

## ORDINANCE # 2020-08-20

### PARKING ON ROADWAYS BY RESIDENTS ONLY AND OVERNIGHT CAMPING

It is the purpose of this Ordinance to provide for the general safety and welfare of the residents of the Town of Mantua, to control adverse environmental impacts on all Town roadways, to protect Town residents from unreasonable noise and disturbance during nighttime and early morning hours, to protect Town residents from unreasonable burdens in gaining access to their properties, and to protect and preserve the peace, safety, good order, convenience, and character of the Town of Mantua.

#### Section 1. Definitions

As used in this Ordinance:

- A. *Resident* shall have the meaning of anyone who resides or owns property within the boundaries of the Town of Mantua.
- B. *Vehicle* shall include any vehicle, trailer, truck, recreational vehicle, or watercraft.
- C. *Guest of a Resident* shall include any person or persons who have permission from a Resident to park a vehicle on the roadway immediately adjacent to (in front of) the property owned by the Resident.

#### Section 2. Parking Restrictions

- A. It shall be unlawful for any person to park any vehicle on any roadway within the Town limits of the Town of Mantua, unless that person is a Resident of the Town of Mantua or the Guest of a Resident of the Town of Mantua.
- B. Persons who are not Residents of the Town of Mantua or Guests of a Resident of the Town of Mantua may park in designated parking areas created expressly for that purpose.

#### Section 3. Prohibition of Overnight Camping on Town Property

- A. Overnight camping in motorhomes, campers, trailers, tents, or any vehicles on Mantua Town property, roadways, rights of way, alleys, cemetery, or parks is Prohibited.

#### Section 4. Signs

- A. Following the designation of all Roadways in the Town of Mantua as allowing for Resident parking only, the Town Council shall cause to be posted in appropriate

locations within the Town signs indicating the restrictions set forth in this Ordinance.

**Section 5. Violation of Ordinance and Penalties**

- A. Violation of this Ordinance shall be punishable as an Infraction with a fine of \$100.00.

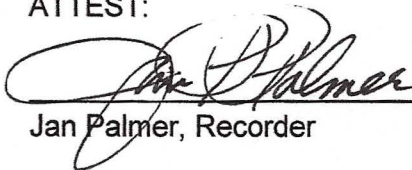
**Section 6. Enforcement of Ordinance**

- A. Enforcement of this Ordinance shall be under the direction of the Mantua Police Department.

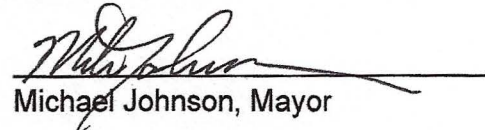
THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE UPON POSTING AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

ADOPTED AND PASSED BY THE MANTUA TOWN COUNCIL THIS 20<sup>th</sup> DAY OF  
August 2020

ATTEST:

  
Jan Palmer, Recorder

MANTUA TOWN

  
Michael Johnson, Mayor