AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE TRAFFIC AND THE PARKING OF VEHICLES ON THE STREETS OF THE TOWN OF RIDGEWAY, SOUTH CAROLINA; TO REGULATE, RESTRICT AND LIMIT THE USE OF PUBLIC STREETS WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE TOWN OF RIDGEWAY; TO DEFINE CERTAIN OFFENSES IN THE USE OF AND OPERATION OF VEHICLES AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF THIS ORDINANCE AND PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Town Council of the Town of Ridgeway in meeting assembled:

SECTION 1 DEFINITIONS, for the purpose of this ordinance, the following words, phrases, and terms are defined as follows:

VEHICLE - EVERY Device in, upon or by which any person or property may be transported upon a street, except devices moved by human power or used exclusively upon a stationary rail or track.

MOTOR VEHICLE - EVERY vehicle which is self propelled and not operated upon fixed rails or tracks.

AUTHORIZED EMERGENCY VEHICLES - VEHICLES used by the fire department in line of duty, police vehicles, and ambulances or other official vehicles used in emergency.

EDESTRIAN - ANY person afoot.

DRIVER - EVERY person who drives or is in actual physical control of a vehicle.

STREET - ANY public road, street, avenue, alley, boulevard, bridge, viaduct or trestle and approaches thereto within the Town limits of Ridgeway.

BUSINESS DISTRICT - THAT territory contiguous to and including a highway street when 50% or more of the frontage thereon for distance of 200 feet is occupied by buildings in use for business.

RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT - THAT territory contiguous to and including a street not used for business when the property on such street for a distance of 300 feet is in the main improved with dwelling or dwellings in use for residential purposes.

SECTION 2

SPEEDING RESTRICTIONS NO person shall drive a vehicle on the streets of Ridgeway at a speed greater than is reasonable and prudent under existing conditions. Where no special hazard exists, the following speeds for vehicles shall be lawful and any speed in excess shall be unlawful.

BUSINESS DISTRICT - Twenty-Five miles per hour.

RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT - Thirty-Five - Forty miles per hour as posted.

TRAFFIC - PROVIDED that the aforesaid shall not apply to emergency vehicles when responding to emergency calls and the driver thereof sound audible signal by bell, siren, horn or whistle capable of emitting sound audible under normal conditions 500 feet.

- SECTION 3 UPON all streets within the Town of Ridgeway, vehicles shall be driven on the right half of the street, except when overtaking or passing another vehicle traveling in the same direction.
- SECTION 4 DRIVERS passing, traveling in opposite directions shall at all times give at least one half of the street or roadway to the other driver.
- NO driver shall attempt to pass another vehicle unless the left hand lane is clear of traffic, is clearly visible for a distance sufficient to permit safe passing. Before passing another vehicle the driver shall give a warning signal with the horn on his vehicle and shall give appropriate hand signals or signals with signals devices to warn drivers behind him.
- SECTION 6 THE driver of any vehicle shall at all times have his or her vehicle under control and shall not follow another vehicle more closely than is reasonable and prudent and within the bounds of safety.
- SECTION 7 NO driver shall chase, follow or attempt to pass a fire engine or fire fighting apparatus or other emergency vehicles and shall not follow any such vehicles closer than 300 feet.
- PARKING OF VEHICLES No person shall park any vehicle upon the streets of the Town of Ridgeway so that such vehicle constitutes an obstruction to traffic or endangers other vehicles moving on said streets. No person shall park a vehicle except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic or by specific direction of a police officer in any of the following places or way.
 - (1) On a sidewalk.
 - (2) In front of or so as to block a private driveway.
 - (3) At an intersection so as to interfere with the vision of drivers of other vehicles or as to interfere with the passage of

pedestrians.

- (4) In front of or within ten feet of a fire hydrant.
- (5) In any parking place restricted by the Town Council to the use of police vehicles, emergency vehicles or to the use of physicians.
- (6) On the left hand side of the street facing on coming traffic.
- (7) So as to extend the vehicle over painted lines laid off parking zones.
- (8) Double Parking.
- (9) Three (3) hour maximum parking on Main Street.
- SECTION 9

 PEDESTRIANS Every person walking on or along any street not provided with sidewalks shall walk upon the left side of such street or highway approaching traffic from the opposite direction. Every person crossing a street shall yield the right of way to vehicles upon the street.
- NO person shall drive or operate any vehicle on the streets of the Town of Ridgeway unless such person shall have in his or her possession a motor vehicles driver's license as required by the laws of the State of South Carolina. Provided, however, that a non resident properly licensed by the laws of his or her home State may drive a vehicle on the streets of the Town of Ridgeway provided such license of said non resident is not in conflict with the laws of the State of South Carolina.
- SECTION 11 PUTTING GLASS, ETC. IN STREET PROHIBITED. No person shall throw or deposit upon any street any glass bottle, glass, nails, tacks, wire, rocks, bricks or other substance or substance likely to injure or cause injury to any person, animal or vehicle using said street.
- SECTION 12 PERSONS UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF INTOXICATING LIQUOR OR NARCOTIC DRUGS OR TRANQUILIZERS.
 - A IT shall be unlawful for any person to drive on the streets of Ridgeway which such person is under the influence of intoxicating liquors (alcohol) or narcotic drugs such as morphine derivatives or barbiturates or while incapacitated by the excessive use of so-called tranquilizers.

B EVERY person violating the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined not less than Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars and not more than One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars or imprisoned for not less than Ten (10) days and not more than thirty (30) days, with the discretion of the Mayor.

C THE person or persons convicted under Section 12 shall be reported immediately to the South Carolina State Highway Department.

SECTION 13 RECKLESS DRIVING

A ANY person who willfully or wantonly drives a vehicle on the streets of the Town of Ridgeway in such a manner as to endanger the lives and welfare or safety of other persons shall be guilty of reckless driving.

B ANY person convicted of reckless driving shall be punished by imprisonment of not less than five (5) days and not more than thirty (30) days or by a fine of not less than Ten (\$10.00) Dollars and not more than One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars, within the discretion of the Mayor.

SECTION 14

EVERY vehicle shall be provided with good and sufficient brakes and also with suitable horn or other signal and shall have two operating headlights and at least one red light on the rear of said vehicle visible for a reasonable distance to persons traveling behind said motor vehicle. ALL two wheeled vehicles shall be equipped with one white headlight and one rear red light and shall also be equipped with good and sufficient brakes. PROVIDED, that these regulations shall not apply to bicycles used only during the hours between sunrise and sunset, but shall apply to bicycles used between sunset and sunrise.

SECTION 15

ALL drivers of all vehicles, whether motor or otherwise propelled, shall observe all stop and yield signs and also all other traffic control signals, lights, signs of whatever nature erected by the Town of Ridgeway or by the State Highway Department.

SECTION 16

IT shall be unlawful for any person or persons to tamper with, mar, deface, change or in any way interfere with any traffic control signs erected.

ECTION 16a NO "U" turn is allowed on Main Street.

SECTION	16b	A "U" turn on Main Street is punishable by \$108.25 One hundred eight and 25/100 Dollars fine.
SECTION	17	ALL drivers of vehicles shall observe and obey the caution signals, whether electrically controlled or otherwise, erected by the Southern Railway for the protection of the public at railway crossings.
SECTION	18	ANY person violating any section or any of the provisions of this Ordinance excepting Sections Twelve (12) and Thirteen (13) shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction be punished by imprisonment for not less than Five (5) days and not more than Thirty (30) days or by a fine of not less than One (\$1.00) Dollars and not more than Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars, within the discretion of the Mayor or Municipal Judge.
SECTION	19	IF any section or provision of this ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity shall not affect, impair or invalidly any remaining sections or provisions of this Ordinance.
SECTION	20	BICYCLES shall be prohibited on the sidewalks in the business area on Palmer Street.
•	DONE	in Council day of,
		Mayor:
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Clerk

1st Reading:

Second Reading:

AMENDMENT: ORDINANCE 5-1001

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 18 OF THE ORDINANCE TO REGULATE TRAFFIC 5-1001 FOR THE TOWN, SO AS TO INCREASE THE FINES FOR THE VIOLATIONS.

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Mayor and Council, in Council assembled.

	Careless Operation:	\$100 Minimum and \$500 Maximum
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	Speeding 11-15	\$150 Minimum
	Speeding 16-25	\$200 Minimum
	Speeding 26 & Over	\$500 Minimum
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5-1002

AN ORDINANCE TO PROHIBIT THE OBSTRUCTION OF ANY PUBLIC ALLEYWAY, DRIVEWAY, STREET OR SIDEWALK.

BE IT ORDAINED by Council of the Town of Ridgeway, South Carolina, in Council met and by authority of the same.

SECTION 1

THAT upon and after passage of this ordinance that it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to obstruct any public alleyway, driveway, street or sidewalk in the Town of Ridgeway by piling or placing lumber, merchandise, rubbish refuse or other material therein or thereon without having obtained written permission signed by the Mayor of the Town of Ridgeway. Such written permission or permit as herein mentioned shall at all times be subject to the inspection of Chief of Police or his assistant at any time they might wish to inspect it.

SECTION 2

THAT any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of

SECTION 3

THAT all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance be and they are repealed.

DONE	in	Council day of	··
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1st Reading:

Second Reading:

5-1003

AN ORDINANCE TO CONTROL TRAFFIC ON PALMER STREET IN RIDGEWAY.

WHEREAS:

The Town of Ridgeway has experienced growth in the past two years with increased traffic due to ridgeway Mining Company and the proximity of I-77,

and

WHEREAS:

This growth has increased traffic flow on Palmer Street causing traffic congestion, and

WHEREAS:

The Mayor and Town Council desire to protect the citizens, and have traffic flow in an orderly manner.

NOW THEREFORE: Be it resolved that it shall be unlawful for any person or persons operating a motor vehicle to make a U-turn on Palmer Street in either direction or to make a lefthand turn into a parking space on Palmer Street.

Done in Counc	cil this day or	 •
	Mayor:	
	Attested:	

1st Reading:

Second Reading:

U TURN ORDINANCE- Fine

(Second Reading)

\$10.00 for first offense

\$50.00 maximum fine.

Instruct police to use discretion with fines for this ordinance.

ORDINANCE NUMBER: 5-1003

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AN ORDINANCE SO AS TO PROHIBIT THROUGH TRUCK TRAFFIC

WHEREAS:	The Town of Ridgeway has experienced recent growth in traffic due to the new Peach Road interchange on Interstate 77 and
WHEREAS:	Large vehicles over 2 axles do not have sufficient room to make a turn from Peach Road onto Dogwood Avenue in the Town of Ridgeway and
WHEREAS:	The Mayor and Town Council desire to prevent future accidents from happening.
NOW THEREFORE persons or Ridgeway.	: Be it resolved that through truck traffic be prohibited for any perating a large vehicle over 2 axles on Peach Road in the Town of
DONE in Co	uncil this 9 day of January, 2009.
MAYO	OR:
TOW	N CLERK
FIRST READING:	12-11-08
SECOND READING	: 1-9-09

Ordinance 5-1005

WRECKER SERVICE AND WRECKER ROTATION PROGRAM

FOOTNOTE(S):--- (1) ---

Cross reference— Junk dealers; Ch. 11; licenses, Ch. 12; motor vehicles and traffic, Ch. 13; solid waste, Ch. 23; zoning, Ch. 31.

State Law reference— Wreckers exempted from motor vehicle carrier laws, S.C. Code 1976, § 58-23-50.

Section 1*General provision

- (a) All wrecker companies doing business within the city must obtain and maintain a valid and current business. The required license fee shall be paid for by each business set forth in the guidelines within the limits of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is an advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is advantage of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is
- (b) Wrecker services wishing to participate in the rotation program must have requested and a participate in the rotation by completing, in full, a wrecker rotation program application. Wrecker services applying for the right to participate in the rotation program do so freely and willingly subject themselves to compliance with the requirements, rules, regulations and schedule of maximum fees for services as established in this chapter was a service of the requirements.

Section 2 *Purpose of wrecker service rotation program

The wrecker service rotation program is established to accomplish the efficient and effective removal of vehicles of the authorized by the police department pursuant to applicable state and local law and the equitable distribution of the contraction wrecker service calls among all eligible wrecker companies as herein provided.

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Section 3 *Prohibitions

- (a) No soliciting of the business of towing or supplying of wrecker service shall be made at or near the scene of an accident. All wreckers providing service to the police department shall be dispatched pursuant to the wrecker rotation program.
- (b) It shall be unlawful for a wrecker service to respond to the scene of a disabled vehicle or damaged vehicle by a specific reason of information received by monitoring police radio transmissions.
- (c) It shall be unlawful for any owner or operator of a wrecker company to subcontract and/or have any connection, association, affiliation or financial interest in another wrecker company participating/operating in the rotation program.
- (d) No employee or official of the city shall have a financial interest in any wrecker service participating in the rotation program.

Section 4 *Rotation eligibility

Wrecker services desiring to qualify for participation in the wrecker rotation program shall comply with the following minimum standards. Applicants for participation in the wrecker rotation program shall obtain a compliance certification from the chief of police prior to or in conjunction with applying for eligibility for the wrecker rotation list.

- (1) A valid business license must be maintained by all wrecker services participating in the wrecker rotation program.
- (2) All wrecker services shall procure, keep in force and effect, a policy of public liability insurance and property damage insurance issued by a casualty insurance company authorized to conduct business in the state and in a form approved by the insurance commissioner of the state. Minimum coverage levels shall be as follows:
 - a. For damages arising out of bodily injury to or death of one (1) person in one (1) accident, one hundred the contract thousand dollars (\$100,000.00).

- b. For damages arising out of bodily injury to or death of two (2) or more persons in any one (1) accident, five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000.00).
- c. For injury to or destruction of property in any one (1) accident, fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00).
- d. For injury to or destruction of customer's vehicle(s), fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) in garage keepers liability insurance.

All required policies shall contain an endorsement providing for thirty (30) days' notice to the city in the event of any material changes or cancellation of the policy. Proof of insurance shall be required at the times of compliance certification.

- (3) Minimum equipment standards are as follows:
 - a. All wreckers and standard equipment shall be maintained in safe and good working condition at all times.
 - b. Each wrecker, regardless of classification, shall at all times carry the following items: a roof or boom mounted amber-colored oscillating or flashing emergency light, tow sling, tow bar, towing dollies, safety chains, wrecking bar, brooms, dust pan, shovel, reflective triangles or cones, debris removal containers, and a ten-pound or larger fire extinguisher rated for Class A, B and C fires.
 - c. Each wrecker shall display the owner or company name, address and telephone number in two-inch high, or make the larger, professional lettering on both sides of the vehicle. Temporary lettering, magnetic or otherwise, is strictly prohibited. All equipment must be registered in the name of the owner.
 - d. All wrecker services or companies shall have at least one (1) wrecker of not less than one (1) ton in size with dual wheels and booster brakes. Such wrecker shall be equipped with a power operated winch, winch line and boom with a factory-rated capacity of not less than eight thousand (8,000) pounds single line capacity. Carriers with a winch and line capacity of not less than eight thousand (8,000) pounds capacity may also be qualified.
- (4) All wrecker services must be capable of responding seven (7) days a week, twenty-four (24) hours per day within the thirty (30) minutes of a request for service from the police department.
- (5) The rotation program application of any wrecker service which fails to meet the rotation eligibility requirements of established herein shall be denied. In the event necessary corrections or repairs are made, a new application for the eligibility may be submitted. Any wrecker service which fails to maintain compliance with all eligibility requirements established herein shall be removed from the rotation program and prohibited from reapplying for the participation therein by the chief of police for a period of not less than one (1) year and the participation are the participation of the police for a period of not less than one (1) year and the participation are the participation of the police for a period of not less than one (1) year and the participation are the participation of the police for a period of not less than one (1) year.

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Section 5 *Selection of wrecker company

- (a) Unless the owner or driver of a vehicle is incapacitated or unavailable or the vehicle is impounded by the police and the department for evidentiary or other legal purposes, such owner or driver shall have the right to specify a wrecker service service of their choice, provided that such wrecker service is available to respond within the above stated response or negative time, possesses a valid business license and, in the police officer's opinion, utilization of the requested wrecker service, have in the particular incident, is feasible and not contrary to public safety, or negative as a contrary of public safety.
- (b) No police officer, in the performance of his/her duties, shall render an opinion or recommendation as to the best division of capabilities of any wrecker service.
- (c) In all instances where the service of one (1) or more wrecker(s) is required as a result of the police department's:

 performance of official duties, except as provided in subsection (a) above, wrecker services participating in the wrecker above rotation program shall be utilized in the normal rotation cycle.

Section 6 *Wrecker rotation procedures

- (a) A list of wrecker services, which comply with the minimum eligibility requirements set forth by this chapter, shallo make the maintained by the police department, based on the order of approved applications. When a wrecker service is deleted from the list, the order of the list shall be moved up to fill the vacancy. All newly approved, or re-certified services; which was shall be added to the end of the rotation list. The order of the list, as amended, shall be maintained on a city fiscal year basis.
- (b) After determining the need for a wrecker service, the officer on the scene shall direct the dispatcher to notify the an experimentation program duty wrecker service or requested wrecker service, if permitted pursuant to subsection 5(a). The task arrange of subsection of duty versus requested an experimentation of duty versus requested an experimentation of the vehicle(s) if applicable, the location of the vehicle(s) to be towed and the nature of the call, as the definition of the vehicle with the service of the call.
- (c) Upon receipt of a request for a wrecker service from an officer on the scene, dispatch shall call the appropriate and the wrecker service. In incidents involving multiple vehicles, a separate wrecker service shall be dispatched for each overlands as a separate wrecker service.

vehicle requiring assistance. Nothing in this section shall preclude a wrecker service from sending additional equipment to assist the vehicle to which it was dispatched. If the wrecker service is unavailable to respond within the time frame established herein, or fails to respond in a timely manner, the first service call shall be canceled and the next wrecker service dispatched. All canceled calls shall be forfeited by the affected wrecker service.

- (d) The police department shall maintain a dispatch log which shall contain at least the following information:
 - (1) The time of wrecker call by the officer on the scene along with the identity of wrecker service(s) and the scene along with the identity of dispatched and an indication as to whether wrecker(s) were dispatched per duty rotation list of request of vehicle owner/operator.
 - (2) Time of arrival of wrecker service; the make, model, year and license number of vehicle(s) towed; location and license number of vehicle numb from which each vehicle was towed; and time wrecker left scene.

Section 7 *Wrecker service responsibilities

The primary responsibility of the wrecker service shall be the efficient, prompt and safe removal of the wehicle(s) as a single of the requested by the police department. The removal of vehicle(s) shall require the following related tasks to be performed: whiches shall require the following related tasks to be performed: whiches shall require the following related tasks to be performed:

- (1) All debris resulting from wrecked, vandalized or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) shall be removed from the scene of the small or disabled vehicle(s) s request for service and disposed of at the cost of the wrecker service. The sweeping of debris onto road shoulders, the wrecker service and disposed of at the cost of the wrecker service. against curbs or in storm drains is strictly prohibited. o un a la las la la storia diene el sirca i problèmico,
- (2) The condition and contents of all vehicles towed pursuant to this chapter shall be inventoried and certified in the American account to presence of a witness. The witness should be the owner of the vehicle or family member, except in cases where the owner is not present, is incapacitated or has been placed under arrest. When the owner or family member is an object that the owner or family member is an object to be a second or the owner or family member is an object to be a second or the owner or family member is an object to be a second or the owner or family member is an object to be a second or the owner or family member is an object to be a second or the owner or family member is an object to be a second or the owner or family member is an object to be a second or the owner or family member is an object to be a second or the owner or family member is a second or the owner or family member is a second or the owner or family member is a second or the owner or family member is a second or the owner of the owner or the owner of the owner or the owner of the owner or the owner or the owner of the owner of the owner or the owner or the owner of t not available to certify the inventory record, the certification shall be made by the officer on the scene. In cases in the steerest and the scene of the scene o where the need to promptly remove the vehicle prohibits the immediate inventorying of the vehicle, the The this section is the property individual certifying the inventory record shall maintain visual contact with the wrecker until a suitable and safe: Analyzing the location can be found to complete the inventory. and the property of the control of t
- (3) Following the completion of the inventory, all personal property contained in the towed vehicle(s) shall be an efficient and more secured by the wrecker service so as to prevent further damage or lossified by the wrecker service so as to prevent further damage or lossified by the wrecker service so as to prevent further damage or lossified by the wrecker service so as to prevent further damage or lossified by the wrecker service so as to prevent further damage or lossified by the wrecker service so as to prevent further damage or lossified by the wrecker service so as to prevent further damage or lossified by the wrecker service so as to prevent further damage or lossified by the wrecker service so as to prevent further damage.
- (4) Once a wrecker service takes possession of a vehicle, such service shall assume responsibility for protection and make the service shall assume a responsibility for protection and make the service shall assume a responsibility for protection and make the service shall assume a responsibility for protection and make the service shall assume a responsibility for protection and make the service shall assume a responsibility for protection and make the service shall assume a responsibility for protection and make the service shall assume a responsibility for protection and make the service shall assume a responsibility for protection and make the service shall assume a responsibility for protection and make the service shall assume a responsibility for protection and make the service shall assume a responsibility for protection and make the service shall be a service shall be serviced as the se safe storage of the vehicle, unless the owner requests the vehicle be towed to a site other than the wreckers are requests the vehicle be towed to a site other than the wreckers are requests the vehicle be towed to a site other than the wreckers are requests the vehicle be towed to a site other than the wreckers are requests the vehicle be towed to a site other than the wreckers are requests the vehicle be towed to a site other than the wreckers are requests the vehicle be towed to a site other than the wreckers are requests the vehicle be towed to a site other than the wreckers are requests the vehicle be towed to a site other than the wreckers are requests the vehicle becomes a site of the requests. service's storage facility, in which case, the wrecker service's responsibility terminates upon the delivery of the storage facility. vehicle.
- (5) All wrecker services shall be responsible for the safe and secure storage of towed vehicles within a storage yard a safe and secure storage of towed vehicles within a storage yard a safe and secure storage of towed vehicles within a storage yard. or enclosed building. In the case of storage yards, the yards must be enclosed with a minimum six-foot fence with barbed wire or suitable deterrent to unauthorized entry, as well as have satisfactory night lighting. The location, or entry the location, or entry the location of the locati screening and maintenance of all storage facilities located near, or in the city must also comply with the South mades and the storage facilities located near, or in the city must also comply with the South mades and the storage facilities located near, or in the city must also comply with the South mades and the storage facilities located near, or in the city must also comply with the South mades and the storage facilities located near, or in the city must also comply with the South made and the storage facilities located near, or in the city must also comply with the south made and the storage facilities located near, or in the city must also comply with the south made and the storage facilities located near and the storage facilities are storage facilities are storage facilities are storage facilities are storage facilities and the storage facilities are Carolina code of laws. timedical red parteque.
- (6) All storage facilities shall be manned or have personnel available on call to provide access to vehicle owners of personnel available on call to provide access to vehicle owners of personnel available on call to provide access to vehicle owners of personnel available on call to provide access to vehicle owners. during normal working hours, which shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the hours of 7:00 a.m. of the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the hours of 7:00 a.m. of the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the hours of 7:00 a.m. of the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the hours of 7:00 a.m. of the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the hours of 7:00 a.m. of the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the shall be defined as Monday through Friday between the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined as Monday through Friday be the shall be defined and 5:00 p.m. Access during nonworking hours shall be arranged with the wrecker service and may-result in some control and additional cost to the vehicle owner. Police access shall be provided upon request and without restrictions; and the state of the state
- (7) Vehicles for non-criminal related towing may be released to the owner without approval of the police department and ascent upon presentation of a valid driver's license and proof of ownership. At no time shall impounded vehicles, or and proof of ov vehicles involved in criminal activity, be released without a signed release by the police department may the released without a signed release by the police department may be released without a signed release by the police department.

Section 8 *Towing and storage charges

(a) Operator's fees for towing and storage services rendered pursuant to the rotation provisions of this chapter shall not a level pursuant to the rotation provisions of this chapter shall not a level pursuant to the rotation provisions of this chapter shall not a level pursuant to the rotation provisions of this chapter shall not a level pursuant to the rotation provisions of this chapter shall not a level pursuant to the rotation provisions of this chapter shall not a level pursuant to the rotation provisions of this chapter shall not a level pursuant to the rotation provisions of this chapter shall not a level pursuant to the rotation provisions of this chapter shall not a level pursuant to the rotation provisions of this chapter shall not a level pursuant to the rotation provisions of this chapter shall not a level pursuant to the rotation provision of the rotation provision provision provisions of the rotation provision provision provisions of the rotation provision exceed the following maximum charges: (2006年) 在特别的1000年(100年) (中国100年)

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- (1) Removal of non-wrecked vehicles where towing is required as a result of traffic or a regardless sense to a superior experience as other violation, abandonment, impoundment, etc.:
 - a. If pulled during normal business hours as established in section 7(6)—\$75.00 and a manufacture of the section 3 and the largest manufacture of the section 3 and the sectio
 - b. If pulled during non-business hours and on holidays—\$110.00

- (2) Removal of wrecked vehicles:
 - a. A reasonable fee based upon the difficulty in winching and towing the wrecked vehicle, debris removal, etc.
 - b. Disputes as to the reasonableness of the fee will be resolved by the police chief.
 - c. A violation of this section will result in the removal of the wrecker company from the police wrecker rotation program.
- (3) Daily vehicle storage charge after first three (3) days with no charge—\$15.00
- (b) The above described rate schedule shall not apply when a vehicle owner or operator requests a wrecker service of his/her choice or provides instructions to deliver—the vehicle to an alternate location which results in a tow distance substantially greater than the distance to the wrecker service's standard facility.
- owner(s) based on the actual cost incurred. The police chief shall be notified in writing within twenty-four (24) hours of the issuance of a wrecker service bill which deviates from the maximum fee schedule. Such notification shall contain sufficient justification where the deviation.

Section 9 *Removal of wrecker service

Any wrecker service operated in violation of the terms of this chapter shall be subject to the revocation of its wrecker and the rotation program eligibility and business license.

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Section 10 *Indemnification

All wrecker services approved for participation in the wrecker rotation program agree to indemnify and save harmless the city, its employees, agents and assigns from suit, and claims or action of every nature and description brought for, or on account of or sustained by any person or person(s) as a result of any act or acts of the wrecker company, its employees, agents or assigns in the performance of services hereunder.

The required license fee shall be paid for each business subject here the guidelines within the limits of the City of Ridgeway, South Carolina, is required to pay an annual license fee and obtain a business license as herein provided. Where dates establishing deadlines within this chapter fall on a Saturday, Sunday, or a city-observed holiday, the deadline so established shall be extended through the following regular business day and double such amount shall be the fee for wrecker services business within but located outside the city limits.

This ordinance shall become effective on NOVEMBER 1, 2016 ansance that become offective on the transfer sale

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First Reading: 9/8/16

Second Reading: 10/13/16

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Towing Service Application

The Ridgeway Police Department	Date of Application:
	, submit this, my
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formal request, as owner or proprietor	of
	(Towing Service)
and do hereby request to be included or service call list.	n the Ridgeway Police Department Rotating Towing
I further attest that I have read, understa	and and will comply with all provisions governing the use
of towing service as contained in the R	idgeway Police Department's Towing Service Standards
Policy Manual while performing service Department.	es requested by the member(s) of the Ridgeway Police
I do solemnly swear/affirm that all state the best of my knowledge.	ements made in connection with this application are true to
	Respectfully submitted,
	Name of towing Service
	Signature of Owner