

**BOROUGH OF BANGOR  
COUNTY OF NORTHAMPTON  
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
ORDINANCE NO. 962**

**AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE VEHICLES, TRAFFIC AND PARKING  
REGULATIONS**

**WHEREAS**, after discussion Borough Council determined it is necessary to adopt this Ordinance to provide for the safe use of streets within the Borough, provide certain regulations and restrictions regarding the use of vehicles on streets and provide enforcement of violations,

**NOW, THEREFORE**, it is hereby **ORDAINED** and **ENACTED** by the Borough Council of the Borough of Bangor, County of Northampton and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, as follows:

**Article I. General Regulations**

Section 1. Definitions and Interpretation.

- A. Words and phrases, when used in this Ordinance, except for sections or articles to which different or additional definitions apply, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Vehicle Code (the Act of June 17, 1976, P.L. 162 No. 81), as amended, except that, in this Ordinance, the word "street" may be used interchangeably with the word "highway," and shall have the same meaning as the word "highway" as defined in the Vehicle Code.
- B. The term "legal holidays" as used in this Ordinance shall mean and include: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day.
- C. In this Ordinance, the singular shall include the plural, the plural shall include the singular, and the masculine shall include the feminine.

Section 2. Manner of adopting permanent traffic and parking regulations.

All traffic and parking regulations of a permanent nature shall be enacted as ordinances, as parts of ordinances, as amendments to ordinances, or as amendments to this Ordinance, except where the law specifically authorizes less formal action.

Section 3. Continuation of existing regulations.

The provisions of this Ordinance, so far as they are the same as those of ordinances and regulations are in force immediately before the enactment of this Ordinance, are intended as a continuation of those earlier ordinances and regulations, and not as new enactments. Nothing in this Ordinance shall affect any act done or liability incurred, or any suit or prosecution pending or to be instituted under any of those repealed or superseded ordinances or regulations.

Section 4. Temporary and emergency regulations.

- A. The Mayor shall have the following powers to regulate traffic and parking temporarily and in time of emergency:
  - (1) In the case of fire, flood, storm or other emergency, to establish temporary traffic and/or parking regulations; and
  - (2) In the case of emergency or to facilitate public works, or in the conduct of parades, processions or public events, to restrict or prohibit traffic and/or parking in limited areas for periods of not more than 72 hours.
- B. Such temporary and emergency regulations shall be enforced by the Police Department in the same manner as permanent regulations. Any person who shall operate or park a vehicle or tractor in violation of any such regulations, or who shall move, remove, destroy, injure or deface any sign or marking erected, posted or made to give notice of any such regulation, shall, upon conviction thereof, be subject to the penalty set forth in the law or elsewhere in this Ordinance for a violation of such nature, and, in case of a violation for which no specific penalty is set forth in the law or elsewhere in this Ordinance, to a fine of not more than \$25 together with costs of prosecution.

Section 5. Experimental regulations; violations and penalties.

The Borough Council may, from time to time by resolution, designate places upon and along the highways in the Borough of Bangor where, for a period of not more than 90 days, specific traffic and/or parking regulations, prohibitions and restrictions shall be in force and effect, and shall designate such locations by proper signs and markings. Such regulations, prohibitions and restrictions shall be effective as if they had been specified in this Ordinance. No person shall operate or park a vehicle or tractor in violation of any such regulation, prohibition or restriction, and no person shall move, remove, destroy or deface any sign or marking erected, posted or made by authority of this section. Any person who shall violate any provision of this section shall, upon conviction thereof, be subject to the penalty set forth in the law or elsewhere in this Ordinance for a violation of such nature, and in case of a violation for which no specific penalty is set forth in the law or elsewhere in this Ordinance, to a fine of not more than \$25 together with costs of prosecution; provided, the purpose of this section is to allow for the test and experimental determination of the feasibility and desirability of permanent changes in the ordinances of the Borough of Bangor relative to traffic and parking.

Section 6. Traffic on streets closed or restricted for construction, maintenance or special events.

- A. The Borough Council shall have authority to close any street or specific part of a street to vehicular traffic and to place barriers or station police officers at each end of the closed portion, while construction or maintenance work is under way or a special event is being conducted on the closed portion. It shall be unlawful for any person to drive a vehicle upon any such closed portion.
- B. The Borough Council shall have authority to establish a restricted traffic area upon any street where construction or maintenance work is underway and to station flagmen at each end of the restricted portion. It shall be unlawful for any person to drive a vehicle upon any such restricted traffic area at any time when the flagman is displaying a sign directing that vehicle to stop, or is signaling that vehicle, by a flag or other device, not to proceed.

- C. Any person who violates any provision of this section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs of prosecution.

Section 7. Crosswalks, Safety Zones, Traffic Lanes, Parking Spaces and Other Signs or Markings.

Borough Council or its designee shall have the power and authority to establish, change and abolish, and to designate by appropriate markings and/or signs, crosswalks, safety zones, traffic lanes and parking spaces, as well as to install signs and/or to place markings alerting drivers of provisions of the laws of Pennsylvania and of the Ordinances of the Borough.

Section 8. Authority of police officers.

The police officers of the Borough of Bangor are hereby authorized to direct traffic on the highways of the Borough and at intersections thereof and to otherwise enforce the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 9. Authorization for use of speed timing devices.

- A. The Borough Police Department is hereby authorized to use all speed timing devices for the determination of speed of a motor vehicle as are approved or will be approved by the Department of Transportation of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with Title 75 Pa.C.S.A. § 3368.
- B. This section authorizes the use of said devices upon all highways within the Borough, be they Borough, county or state highways, and does also hereby elect to exercise all powers granted to "local authorities" under the Vehicle Code of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Title 75 Pa.C.S.A. § 6101 et seq. (1977) as hereafter amended, supplemented, modified or reenacted by the General Assembly of Pennsylvania.

## Article II. Traffic

### Section 1. Motor Vehicles not to be driven on Sidewalks.

No person shall operate any motor vehicle longitudinally upon any sidewalk in the Borough, nor shall any person operate any such vehicle upon or across any sidewalk except in order to gain access to or egress from a driveway or alley at such location where the curb, if such sidewalk shall be curbed, shall have been properly cut down for the purpose.

### Section 2. Traffic Signals at Certain Intersections.

At the following intersections, official traffic signals shall be erected (or if heretofore erected are hereby ratified), and traffic at such intersections may be directed by such signals:

1. Broadway and South First Street
2. Market Street and First Street
3. Pennsylvania Avenue and North First Street

### Section 3. Speed Limits Established.

Except as otherwise established by law or ordinance, the following speed limits are hereby established: On all streets in the Borough within business districts, the speed limit shall be twenty-five (25) miles per hour. On all streets in the Borough within residential districts, the speed limit shall be twenty-five (25) miles per hour.

### Section 4. One-Way Streets Established. The following are hereby established as one-way streets.

	<u>Street</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Vehicular Traffic</u>
1.	Bracard Court	Broadway	Market Street	Northbound
2.	Fifth Street	Broadway	Penna. Avenue	Northbound
3.	Fourth Street	Penna. Avenue	Broadway	Southbound
4.	S. Main Street	Messinger St.	Broadway	Northbound
5.	Murray Street	Market Street	Broadway	Southbound
6.	Upper Penna. Ave.	Turtzo Blvd.	Borough Line	Westbound
7.	N. Second Street	Bangor Street	Market Street	Southbound
8.	N. Sixth St.	Penna. Avenue	Market Street	Southbound
9.	S. Third Street	Church Street	Market Street	Northbound
10.	S. Eighth Street	Market Street	Broadway	Southbound
11.	N. Sixth Street	First Avenue	Penna. Avenue	Southbound
12.	S. Seventh St.	Broadway	Market Street	Northbound
13.	Bangor St.	North First Street	Pine Street	Westbound
14.	North Second	Bangor Street	Market Street	Southbound
15.	N. Third Street	Market Street	Penn Avenue	Northbound
16.	Columbia Ave	Division Street	N. Sixth Street	Westbound
17.	S. Sixth Street	Market Street	Broadway	Southbound
18.	N. Twelfth Street	Shoup Street	Roosevelt Street	Westbound

Section 5. Left Turns Prohibited at Certain Intersections.

It shall be unlawful for the operator of any vehicle or tractor, proceeding upon the first-named street, at any of the following intersections, in the direction hereby indicated, to make a left turn into the second-named street.

<u>Street</u>	<u>Direction of Travel</u>	<u>Left Turn Prohibited Into</u>
<i>Reserved</i>		

Section 6. Through Highways Established.

The following streets, or portions thereof, are hereby established as through highways, thus authorizing stop or yield signs to be erected facing traffic approaching every intersection with the through highway except for those intersections with traffic signals, or with exceptions or modifications as indicated below. Every driver of a vehicle approaching a stop or yield sign authorized by this section shall stop the vehicle or yield right-of-way as required by the Vehicle Code of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, 75 Pa.C.S.A:

<u>Street</u>	<u>Between</u>
1 . Pennsylvania Avenue	North Main Street and A Street

## Section 7. Stop Intersections Established.

The following intersections are hereby declared to be stop intersections, and official stop signs shall be erected (or are hereby confirmed if heretofore erected) in such a position as to face traffic approaching the second-named street upon the first-named street, in the direction or directions hereby indicated. Every driver of a vehicle approaching the intersection upon the first-named street, in the direction or directions hereby indicated in each case, shall come to a full stop, within a reasonable distance, before entering such intersection:

<u>Intersection</u>	<u>Street</u>	<u>Direction</u>
Sullivan & Market	Sullivan	North Bound
Sullivan & Market	Sullivan	South Bound
Sullivan & Upper Penna. Ave.	Sullivan	North Bound
Turtzo & Upper Penna. Ave.	Turtzo	South Bound
Upper Penna. Ave. & SR 512	Upper Penna. Ave.	West Bound
Roosevelt & Upper Penna. Ave.	Roosevelt	South Bound
Thirteenth & Shoup	Thirteenth	North Bound
Shoup & 11th	Shoup	North Bound
11th & Upper Penna. Ave.	11th	South Bound
Upper Penna. Ave. & 11th	Upper Penna. Ave.	East Bound
11th & Upper Penna. Ave.	11th	North Bound
Upper Penna. Ave. & 11th	Upper Penna. Ave.	West Bound
11th & Market	11th	South Bound
Park Cul-de-sac & Market	Park Cul-de-sac	North Bound
North 9th & Market	North 9th	South Bound
South 9th & Market	South 9th	North Bound
North 9th & Upper Penna. Ave.	North 9th	North Bound
North 9th & Upper Penna. Ave.	North 9th	South Bound
Upper Penna. Ave. & "A"	Upper Penna. Ave.	West Bound
"A" & Upper Penna. Ave.	"A" St.	South Bound
North 9th & Upper Penna. Ave.	North 9th	North Bound
North 9th & Upper Penna. Ave.	North 9th	South Bound
North 9th & Penna. Ave.	North 9th	South Bound
North 9th & Penna. Ave.	North 9th	North Bound
North 9th & 1st Ave.	North 9th	North Bound
North 9th & 1st Ave.	North 9th	South Bound
1st Ave. & North 9th	1st Ave.	West Bound
North 9th & 2nd Ave.	North 9th	North Bound
North 9th & 2nd Ave.	North 9th	South Bound
2nd Ave. & North 9th	2nd Ave.	East Bound
2nd Ave. & North 9th	2nd Ave.	West Bound
North 9th & 3rd Ave.	North 9th	North Bound
North 9th & 3rd Ave.	North 9th	South Bound
3rd Ave. & North 9th	3rd Ave.	West Bound
North 8th & 3rd Ave.	North 8th	North Bound
North 8th & 3rd Ave.	North 8th	South Bound
2nd Ave. & North 8th	2nd Ave.	East Bound
2nd Ave. & North 8th	2nd Ave.	West Bound
North 8th & 1st Ave.	North 8th	North Bound
North 8th & 1st Ave.	North 8th	South Bound

1st Ave. & North 8th	1st Ave.	East Bound
1st Ave. & North 8th	1st Ave.	West Bound
North 8th & Penna. Ave.	North 8th	North Bound
North 8th & Penna. Ave.	North 8th	South Bound
Penna. Ave. & North 8th	Penna. Ave.	East Bound
Penna. Ave. & North 8th	Penna. Ave.	West Bound
South 2nd & Broadway	South 2nd	South Bound
South 2nd & Chestnut	South 2nd	South Bound
South 2nd & Walnut	South 2nd	South Bound
South 2nd & Jones Ave.	South 2nd	South Bound
South 2nd & Jones Ave.	Jones Ave.	West Bound
South 2nd & Jones Ave.	Jones Ave.	East Bound
South 2nd & Church	South 2nd	South Bound
Church & South 1st	Church	East Bound
South 3rd & Jones Ave.	South 3rd	North Bound
South 3rd & Chestnut	South 3rd	North Bound
South 3rd & Broadway	South 3rd	North Bound
South 3rd & Market	South 3rd	North Bound
South 4th & Broadway	South 4th	South Bound
South 4th & Broadway	South 4th	North Bound
South 4th & Church	South 4th	South Bound
South 4th & Church	South 4th	North Bound
South 5th & Market	South 5th	North Bound
South 6th & Market	South 6th	North Bound
South 6th & Broadway	South 6th	South Bound
South 6th & Broadway	South 6th	North Bound
South 6th & Walnut	South 6th	North Bound
South 6th & Church	South 6th	North Bound
South 6th & Church	South 6th	South Bound
South 6th & Green Tree	South 6th	South Bound
South 7th & Church	South 7th	North Bound
South 7th & Church	South 7th	South Bound
South 7th & Walnut	South 7th	North Bound
South 7th & Walnut	South 7th	South Bound
South 7th & Chestnut	South 7th	North Bound
South 7th & Chestnut	South 7th	South Bound
South 7th & Broadway	South 7th	North Bound
South 8th & Market	South 8th	North Bound
South 8th & Chestnut	South 8th	South Bound
South 8th & Chestnut	South 8th	North Bound
Chestnut & South 8th	Chestnut	West Bound
Chestnut & South 8th	Chestnut	East Bound
South 8th & Walnut	South 8th	South Bound
South 9th & Walnut	South 9th	South Bound
South 9th & Oak	South 9th	North Bound
South 9th & Oak	South 9th	South Bound
Oak & South 9th	Oak	East Bound

South 9th & Chestnut	South 9th	North Bound
South 9th & Chestnut	South 9th	South Bound
Chestnut & South 9th	Chestnut	East Bound
Chestnut & South 9th	Chestnut	West Bound
South 9th & Broadway	South 9th	North Bound
South 9th & Broadway	South 9th	South Bound
Turnaround & Market	Turnaround	North Bound
Parking Lot & Park Ave.	Parking Lot	South Bound
Park Ave. & Broadway	Park Ave.	North Bound
Park Ave. & Chestnut	Park Ave.	South Bound
Park Ave. & Chestnut	Park Ave.	North Bound
Chestnut & Park Ave.	Chestnut	East Bound
Chestnut & Park Ave.	Chestnut	West Bound
Park Ave. & Oak	Park Ave.	North Bound
Park Ave. & Oak	Park Ave.	South Bound
Park Ave. & Walnut	Park Ave.	South Bound

North 2nd & Market	North 2nd	South Bound
North 2nd & Municipal Drive	Municipal Drive	West Bound
North 2nd & Bangor St.	North 2nd	North Bound
Bangor St. & North 1st	Bangor St.	East Bound
1st St. & Municipal Drive	Municipal Drive	East Bound
North 1st & Penna. Ave.	North 1st	North Bound
North 1st & Penna. Ave.	North 1st	South Bound
North Main & Ridge Road	Ridge Road	West Bound
North Main & Penna. Ave.	North Main	South Bound
North Main & Penna. Ave.	North Main	North Bound
North Main & Penna. Ave.	Penna. Ave.	East Bound
North Main & Market	North Main	South Bound
North 5th & Brown Ave.	Brown Ave.	East Bound
North 5th & Brown Ave.	Brown Ave.	West Bound
Division & Penna. Ave.	Division	South Bound
Division & 3rd Ave.	Division	North Bound
Division & 2nd Ave.	2nd Ave.	East Bound
Division & Linden	Linden	West Bound
Division & Grand Ave.	Grand Ave.	East Bound
Division & Elder Ave.	Elder Ave.	West Bound
Division & Fairview	Fairview	West Bound
Division & Fairview	Fairview	East Bound
Division & Columbia	Columbia	West Bound
Division & Brown	Brown	West Bound
Division & Brown	Brown	East Bound
North 4th & Penna. Ave.	North 4th	South Bound



North 4th & Brown	Brown Ave.	East Bound
North 4th & Columbia	North 4th	North Bound
North 4th & Columbia	North 4th	South Bound
North 4th & Columbia	Columbia	East Bound
North 4th & SR 191	North 4th	North Bound
North 4th & Market	North 4th	South Bound
North 4th & Penna. Ave.	North 4th	North Bound

Pine St. & Penna. Ave.	Pine St.	North Bound
Pine St. & Bangor St.	Pine St.	North Bound
Pine St. & Bangor St.	Bangor St.	South Bound
Pine St. & Bangor St.	Pine St.	West Bound
Pine St. & Market St.	Pine St.	South Bound
North 8th & Market	North 8th	South Bound
Upper Penna. Ave. & North 8th	Upper Penna. Ave.	East Bound
North 7th & Market	North 7th	South Bound
North 7th & Penna. Ave.	North 7th	North Bound
North 7th & Penna. Ave.	North 7th	South Bound
North 7th & 1st St.	North 7th	North Bound
North 7th & 1st St.	North 7th	South Bound
North 7th & 1st St.	1st St.	East Bound
North 7th & 1st St.	1st St.	West Bound
North 7th & Grand Ave.	Grand Ave.	West Bound
North 7th & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Ave.	2 <sup>nd</sup> Ave.	North Bound
North 7 <sup>th</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Ave.	2 <sup>nd</sup> Ave.	South Bound
North 7th & 3rd Ave.	North 7th	North Bound
North 7th & 3rd Ave.	North 7th	South Bound
North 7th & 3rd Ave.	3rd Ave.	West Bound
North 6th & 3rd Ave.	North 6th	North Bound
North 6th & 3rd Ave.	North 6th	South Bound
North 6th & 3rd Ave.	3rd Ave.	East Bound
North 6th & 3rd Ave.	3rd Ave.	West Bound
North 6th & 2nd Ave.	North 6th	South Bound
North 6th & 2nd Ave.	North 6th	North Bound
North 6th & Grand Ave.	North 6th	South Bound
North 6th & 1st Ave.	1st Ave.	East Bound
North 6th & Columbia	North 6th	South Bound
North 6th & Columbia	Columbia	West Bound
North 6th & Brown Ave.	North 6th	South Bound
North 6th & Brown Ave.	Brown Ave.	West Bound

North 6th & Penna. Ave.	North 6th	South Bound
North 6th & Market	North 6th	South Bound
North 5th & Penna. Ave.	North 5th	North Bound
North 5th & Penna. Ave.	North 5th	South Bound
North 5th & Fairview Ave.	Fairview Ave.	East Bound

North 5th & Columbia	Columbia	East Bound
North 5th & Columbia	Columbia	West Bound
Miller & Center	Miller	East Bound
Miller & Center	Miller	West Bound
Miller & Wall	Miller	East Bound
Miller & Wall	Miller	West Bound
Messinger & Center	Messinger	West Bound
Kline & Center	Kline	East Bound
Kline & Northampton	Kline	West Bound
Kline & Northampton	Kline	East Bound
Kline & South Main	Kline	West Bound
Kline & South Main	Kline	East Bound
Kline & Murray Richmond	Kline	West Bound
Ave. & Murray	Richmond	West Bound
Murray St. & Richmond Ave.	Murray St.	North Bound
Murray St. & Richmond Ave.	Murray St.	South Bound
Murray St. & Kline St.	Murray St.	North Bound
Murray St. & Miller	Murray St.	North Bound
Murray St. & Miller	Murray St.	South Bound
Murray St. & Messinger	Murray St.	North Bound
Murray St. & Messinger	Murray St.	South Bound
Murray St. & Mill Ave.	Murray St.	North Bound
Mill Ave. & South Main	Mill Ave.	East Bound
Snyder & Messinger	Snyder	South Bound
Snyder & Messinger	Snyder	North Bound
Snyder & Miller	Snyder	North Bound
Snyder & Miller	Snyder	South Bound
Miller & Snyder	Miller	West Bound
Miller & Blue Ridge	Miller	West Bound

East High & Erdman Ave.	East High	West Bound
Erdman Ave. & South Main	Erdman Ave.	West Bound
South Main & Erdman Ave.	South Main	East Bound
South Main & Erdman Ave.	South Main	South Bound
South Main & Broadway	South Main	North Bound
South St. (Movie) & Broadway	South Main	North Bound
Murray St. & Broadway	Murray St.	North Bound
Murray St. & Broadway	Murray St.	South Bound
Murray St. & Chestnut	Murray St.	South Bound
Murray St. & Chestnut	Murray St.	North Bound
Chestnut & Murray St.	Chestnut St.	East Bound
Erdman Ave. & 512	Erdman Ave.	North Bound
Erdman Ave. & New St.	Erdman Ave.	South Bound
New St. & Erdman Ave.	New St.	North Bound
Northampton St. & New St.	Northampton St.	South Bound
Northampton St. & New St.	Northampton St.	North Bound
Wood St. & Erdman Ave.	Wood St.	North Bound
Wood St. & 512	Wood St.	North Bound

Northampton St. & East High	Northampton St.	South Bound
Northampton St. & East High	Northampton St.	North Bound
Northampton St. & Messinger	Northampton St.	South Bound
Northampton St. & Messinger	Northampton St.	North Bound
Northampton St. & Miller St.	Northampton St.	South Bound
Northampton St. & Miller St.	Northampton St.	North Bound
Richmond Ave. & South Main	Richmond Ave.	East Bound
Blue Ridge & Miller	Blue Ridge	South Bound
Blue Ridge & Miller	Blue Ridge	North Bound
Blue Ridge & Messinger	Blue Ridge	North Bound
Center & Messinger	Center	North Bound
Center & Messinger	Center	South Bound
Wall St. & Richmond Rd.	Wall St.	South Bound
Parking Lot & Broadway	Parking Lot	South Bound
Eisenhart & Broadway	Eisenhart	North Bound
Broadway & Eisenhart	Broadway	West Bound
Eisenhart & Oak St.	Oak St.	West Bound
Chestnut & Eisenhart	Chestnut St.	West Bound
Park & Eisenhart	Park	East Bound
Broadway & South 8th	Broadway	East Bound
Chestnut & South 1st	Chestnut	West Bound
Chestnut & South 1st	Chestnut	East Bound
Chestnut & South 4th	Chestnut	West Bound
Chestnut & South 6th	Chestnut	East Bound
Walnut & South 6th	Walnut	East Bound
Walnut & South 1st	Walnut	East Bound
Jones Ave. & South 1st	Jones Ave.	East Bound
Messinger & South 1st	Messinger	West Bound
Miller & Murray	Miller	West Bound
Miller & South Main	Miller	East Bound
Miller & South Main	Miller	West Bound
Miller & Northampton	Miller	West Bound
North 3rd & Penna. Ave.	North 3 <sup>rd</sup>	North Bound
North Main Street	Penna.	North Bound
Chestnut Street	Second St	West Bound
Eighth & Walnut	Eighth St	South Bound
Eighth & Walnut	Walnut St	East Bound
Eighth & Walnut	Walnut St	West Bound
Messinger & South Main St	Messinger	North Bound
Messinger & South Main St	Messinger	South Bound
Messinger & South Main St	S. Main St	East Bound

Section 8. Commercial Vehicles Prohibited on Portions of Certain Streets; Exception.

It shall be unlawful for any person to operate any commercial motor vehicle upon any of the following portions of streets unless such vehicle shall have a destination within the limits of the Borough for the purpose of loading or unloading.

<u>Street</u>	<u>Between</u>
1. Broadway	Eighth Street and Eisenhart Blvd.
2. South Ninth Street	Market Street and Walnut Street
3. Eisenhart Street	Market Street and Walnut Street
4. Broadway	1 <sup>st</sup> Street to S. Main Street

Section 9. Play Highways Authorized.

The Mayor is hereby authorized to designate as play highways, whenever he shall deem such action advisable, and for whatever period of time directed by him, any portion of any street or alley in the Borough, whereon sledding and coasting shall be permitted. Such play highway shall be set apart for the purpose under the direction of the Mayor. No person shall operate any motor vehicle or tractor upon any play highway at any time when such play highway shall be so designated, except in case of emergency, with special permission of the Mayor or police officer in charge, who shall first clear such play highway of all persons using the same for the purpose for which it was set aside. Any person who shall violate any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than twenty dollars (\$20.00) and costs of prosecution.

Section 10. No turn on Red at Certain Intersections.

At the following intersections, official traffic signs shall be erected, (or if heretofore erected are hereby ratified), and it shall be unlawful for the operator of any vehicle or tractor, proceeding upon the first named street, at any of the following intersections, when the traffic signal shows red in the direction hereby indicated, to make a turn into the second named street.

<u>Street</u>	<u>Direction of Travel</u>	<u>Turn on Red Prohibited Into</u>
1. Market Street	Westbound	N. Main Street
2. Market Street	Eastbound	S. First Street
3. S. First Street	North and South bound	Market Street
4. S. First Street	North and South bound	Broadway
5. Broadway	East and West bound	S. First Street

Section 11. Enforcement.

Any operator of a vehicle who shall disobey or violate any of the provisions in this Article shall be subject to a fine and prosecution pursuant to the provisions of the Vehicle Code of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Title 75 Pa. C. S. A.

## **ARTICLE III. Parking**

### Section 1. Parking Without Lights Authorized.

The boundary limits of the Borough of Bangor are hereby established as a zone in which motor vehicles may remain standing without lights, and all highways, streets, and alleys within such boundary limits are hereby designated as streets where motor vehicles may remain standing without lights.

### Section 2. Vehicles to Park Within Marked Spaces.

Wherever a space shall be marked off on any street or alley for the parking of an individual vehicle, every vehicle there parked shall be parked within the lines bounding such space, and it shall be a violation of this article for any person to park a vehicle or allow it to remain parked otherwise.

### Section 3. Parking Prohibited in Certain Locations.

Parking shall be prohibited at all times in the following locations:

	<u>Street</u>	<u>Side</u>	<u>Between</u>
1.	Chestnut Street	South	N. Main Street and S. Second Street
2.	N. Eighth Street	West	Market Street and Pennsylvania Avenue
3.	N. First Street	West East	Market Street and Pennsylvania Avenue Eisenhart's Alley and Pennsylvania Ave.
4.	S. First Street	East Both	Chestnut Street and Church Street Chestnut Street and Market Street
5.	Kline Street	South	South Main Street and eastern Borough line.
6.	N. Main Street	West	Broadway and N. 9 <sup>th</sup> Street
7.	S. Main Street	East West	Messinger Street and Broadway Railroad Crossing and Broadway.
8.	Market Street	North North South	North Main Street and First Street N. 4 <sup>th</sup> Street to western Borough line First Street and the West Borough line
9.	Northampton Street	West	Kline Street and Wood Street
10.	Pennsylvania Ave.	North South	North Main Street and Eighth Street Eighth Street and A Street
11.	PA Route 512	North South	Railroad crossing and the eastern Borough line Main Street and the eastern Borough line
12.	Murray Street	East	Chestnut Street and Market Street
13.	S. Eighth Street	West	Chestnut Street and Market Street
14.	Murray Street	West	Chestnut Street and Market Street
15.	S. Ninth Street	East	Market Street and a point 78 feet South of Market Street on the East side of South Ninth Street

<u>Street</u>	<u>Side</u>	<u>Between</u>
16. Messinger Street	North	South Main Street and a point 52 feet West on Messinger Street
17. Center Street	East	Messinger Street and extending in a Northerly direction along the East side of Center Street to the Borough line
18. S. Sixth Street	West	North Fourth Street West to Borough line
19. A Street	Both	Upper Pennsylvania Avenue and Pennsylvania Avenue
20. Broadway	North	From a point 30 feet South of the intersection of Broadway and South Ninth Street to Eisenhart Boulevard
21. Main Street	East	From Broadway to Market Street
	West	From Broadway to Market Street
22. Walnut Street	South	Sixth Street and Eighth Street
23. Broadway	North	36 feet from corner with S. 1 <sup>st</sup> Street
24. N. Seventh Street	East	Market Street and Pennsylvania Avenue

Section 4. Parking Prohibited in Certain Locations Certain Days and Hours.

It shall be unlawful for any person to park a vehicle, or to allow the same to remain parked, in any of the following locations, at any time between the hours and on the days hereby indicated therefore:

*Reserved*

Section 5. Parking Prohibited in Certain Locations at All Times During Period Between December 15 and March 31.

Parking is prohibited at any and all times during the period beginning December 15 and ending March 31 of the following year:

<u>Street</u>	<u>Side</u>	<u>Between</u>
<i>Reserved</i>		

Section 6. Parking Time Limited in Certain Locations Certain Days and Hours.

It shall be unlawful to park a vehicle or to allow the same to remain parked, in any of the following locations, at any time hereby respectively stated, for longer than the maximum length of time hereby specified.

<u>Street</u>	<u>Side</u>	<u>Between</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Hours</u>
<i>Reserved</i>				

Section 7. Parking of Trucks with Trailers or Truck Trailers, Buses, Motorhomes and Certain Other Vehicles Prohibited.

It shall be unlawful for any person or entity to park, or to allow to remain parked, on any street or alley in the Borough, any vehicle bearing commercial plates, tri-axle vehicles, box trucks over twenty (20) feet in length, truck with trailer, truck trailer of any kind, tractor or rig, bus, motorhome, limousine, recreational trailer, snow mobile, farm equipment, boat or heavy construction equipment; provided, that it shall be lawful to park heavy construction equipment on a Borough street or alley if a

permit has been issued for such construction or demolition project and such equipment is at the permitted site. This prohibition shall not apply to any emergency vehicle/truck during an emergency, or any vehicle/truck temporarily parked, for a period of less than eight (8) continuous hours in one (1) day to service a residential zone (i.e. moving trucks) or to load/unload a motorhome or trailer.

**Section 8. Parking Prohibited on Borough Streets, Alleys and Borough Property to Facilitate Vehicle Repairs or Maintenance.**

It shall be unlawful to park a vehicle or allow the same to remain parked at any time upon any street, alley or Borough property in the Borough in order to facilitate repairing or maintenance of such vehicle.

**Section 9. Bus Stops.**

Bus stops are hereby authorized and created at such locations as shall be determined, fixed and appropriately marked by the Mayor. It shall be unlawful for any person to park any vehicle, other than a bus engaged in loading, unloading or awaiting passengers, in a bus stop at any time.

**Section 10. Special Purpose Parking Zones Established; Parking Otherwise Prohibited.**

The following are established as special purpose parking zones, and it shall be unlawful for any person to park a vehicle or to allow it to remain parked, in any such zone, except as specifically provided for that zone:

	<u>Street</u>	<u>Side</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Authorized Purpose</u>
1.	Broadway	South	One space in front of 62 Broadway	Loading/Unloading 15 minute limit
2.	Broadway	North	One space in front of 9 Broadway	Loading/unloading 15 minute limit.
3.	Broadway	North	One space in front of 39 Broadway	Loading/Unloading/ Pick up
4.	S. Second St.	West	104 S. Second Street	Patient parking for doctor's office.

**Section 11. Parking of inoperable vehicles or repair of vehicles.**

- A. No person shall park or leave on the streets, highways or public property of the Borough any mechanically inoperable vehicle or vehicles without current registration plates.
- B. Repair or servicing of vehicles on streets, highways or public property of the Borough shall be prohibited.

**Section 12. Parking of illegally registered or uninspected vehicles.**

- A. No person shall park or leave on the streets, highways or public property of the Borough any vehicle without a current inspection sticker unless the vehicle is legally parked in front of, or in close proximity to, an official state inspection station in which identifies said vehicle by work order specifying a state inspection will be performed within twenty-four (24) hours. Additional work orders beyond the initial twenty-four (24) hour period are strictly prohibited.

- B. All vehicles parked on any street, highway or public property of the Borough shall have a sticker indicating current registration of the vehicle with the PADOT.

Section 13. Storage of vehicles on streets.

No vehicle shall be stored or parked in one place, upon any street, continuously for over seventy-two (72) hours.

Section 14. Penalty for Violations.

The police officer or other parking enforcement personnel of the Borough shall place on or attach to the vehicle a notice to the owner or driver of the vehicle that the vehicle was parked in violation of this Article, and instructing the owner or driver to deliver or mail to the Police Department of Borough Bangor the fine of twenty dollars (\$20.00), except that the following increased fines apply for the Sections indicated:

Section 7, a fine of fifty dollars (\$50.00)

Section 12, a fine of twenty five dollars (\$25.00)

Section 13, a fine of thirty five dollars (\$35.00)

Every twenty four (24) hours during which a violation continues after a Notice of Violation/Parking Ticket has been issued, shall be deemed a separate offense.

Failure to remit payment for fines within seven (7) calendar days will result in the issuance of a citation against the owner or person responsible for the violation, in accordance with the Pennsylvania Rules of Criminal Procedure, and upon conviction by the District Magistrate additional fines and costs will be levied. Should any fines levied by the court not be paid in the time prescribed a warrant may be issued for arrest and the vehicle will be subject to seizure and impoundment.

Any vehicle parked in violation of the provisions of this Article may be removed by any member of the Bangor Police Department, or the Department's designee. Any vehicle removed may be towed to, and placed at, any area designated by the Borough Manager or Chief of Police, or her/her designee, as the location for impounding of vehicles. All fines and costs for removal, towing, storage or parking of any vehicle removed under the provisions of this Article shall be paid by the owner of the vehicle, and the vehicle shall remain impounded until all costs are paid.



**ARTICLE IV. Parking Meters**

**Section 1. Parking Meter Zones Established; Conditions for Parking**

Parking meters shall be installed, operated, maintained, policed and supervised on the following restricted streets and Borough owned parking lots herein designated and described as parking meter zones, to provide proper parking spaces upon payment of a proper United States coin, at the rate of twenty five cents (25¢) per hour and such fractions thereof and multiples thereof as the individual parking meters shall indicate:

<b>Street</b>	<b>Side</b>	<b>Location</b>
1. Broadway	North	Between South Main Street and Second St.
2. Broadway	South	Between alley west of 14 Broadway and Second St.
3. Chestnut Street	North	Between Murray St. and S. First St.
4. N. First Street	East	Between Market St. and Eisenhart’s Alley
5. Market Street	South	Between S. Main St. and First Street

<b>Parking Lot</b>	<b>Description</b>
1. 122 S. First Street	20 meters in center and 13 meters along west side of the parking lot
2. Between 9&11 N. Main Street	12 meters on the south side of the parking lot

The hours of operation of parking meters in all parking meter zones shall be from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. This shall not apply in any parking meter zones heretofore established on Sundays. Free parking shall be provided on all legal holidays.

**Section 2. Placement and Characteristics of Parking Meters.**

Meters installed in the afore-designated zones shall be placed upon the sidewalk/pavement immediately adjacent to the individual parking places. Each meter shall be placed in a manner to show what the parking space is, or is not legally occupied, and shall indicate the legal parking time established by the Borough, the unexpired period of legal parking, and on the expiration of such period of legal parking shall indicate illegal, or over-parking.

**Section 3. Manner of Parking at Meters.**

Each parked vehicle shall be parked so that its front shall be nearest to the parking meter, and each separate parking space shall be marked with lines at the front and rear. It shall be a violation of this article to park any vehicle of a lesser overall length than the designated area in such a position that such vehicle shall not be completely within the space provided for one vehicle. For meters placed in parking lots each vehicle must be parked fully within the designated parking space and shall not park in a manner crossing any lines delineating a parking space which would prohibit use of any adjacent parking space.

**Section 4. Coin deposit in meter; overtime parking unlawful.**

Whenever a vehicle is to be parked in any space adjacent to a parking meter, at any time in the period of limited parking as prescribed in this article, the driver of the vehicle, upon entering the parking space, shall immediately deposit, or cause to be deposited, in the parking meter, one or more coins of the United States of America as specified in the legend on the parking meter. Upon the deposit of the coin or coins, and placing the meter in operation, the parking space may be lawfully occupied by the vehicle for the time indicated on the meter. If any vehicle shall remain in any such parking space for such length of time that the meter shall indicate by proper signal that the lawful parking time has expired, that vehicle shall be considered as having been parked overtime, and the parking of a vehicle overtime shall be a violation of this article.

Section 5. Unlawful to deposit substitute for coin in meter.

It shall be unlawful for any person to deposit in any parking meter installed under the provisions of this article any slug or other substitute for a coin of the United State of America.

Section 6. Unlawful to deposit coin in meter to extend parking time beyond legal limit.

It shall be unlawful and a violation of this article for any person to deposit or cause to be deposited, in any parking meter installed under the provisions of this article, any coin for the purpose of increasing or extending the parking time of any vehicle beyond the legal parking time allowing in the parking meter zone.

Section 7. Unlawful to remain parked at meter showing violation.

It shall be unlawful, and a violation of this article, for any person to permit a vehicle to remain in a parking space adjacent to a parking meter installed under this article, when that meter displays a signal indicating that the vehicle has already been parked there beyond the period of time prescribed for that parking space, or the time for which a coin/s was deposited in that meter for the parking of the vehicle.

Section 8. Unlawful to Tamper with Meters.

It shall be unlawful and a violation of this Article to tamper with any parking meter or to manipulate, or attempt to manipulate any such meter in such manner as to stop or extend the parking time without the required deposit of the coin or coins. Each and every parking meter is hereby declared to be Borough property, and breaking, destroying or defacing any such meter is a violation of this ordinance, any may be prosecuted according to the laws of the Commonwealth in such case made and provided.

Section 9. Ticketing of vehicles parked unlawfully.

It shall be the duty of the police officers and parking enforcement personnel of the Borough to ticket vehicles parked unlawfully by placing are attaching to the vehicle a notice to the owner or driver of the vehicle that the vehicle is in violation of this article, and instructing the owner or driver to pay a fine for the violation, that timely payment will save the violator from prosecution and from payment of additional fines as prescribed in this article.

Section 10. Exceptions.

The Borough shall have authority to establish no-park or special-purpose parking zones within any parking meter zone, and to remove parking meters from those areas as previously installed there, and the provisions of this article shall not apply in those areas where no-parking or special-purpose parking are in effect.

Section 11. Violations and Penalties.

A. The police officer or other parking enforcement personnel of the Borough shall place on or attach to the vehicle a notice to the owner or driver of the vehicle that the vehicle was parked in violation of this Article, and instructing the owner or driver to deliver or mail to the Police Department of Borough Bangor the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) within seven (7) calendar days after the date of such notice of violation, failure to pay within the time prescribed shall result in prosecution and penalties as set forth in Section 11.B.

B. Failure to remit payment for fines within seven (7) calendar days will result in the issuance of a

citation against the owner or person responsible for the violation, in accordance with the Pennsylvania Rules of Criminal Procedure, and upon conviction by the District Magistrate additional fines and costs will be levied. Should any fines levied by the court not be paid in the time prescribed a warrant may be issued for arrest and the vehicle will be subject to seizure and impoundment.

- C. Any vehicle parked in violation of the provisions of this Article may be removed by any member of the Bangor Police Department, or the Department's designee. Any vehicle removed may be towed to, and placed at, any area designated by the Borough Manager or Chief of Police, or her/her designee, as the location for impounding of vehicles. All fines and costs for removal, towing, storage or parking of any vehicle removed under the provisions of this Article shall be paid by the owner of the vehicle, and the vehicle shall remain impounded until all costs are paid.

## **ARTICLE V. Snow and Ice Emergency**

### **Section 1. Definitions.**

- A. "Snow" shall mean any precipitation depositing any accumulation on the streets, including snow, sleet, hail, ice and freezing rain.
- B. "Snow Emergency" shall mean a state of highway conditions resulting from eight inches (8") of snow or one-quarter inch (1/4") of freezing precipitation that are hazardous and dangerous to vehicular and pedestrian traffic and so declared by the Mayor.
- C. "Snow Emergency Routes" shall mean all streets in the Borough so designated and marked.
- D. "Chains" shall mean full chains, strapped chains or other types of chains mounted on both drive wheels of a motorized vehicle.
- E. "Mud and Snow Tires" shall mean tires having treads designed for use in snow, which tires must be in such conditions as to serve the

### **Section 2. General Provisions.**

- A. There shall be no parking on either side of the following streets during the declaration of a snow emergency:

North First Street from Market Street to the North Borough boundary.

South First Street from Market Street South to the Borough boundary.

North Main Street from Market Street North to the Borough boundary.

South Main Street from Market Street South to Broadway.

State Route 512 (a.k.a. Erdman Avenue) from South Main Street East to the Borough boundary.

Broadway from South Main Street West to South Eighth Street.

Market Street from Main Street West to the Borough boundary.

Messinger Street from South First Street East to Center Street.

South Main Street from Messinger Street South to Market Street.

- B. There shall be no parking on the side of the following street specified during the declaration of a snow emergency:

Pennsylvania Avenue from North Main Street West to North Eighth Street - No parking on the North side of the street.

- C. All such streets designated as snow emergency routes shall be posted with suitable signs or markers at intervals not exceeding six hundred (600) feet, which signs or markers shall bear the words snow emergency route.
- D. When, in the opinion of the Mayor, the actual or expected precipitation of snow will create hazardous or dangerous highway conditions for vehicular or pedestrian traffic, he/ she shall have authority to declare a snow emergency. For purposes of this paragraph, the Mayor may consult with the Police Chief, Fire Chief, Assistant Fire Chief or Street Department Supervisor prior to declaring said snow emergency.
- E. The Mayor shall immediately inform the public of the snow emergency by issuing a press release to the local radio and newspaper.
- F. Such declaration of a snow emergency shall not go into effect until at least four (4) hours after announced, and shall remain in effect until terminated by the Mayor, or his/ her designee.
- G. Within four (4) hours after a snow emergency has been declared, and during its existence:
- (1) No vehicle shall be parked on a snow emergency route unless the snow emergency route signs permit certain parking.
  - (2) Any person who drives a vehicle without chains or snow tires upon any street designated as a snow emergency route and such vehicle becomes stalled or incapable of moving under its own power or anyone who leaves such vehicle unattended shall be in violation of this Ordinance and shall be subject to the penalty set forth below.
  - (3) Any vehicle parked, stalled, incapable of moving under its own power or left unattended upon any street designated as a snow emergency route may be removed or towed away to any other location by the Police Department or its authorized agent as provided by law or Ordinance of the Borough of Bangor.
  - (4) The Mayor may declare any snow emergency route or any part of a snow emergency route to be free from the restrictions herein imposed when, in his opinion, the weather or street conditions warrant such an exclusion. The Mayor shall give notice of this determination in the manner provided for in subsection (E) above.
  - (5) While a declaration of emergency is in effect, no person shall park, or allow to remain parked, any vehicle on any portion of an emergency route or street except as set

forth below:

- (a) Vehicle may only be parked on the even street number side of the street effective 7:00 a.m. on even numbered calendar days.
- (b) Vehicles may only be parked on the uneven street number side of the street effective 7:00 a.m. on uneven numbered calendar days.
- (6) Nothing in this section shall be construed to permit parking at any time or place where it is forbidden by other provisions of law.

Section 3. Penalty.

Any person who shall violate any provisions of this Article shall pay a fine of fifty dollars (\$50.00). Failure to remit payment for fines within seven (7) calendar days will result in the issuance of a citation against the owner or person responsible for the violation, in accordance with the Pennsylvania Rules of Criminal Procedure, and upon conviction by the District Magistrate additional fines and costs will be levied. Should any fines levied by the court not be paid in the time prescribed a warrant may be issued for arrest and the vehicle will be subject to seizure and impoundment.

**ARTICLE VI. Interpretation and Repeal**

Section 1. Severability.

The provisions of this Ordinance shall be severable, and if any of its provisions shall be held to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of any of the remaining provisions of this Ordinance. It is hereby declared as a legislative intent that this Ordinance would have been adopted and such unconstitutional, illegal or invalid provisions not be included therein.

Section 2. Provisions to be Continuation of Existing Regulations.

The provisions of this Ordinance, so far as they are in the same character as those of ordinances and regulations in force immediately prior to the enactment of this Ordinance, are intended as a continuation of such ordinances and regulations. All relevant ordinances, regulations, and policies of the Borough of Bangor not amended or repealed shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 3. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall become effective concurrently herewith.

Section 4. Repeal of conflicting Ordinances.

Any Ordinance or part of an Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance shall be and the same in hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 5. Repeal of Certain Prior Ordinances.

The following ordinances are hereby repealed:

All Ordinances previously repealed by Ordinance #726, enacted February 3, 1986 inclusive of Ordinances 607, 616, 620, 623, 624, 625, 628, 629, 639, 640, 650, 655, 669, 676, 682, 684, 691, 704, 719

Ordinance #647, enacted February 3, 1975  
Ordinance #648, enacted February 3, 1975  
Ordinance #726, enacted February 3, 1986  
Ordinance #731, enacted December 1, 1986  
Ordinance #735, enacted February 18, 1987  
Ordinance #738, enacted April 6, 1987  
Ordinance #745, enacted January 4, 1988  
Ordinance #771, enacted January 7, 1991  
Ordinance #786, enacted June 8, 1992  
Ordinance #814, enacted September 1, 1996  
Ordinance #816, enacted October 14, 1996  
Ordinance #827, enacted October 12, 1998  
Ordinance #829, enacted October 12, 1998  
Ordinance #833, enacted May 10, 1999  
Ordinance #836, enacted May 8, 2000  
Ordinance #841, enacted February 12, 2001  
Ordinance #845, enacted August 13, 2001  
Ordinance #847, enacted August 13, 2001  
Ordinance #854, enacted June 10, 2002  
Ordinance #857, enacted September 9, 2002  
Ordinance #864, enacted January 13, 2003  
Ordinance #865, enacted February 10, 2003  
Ordinance #869, enacted August 11, 2003  
Ordinance #898, enacted June 12, 2006  
Ordinance #934, enacted April 11, 2011  
Ordinance #936, enacted May 23, 2011  
Ordinance #945, enacted April 9, 2012

ORDAINED AND ENACTED into an Ordinance this 26<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2015.

Borough Council of the Borough of Bangor

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
James W. Kresge, President

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Janelle Hauff, Secretary

APPROVED by the Mayor this      day of November, 2015.

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Joseph Capozzolo, Mayor