

**ORDINANCE 2014-20**

**AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING SNOW BEING DEPOSITED ON STREETS.**

WHEREAS, The Newton Falls City Council has become aware of the dangers of deposited snow on the roads; and

WHEREAS, The Newton Falls City Council feels the depositing of snow on the State, County and City Roads creates a dangerous risk to the public health, safety, and general welfare of the Citizens of Newton Falls; and

WHEREAS, Article XVIII, Section 3 of the Ohio constitution grants municipalities the legal authority to exercise all powers of local self-government and to adopt and enforce within their limits such local police, sanitary, and other similar regulations, as re not in conflict with general laws.

THE COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF NEWTON FALLS, STATE OF OHIO, HEREBY ORDAIINS:

SECTION I: Newton Falls Codified Ordinances shall include the following:

- (a) No person shall cause to be deposited snow from his premises or any sidewalk or driveway onto any street in the City, who may require to be paid a fee sufficient to reimburse the City for the cost of removal of such snow.
- (b) Whoever violates any provision of this section is guilty of a minor misdemeanor on the first offense; on a second offense within one year after the first offense, the person is guilty of a misdemeanor of the fourth degree; on each subsequent offense within one year after the first offense, the person is guilty of a misdemeanor of the third degree.

SECTION II: Any ordinance or parts of ordinances in conflict with the context of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

PASSED IN COUNCIL THIS 15<sup>th</sup> DAY OF DECEMBER 2014.

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Mayor, Lyle A. Waddell

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk/Clerk of Council  
Kathleen M. King