

ORDINANCE NO. 080105-A-1

AN ORDINANCE OF THE SUPERVISORS OF TAYLOR TOWNSHIP, BLAIR COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, TO ESTABLISH REGULATIONS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, ERECTION, MAINTENANCE AND REMOVAL OF SIGNS; TO PROVIDE FOR MATERIALS, SIZES, NUMBERS, HEIGHT, LIGHTING AND LOCATION; TO SPECIFY LICENSE FEES, PERMITS AND INSPECTIONS; AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ENFORCEMENT AND PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Supervisors of Taylor Township, Blair County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby ordained by the authority of the same that in pursuance of the general powers granted to said Township Supervisors by the Act of May 1, 1933, P.L. 103, Art. VIII § 701, et seq., as amended:

ARTICLE I

Title and General Intent

Section 1. Title. This Ordinance shall be known as the Taylor Township Sign Ordinance.

Section 2. General Intent. The sign regulations, controls and provisions set forth in this Ordinance are made to further the public safety, area development, preservation of property values and the general welfare of the Township of Taylor, and are intended to:

- *Aid in traffic control and safety;
- *Preserve and protect property values;
- *Lessen congestion of land and air spaces;
- *Provide against undue concentrations of signs which distract and endanger traffic safety and traffic flow;
- *Establish reasonable standards for commercial and other advertising through the use of signs in order to maintain and encourage business activity and area development;
- *Avoid uncontrolled proliferation of signs;
- *Recognize the rights of the public in roads, streets, highways, and the areas adjacent to those roads, streets and highways;
- *Preserve the wholesome and attractive character of Taylor Township; and
- *Recognize that the general welfare includes a community that shall be beautiful as well as healthy, spacious as well as clean and well balanced in its growth and development.

ARTICLE II

Definitions

Section 3. Definitions and Interpretation. The following words and phrases, when used in this Ordinance, shall have the meaning given in this section:

A. Sign. A "sign" is any structure, device, light or natural object including the ground itself, or any part thereof, or any device attached thereto, or painted or represented thereon, which shall be used to identify, advertise, or attract attention to any object, product, place, activity, person, institution, organization, firm, group, commodity, profession, enterprise, industry or business, or which shall display or include any letter, word, model, number, banner, flag, pennant, insignia, devise or representation used as an announcement, direction or advertisement, and which is intended to be seen from off the premises or from a parking lot. The word "sign" shall include devices which are affixed to the inside of windows and glass doors and are intended to be seen from roadways or parking lots. No other indoor device shall be deemed a sign within this Ordinance.

(1) Ground-Pole Sign – a sign supported by one or more uprights, poles or braces placed in or upon the ground.

(2) Illuminated Sign – a sign that provides artificial light directly, or through any transparent or translucent material, from a source of light connected with such sign, or a sign illuminated by a light focused upon or chiefly directed at the surface of the sign.

(3) Off-Premises Advertising Sign – a sign which contains a message unrelated to a business or profession conducted upon the premises where such sign is located, or which is unrelated to a commodity, service or entertainment sole or offered upon the premises where such sign is located.

(4) Permanent Sign – any sign which is not a temporary sign.

(5) Projecting Sign – a sign which projects from and is supported by a wall of a building.

(6) Temporary Sign – a sign, construed of cloth, canvas, fabric, wood or other similar material, with or without a structural frame, and intended for a limited period of display.

(7) Wall Sign – a sign which is attached directly to or painted upon a building wall, and which does not extend more than eighteen (18) inches therefrom, nor extend above the roof line.

(8) Roof Sign – any sign erected and maintained upon or above the roof of any building.

B. Premises – the area occupied by a business or other public enterprise. When more than one business occupies a single building on the ground floor, each business area shall be considered a separate premises. Businesses or other public enterprises which occupy other floors shall be considered separate premises.

C. Shopping Center – a cohesive unit of stores or other commercial businesses arranged and constructed according to a plan and contained within a separate parcel of land.

D. Sign Area – “Sign Area” is the area of the smallest triangle, rectangle or circle which can wholly enclose the surface area of the sign. All visible faces of a multi-faced sign shall be counted separately and then totaled in calculating sign area. Three-dimensional signs shall be treated as dual-faced signs, such that the total area shall be twice the area of the smallest, triangle, rectangle or circle which can totally circumscribe the sign in the plane of its largest dimension.

E. Person – any natural person, partnership, firm, association, corporation or other legal entity.

In this Ordinance, the singular shall include the plural, the plural shall include the singular, and the masculine shall include both the feminine and neuter.

ARTICLE III

General Regulations

Section 4. General Regulations. The following regulations shall be observed throughout Taylor Township.

Section 5. Signs Permitted. Signs listed in this Section are permitted and shall not require licenses or stickers, and they shall not be counted when calculating the number of signs on a premises. However, such signs shall conform with the general regulations for signs enumerated in the remainder of this Article.

A. Name and Address of Resident, but not to include any advertising, or nor more than two (2) square feet to sign area.

B. No Trespassing signs or other such signs regulating the use of a property, such as No Hunting, No Fishing, etc., of no more than two (2) square feet in sign area in residential areas and five (5) square feet in all commercial and industrial areas.

C. Real Estate signs no exceeding five (5) square feet in sign area in residential areas, and twenty-five (25) square feet in all commercial and industrial areas, which advertise the sale, rental or lease of the premises upon which said signs are located. "Sold" signs are prohibited. Such real estate signs shall be removed within ten (10) days after the premises advertises has been sold, rented or leased.

D. Bulletin Boards for Public, Charitable or Religious Institutions, when located on the premises thereof, and with a sign area of no more than twenty-five (25) square feet if single-faced, nor more than fifty (50) square feet if double-faced, and if used exclusively for noncommercial announcement.

E. Signs Regulating On-Premises Traffic, Parking or Other Functional Subdivision such as lavatory facilities, telephone, signs denoting other sections of a building such as Lubrication, Office, etc., when less than five (5) square feet in area and bearing no commercial advertising.

F. Signs Erected by a Governmental Body, or under the direction of such a body, and bearing no commercial advertising, such as traffic signs, railroad crossing signs, safety signs, signs identifying public schools and playground and the like.

G. Memorial Signs or Tablets and signs denoting the date of erection of buildings.

H. The Flat, Pennant, or Insignia of any government, or of any religious, charitable, or fraternal organization.

I. Temporary Signs no larger than five (5) square feet in area advertising the same of edible farm products produced on the premises, or advertising auctions, yard, garage or similar sales and special events of charitable or public service groups.

J. Permanent Residential Development signs at major entrances designed to identify a residential subdivision and containing no commercial advertising. Maximum area: twenty-five (25) square feet.

K. Signs Identifying Places of Worship when located on the premises thereof.

L. Signs Identifying a recreational area or facility when located on the premises thereof and containing no commercial advertising.

M. On-Premises Signs for the Professional Use of a doctor of medicine, dentist, osteopath, chiropractor, lawyer, accountant, architect, engineer or minister shall be limited to two (2) square feet and shall have no commercial advertising.

Section 6. Signs Prohibited. The following signs shall not be permitted, erected, or maintained, notwithstanding anything else contained in this Ordinance or elsewhere. Signs which are prohibited in paragraphs marked with an asterisk (*) shall be removed or brought into conformity with the provisions of this Ordinance within ninety (90) days after the Ordinance is passed.

A. Signs which incorporate in any manner any flashing or moving illumination or with illumination which varies in intensity or which varies in intensity or which varies in color and signs which have any visible moving part, visible revolving parts, or visible mechanical movement of any description, or other apparent visible movement achieved by electrical pulsations or by actions or normal wind currents, except when not visible from motor vehicles traveling on public roadways. Hanging signs which simply swing in the wind, and clocks and time and temperature signs and barber poles may be exempted provided they comply with all other provisions of this Ordinance.

B. Light sources which cast light on signs shall be shielded by opaque material so that the bulbs, floodlights or tubes are not visible off the property on which the signs are located.

*C. Any sign or sign structure which constitutes a hazard to public safety or health.

*D. Signs which by reason of size, locating, content, coloring or manner of illumination obstruct the vision of drivers, either when driving on a roadway or when entering a roadway from another roadway or driveway, or obstruct or detract from the visibility or effectiveness of any traffic sign or control device on public streets and roads.

*E. Any sign which obstructs free ingress to or egress from a fire escape, door, window or other required exitway.

*F. Signs which make use of words such as "Stop", "Look", "One-Way", "Danger", "Yield", or any similar words, phrases, symbols, lights or characters, in such a manner as to interfere with, mislead or confuse traffic.

*G. Any obsolete sign, which no longer advertises a bona fide business conducted or a product sold. In any case, ninety (90) days shall be allowed for removal of an obsolete sign.

*H. Signs on public property or public right-of-ways, unless erected by a governmental body, or unless required to be so located by order of a governmental body. No sign located on public property or a public right-of-way shall bear any commercial advertising or announcement.

*I. Signs painted on, attached to or supported by a tree, stone, cliff or other natural object, except signs permitted under Section 5. (I).

*J. Strong lights, other than temporary holiday decorations, which are unshielded from off the property on which they are located.

*K. Searchlights, pennants, spinners, banners and streamers except for occasions such as grand openings and then only with special permission of the Sign Review Board or the sign Inspector. Use shall be limited to a fifteen (15) day period.

Section 7. Limit on Number of Signs per Premises. Notwithstanding anything in this Ordinance to the contrary, no more than four (4) signs may be erected or maintained on any premises at any one time; except that when a premises is located on a corner lot and has public entrances on two or more public ways, or where a building has both a front and rear public entrance, one (1) additional sign may be erected. In calculating the total number of signs on a premises, both permanent and temporary signs shall be combined in the total. A double-faced sign shall count as a single sign. Signs enumerated in Section 5, "Signs Permitted" shall not be counted in calculating the total.

Section 8. Limit on Height of Signs. No sign, or any part thereof, including braces, supports, or lights shall exceed a height of twenty (20) feet. Height shall be measured from grade level directly below the fact of the sign to the highest part of the sign.

Section 9. Limit on Sign Area. Notwithstanding anything in this Ordinance to the contrary, the total sign area per premises, including both permanent and temporary signs, shall not exceed two (2) square feet per lineal front foot of the main building on the premises, except that no premises shall be limited to less than twenty (20) square feet of total sign area. In no case shall the total sign area of all signs on one premises exceed two hundred (200) square feet, except that shopping centers may have one (1) additional shopping center identification sign located along each street frontage used as an entrance. Such sign shall be subject to the requirements of Article XIV. Anything in this Ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding, the total sign area for a basement premises shall not exceed twenty (20) square feet.

Section 10. Limit on the Content of the Largest Sign on a Property. The largest sign on a premises shall not advertise any particular article of merchandise unless it is the principal product sold or manufactured on the premises.

Section 11. Safety and Maintenance.

A. Every sign and all parts thereof, including framework, supports, background, anchors, and wiring systems shall be constructed and maintained in compliance with the building, electrical, and fire prevention codes as they now exist, or

as they may hereafter exist. In the absence of an electrical Ordinance, the National Electrical code shall be used as the standard for all wiring systems.

B. All signs and all parts thereof shall be kept in a good state of repair and maintenance.

ARTICLE IV

Specific Sign Uses

Section 12. Projecting Signs. In addition to the general provisions of this Ordinance, the following regulations shall apply to all projecting signs:

A. No projecting sign shall project more than five (5) feet beyond the building line in the direction of the street, nor shall any portion of any projecting sign be closer than two (2) feet to the face of the street curb or curb line.

B. No portion of any projecting sign shall be less than ten (10) feet above grade level.

C. No single face of a projecting sign shall exceed fifteen (15) square feet in sign area.

D. No projecting sign shall have a vertical dimension greater than six (6) feet.

E. There shall be no more than (1) projecting sign for any premises unless the premises is located on a corner lot or has public entrances on two (2) or more public ways, in which case one (1) projecting sign may be erected for and toward each public way.

Section 13. Wall Signs. In addition to the general provisions of this Ordinance, the following regulations shall apply to all wall signs:

A. No wall sign shall extend above the top of the wall upon which it is placed.

B. No wall sign, or any part thereof, shall project more than twelve (12) inches from the wall upon which it is mounted. If external lighting is used, reflectors must be ten (10) feet above the surface of the sidewalk or walkway equipped with wire mesh guards and no part may extend more than two (2) feet from the wall of the building.

C. No wall sign shall extend beyond the left and right extremities of the wall to which it is attached.

Section 14. Ground-Pole Signs. In addition to the general provisions of this Ordinance, the following regulations shall apply to all ground-pole signs:

A. Every ground-pole sign and all parts, braces and supports thereof shall be located entirely behind the property line and shall not project over public right-of-way or other adjoining lands. However, ground-pole signs may be permitted between the property line and any building setback lines which may exist.

B. No ground-pole sign shall be larger than twenty-five (25) square feet in sign area on a single sign face, nor larger than fifty (50) square feet of sign area for both faces combined, nor in excess of ten (10) feet in any dimension of the sign face.

C. A premises may erect and maintain one (1) projecting sign or one (1) ground-pole sign, but not both. However, no individual business or other enterprise within a shopping center may erect or maintain a ground-pole sign.

D. No more than one sign shall be mounted to the supporting structure of any ground-pole sign, except for directional sign permitted in Section 16.

E. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Ordinance, any property located on a corner lot or having public entrance to two (2) or more public ways, one (1) ground-pole sign may be erected for and toward each public way.

F. Sign shall not have less than eight (8) feet of bottom open space along its entire length.

Section 15. Roof Signs. In addition to the general provisions of this Ordinance, the following regulations shall apply to all roof signs:

A. When viewed from a distance of fifty (50) feet directly in front of the sign surface, and a point five (5) feet above ground level, a roof sign shall exhibit a background which contains nothing other than a portion of the building which supports the sign.

B. No more than one (1) roof sign may be erected or maintained on a single premises.

Section 16. Directional Signs. In addition to the general provisions of this Ordinance, the following regulations shall apply to all directional signs:

A. Signs may be erected along major roadways to direct vehicles or pedestrians to premises in locations far removed from or not easily seen from major roadways. Such signs shall be reviewed by the Sign Review Board prior to the issuance of a sign permit by the Sign Inspector.

B. Directional signs shall be ground-pole signs with a maximum area of ten (10) square feet on a single face or twenty (20) square feet on a double-faced sign.

C. The content of directional signs shall be limited to the name of the establishment and direction and distance information.

D. Directional signs shall not be located more than five hundred (500) feet from an entrance or other roadway leading to the advertiser, and shall be located on the same side of the major roadway, and shall be located in advance of such roadway or entrance and on that side of the major highway which is occupied by traffic to which direction is being conveyed.

E. No more than two (2) individual signs shall be erected within the permitted area, and these shall all be attached to a single ground support structure. When more than two (2) directional signs are requested at a single location, all information shall be combined in one (1) sign which shall not exceed an area of twenty-five (25) square feet for a single-faced sign, nor fifty (50) feet for a double-faced sign.

F. The Sign Review Board shall review any applications for directional signs prior to the issuance of a sign permit by the Sign Inspector.

G. The longest dimension of a directional sign shall not exceed two (2) times its shortest dimension and shall exhibit a light background with contrasting dark border.

Section 17. Real Estate Development Signs. In addition to the general provisions of this Ordinance, the following regulations shall apply to all real estate development signs:

A. The use of real estate development signs shall be limited to those developer or owners having for sale a minimum of six (6) lots in one subdivision.

B. Such signs must be located on the premises which are for sale.

C. Such signs may advertise only the subdivision, in which the sign is located, and not the sale of lots elsewhere, or the realtor's, developer's or landowner's business in general. The content of such signs shall be limited to the name of the development, the developer's name and the telephone number of the developer or his sales agents.

D. If any person shall use more than one sign for the same development or area, no two signs shall be closer to each other than one thousand (1,000) feet measured in a straight line between said signs.

E. The maximum sign area of any such single-faced sign shall be twenty-five (25) square feet, and for any such double-faced sign fifty (50) feet. No part of such sign shall be more than ten (10) feet above grade or in excess of ten (10) feet in any dimension.

F. Such signs shall be removed when seventy-five (75%) percent of the lots in the subdivision have been sold or leased.

G. Artificial illumination of such signs is prohibited.

Section 18. Professional Occupational Signs. Denoting only the name, office hours, symbol, and/or profession of an occupant, and not exceeding one (1) sign per occupant, and not exceeding five (5) square feet per occupant. The total area for all such signs shall not exceed twenty-five (25) square feet per building.

Section 19. Shopping Center Signs. In addition to the general provisions of this Ordinance, the following regulations shall apply to shopping centers:

A. Only ground-pole signs which bear the name of the shopping center may be erected on the lands occupied by the center, subject to the provisions of Section 14.

B. All other signs identifying each individual business shall be erected in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance.

ARTICLE V

Permitted Billboards

Section 20. Permitted Billboards. In addition to the general provisions of this Ordinance, the following regulations shall apply to billboards:

A. A billboard structure shall not be erected within five hundred (500) feet of any residence, church or school.

B. A billboard panel shall not exceed six (6) feet in height and twelve (12) feet in width.

C. Only one (1) billboard panel shall be permitted on a support structure or support system.

D. A free standing billboard shall have not less than eight (8) feet of bottom open space along its entire length. Latticing shall be regarded as satisfying this requirement.

E. A billboard structure shall conform to all federal and state statutes and regulations.

F. A billboard structure may only be erected within eight hundred (800) feet of any property with a business or industrial use that is open on a year round basis and which is visible from and adjoins the highway.

G. A billboard structure shall not be erected within one thousand (1,000) feet of another billboard structure.

ARTICLE VI

Special Exceptions; Sign Review Board

Section 21. Intent. The intent of this Article is to allow certain provisions of this Ordinance to be modified where such modification will encourage excellence in the planning and design of signs. Nothing in this Article, however, is intended to permit the erection or maintenance of signs which are prohibited in Section 6, "Signs Prohibited".

Section 22. Right of Hearing on Special Exception. In the event that any person wishes to retain, construct or install a sign or signs other than as permitted in this Ordinance, that person shall be entitled to a hearing before the Board of Supervisors. Such hearing will be conducted at the monthly meeting of the Board of Supervisors. In the event that any person wishes to obtain the approval of the Board of Supervisors prior to the next monthly meeting, such person may request that a special meeting be held for such hearing provided a quorum of the supervisors are available and that the costs for advertising such special meeting are paid in advance by such person. Unless otherwise agreed, the Board of Supervisors will vote at the conclusion of the hearing as to whether to grant the special exception requested by such persons.

ARTICLE VII

Enforcement

Section 23. Sign Inspector.

A. Appointment. The Township Supervisors shall appoint a Sign Inspector to enforce the provisions of this Sign Ordinance.

B. Duties of the Sign Inspector.

(1) The Sign Inspector shall examine all applications for permits for erection of signs, issue licenses for new signs and for continued use of signs which conform with the requirements of this Ordinance, record and file all applications for permits with any accompanying plans and

documents, make an annual inspection of all signs in the Township and make such reports as the Township may require.

(2) If the Sign Inspector shall find that any sign has been constructed or erected or is being maintained in violation of the provisions of this Ordinance, he shall promptly notify the owner or lessor thereof in writing. If the owner or lessor fails to remove or alter the sign so as to comply with the provisions of this Ordinance within thirty (30) days, the Sign Inspector shall cause such sign to be removed or altered in such way as to conform with the provisions of the Ordinance. The cost of such removal or alteration shall be borne by the owner or lessor of such sign, and shall be a lien upon the premises.

(3) The Sign Inspector shall cause any sign which is in immediate peril to persons or property to be removed immediately. The cost of such removal shall be borne by the owner or lessor of such sign, and shall be a lien upon the premises.

Section 24. Licenses and Stickers for Permanent Signs.

A. General Provisions for All Permanent Signs.

(1) All permanent signs except those enumerated in Section 5 "Signs Permitted", must be licensed.

(2) Application for a license for a permanent sign shall be made on a form provided by the Sign Inspector. Licenses for permanent signs must be kept on the premises where the sign is displayed and must be shown to the Sign Inspector upon request.

(3) Licenses for permanent signs are valid for one (1) year from January 1 to December 31. Due to the time, effort and expense being the same whenever a permit is sought, there will be no proration for permit obtained during the calendar year such that a permit does not run for twelve (12) consecutive months from the date of issuance unless obtained on or before January 1.

B. Permits to Build New Permanent Signs, or to alter or Move Existing Permanent Signs.

(1) No permanent sign shall hereafter be erected, structurally altered or moved until the person proposing to erect, alter or remove such sign shall have obtained a permit from the Sign Inspector. Such permit shall be issued only when the Sign Inspector is satisfied that such sign will in every respect comply with the applicable provisions of this Ordinance. Such permit shall be valid for 180 days. The fee for a permit to build, alter

or move an existing permanent sign shall be Twenty-Five Dollars and 00/100 (\$25.00) per sign. The permit fee is in addition to the license fee that is required under this Ordinance.

(2) Any person desiring such a permit shall file application therefore upon a form which shall contain or have attached thereto the following information:

(a) Name, address and telephone number of applicant.

(b) A map showing the location of the buildings, structure or lot to which the sign is to be attached or erected and showing the position of the sign in relation to nearby buildings and thoroughfares; such a map must be to scale.

(c) A plan showing design of sign, materials used and method of construction and means of attachment to the building or to the ground; such plans must be to scale.

(d) Name of person, firm, corporation or association erecting, altering or moving said sign.

(e) Written consent of the owner of the land on which the sign is to be erected, altered or relocated.

(f) Any electrical or building permit required and issued for said sign under Township Ordinances.

(g) Any other information as the Sign Inspector shall require in order to show full compliance with this and all other ordinances of the Township.

(3) After permission to erect, alter or move a permanent sign has been obtained and said sign has been constructed, painted and emplaced as specified in the permit application, the owner of the sign shall notify the Sign Inspector who shall inspect the sign. If the sign is as specified in the permit application and does not violate any provision of this or other applicable ordinances, a license shall be issued to the owner, valid for the current year.

C. Licenses for Existing Permanent Signs. All owners of permanent signs in existence at the time of passage of this Ordinance shall make application for a sign license within ninety (90) days of the passage of this Ordinance. After application to license an existing permanent sign has been received, the Sign Inspector shall inspect the sign. If the sign is safe and in good repair and does not violate the

ons of this Ordinance for such existing signs, a license shall be issued to the
e, valid for the current year, subject, however, to the following provisions:

(1) Conforming Signs – All permanent signs which are in existence at the time of passage of this Ordinance, and which conform to the provisions of the Ordinance, shall be eligible for a sign license.

(2) Nonconforming Signs.

(a) All permanent signs which are in existence at the time of passage of this Ordinance, but which do not conform to one or more applicable provisions of this Ordinance, shall be eligible for a sign license, except those signs denoted with an asterisk (*) in Section 6. "Signs Prohibited". Eligible nonconforming signs may be re-licensed annually until said signs are structurally altered or moved, at which time they shall be considered new signs.

(b) If there is an abandonment or nonuse of a sign or sign location of a nonconforming sign for a period of at least six (6) months, such nonconforming sign may be deemed to be abandoned and the right to maintain such nonconforming sign shall terminate.

(c) No nonconforming shall be enlarged, nor shall the location of any nonconforming sign be changed.

(d) Nonconforming signs may be repaired and maintained. Repairing and maintaining shall include, but not be limited to, the replacement of certain portions of a sign, or the entire sign, if necessary, to repair damage from collision, natural causes such as windstorm or fire, or from intentional damage such as vandalism.

Section 25. License for Temporary Signs.

A. All temporary signs as they are defined in this Ordinance, except those signs enumerated in Section 5. "Signs Permitted" must be licensed. Possession of a valid license for a temporary sign shall entitle the licensee to display one (1) temporary sign at any given time.

B. Application for a license for a temporary sign shall be made on a form provided by the Sign Inspector. Licenses for temporary signs must be kept on the premises where signs are displayed and must be shown to the Sign Inspector upon request.

C. Size, content, and location of a temporary sign may be varied at any time so long as the variations remain within the overall restrictions of this Ordinance.

D. Licenses for temporary signs are valid for three (3) months.

E. No temporary sign needs to be licensed until one (1) year after the passage of this Ordinance. Thereafter, nonconforming temporary signs shall not be permitted, and the Sign Inspector may cause any such nonconforming temporary sign to be removed without notice.

Section 26. License Fees. Every applicant, before being granted a license hereunder, shall pay to the Township Secretary a fee to be set by resolution of the Board of Supervisors from time to time.

Section 27. Penalties. Any person who shall violate any provision of this Ordinance shall, for each and every such violation, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars and costs of prosecution, and in default of payment of such fine and costs, to imprisonment for not more than thirty (30) days. Provided: each day's continuance of a violation shall constitute a separate offense.

ARTICLE VIII

Severability and Constitutionality

Section 28. Severability. The provisions of this Sign Ordinance shall be severable, and if any of its provisions shall be held to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, such unconstitutionality, illegality or invalidity 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 as if such unconstitutional, illegal or invalid provisions had not been included therein.

ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Supervisors of Taylor Towns
2nd day of April, 2007.

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