described therein, except for the pickup and delivery of materials on such streets.
- **D.** No person shall park an oversized vehicle, including but not limited to, truck, tractor, trailer, semi-trailer or omnibus, having a vehicle registered gross weight or combination of vehicles having registered gross weights in excess of 5,000 pounds upon any street between the hours specified as described in § 226-41A.

§ 226-41 Vehicles over designated weight.

In accordance with the provisions of subsection § 226-40C, vehicles over designated weights indicated below are excluded from the following described streets or parts of streets, except for pickup and delivery of material on such streets.

A. In accordance with the provisions of § 226-40D, no person shall park an oversized vehicle, including but not limited to, truck, tractor, semi-tractor or omnibus, having a vehicle weight or combination of weights in excess of 5,000 pounds upon any street between the hours specified.

| Name of Street | Side | Hours |
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| All streets | Both | 10:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. |
| Bogart Avenue, from Midland Avenue to River Drive | Both | Anytime |
| Hobart Place, from Marsellus Place to Spencer Place | Both | Anytime |
| Hobart Place, from Midland Avenue to Marsellus Place | Both | Anytime |
| Lincoln Place, from Passaic Street to Hobart Place | Both | Anytime |
| Marsellus Place, from River Road to Passaic Street | Both | Anytime |
| Passaic Street, from River Drive to Frederick Street | Both | Anytime |
| Spencer Place, from Passaic Street to Hobart Place | Both | Anytime |

§ 226-42 Violations and penalties.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this article shall be punished by one or more of the following: a fine not exceeding \$100; and/or a period of community service not exceeding 90 days, in the discretion of the Judge before whom such person shall be convicted.

§ 226-43 Enforcement.

Enforcement of this article and further rules and regulations as may be promulgated from time to time shall be under the jurisdiction of either the Police Department of the City of Garfield and/or the Chief of Police of the City of Garfield as determined by the City Manager of the City of Garfield.

Section 2. Any other chapter of the City Code that conflicts with this amendment is hereby repealed to the extent of the conflict;

<u>Section 3</u>. If any section, subsection, clause or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid by any court or competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the remaining portion of this ordinance.

| ATTEST: | APPROVED: |
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| Erin Delaney, MPA, RMC, CMC | Richard Rigoglioso, Mayor |

City Manager/City Clerk

Introduced: March 26, 2024

Adopted: April 9, 2024