

AN ORDINANCE GOVERNING STREET TRAVEL AND TRAFFIC,
AND TO PROVIDE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF
THE GENERAL PROVISIONS THEREOF.

THE VILLAGE OF RED JACKET ORDAINS:

Section 1. Every person in charge or control of any animal or vehicle, traveling upon any street in this village shall immediately stop such animal or vehicle upon the order or signal by the raised hand or otherwise of any police or street traffic officer; and every person shall promptly obey any order or signal of any such officer, respecting the driving, standing and parking of any animal or vehicle.

Section 2. No person shall operate a motor vehicle upon any street or alley within the village of Red Jacket at a rate of speed greater than is reasonable and proper, having regard to the traffic and use of the highway, or so as to endanger the life or limb of any person or the safety of any property; and shall not in any event while upon any street or alley run at a higher rate of speed than fifteen miles an hour in the business portion of such village, and not greater than twenty miles an hour in all other portions thereof, subject, however, to the other provisions of this ordinance.

Section 3. Any person driving a motor car or other vehicle on any street in the village at the intersection of two or more streets, shall keep such vehicle to the right of the center of such intersection.

Section 4. No person shall interfere with or interrupt any funeral procession, or any other procession or parade, or drive any animal or vehicle across or through the same in such manner as to interfere with or interrupt its progress, or any portion thereof.

Section 5. No person shall ride any bicycle, or other like vehicle, in any public street unless the same be equipped with a bell, horn or other signalling device; nor shall any person ride such vehicle in the night time in any public street or place, unless a bright headlight be properly displayed on such vehicle.

Section 6. No person shall operate any motor vehicle upon any of the streets or alleys of the village of Red Jacket unless he or she shall have first obtained a license for that purpose as provided by Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1919.

Section 7. No person shall operate any motor vehicle upon any of the streets or alleys of the Village of Red Jacket unless said motor vehicle shall be equipped with number plates as provided by Section 4800 of the Compiled Laws of Michigan of 1915 as amended.

Section 8. No person shall park any motor car or other vehicle within twenty feet of any hydrant or within twenty feet of any street corner or across the entrance to any alley.

Section 9. The driver of any motor vehicle, on approaching in the same direction any street car or bus, if the same is stopping or has stopped to take on or to discharge passengers, shall bring his vehicle to a full stop not nearer than six feet from the rear door of such street car or bus and shall wait there until all passengers are taken on and until all descending passengers shall have cleared the driveway of such street before starting.

Section 10. No conductor or motorman upon any street car or bus operating on any street within the village shall open a car or bus door for the purpose of allowing passengers to descend from the car or bus before such car or bus has been brought to a complete stop.

Section 11. Before turning to the right or the left to leave or enter any street or alley within the village, and before turning around or stopping thereon, the driver of a motor vehicle shall give a timely warning signal to other drivers by extending the arm beyond and outside of the side of the vehicle, holding the same in such position for a sufficient time to apprise approaching drivers of vehicles of his intention to change his course or stop, as the case may be; provided, however, that in lieu of such signal above required, signals may be given by any mechanical or electrical device which conveys an intelligible signal or warning to another driver approaching from the rear. In all such cases the driver of a motor vehicle to whom such a signal has been given, as required in this section, shall bring and keep his vehicle under such control as to be able to avoid an accident resulting from any misunderstanding of such signal or signals and shall in all cases heed any such warning as shall have been given him.

Section 12. All of Fifth and Sixth Streets within the village of Red Jacket are hereby designated as through traffic streets.

Section 13. No person under the influence of intoxicating liquors shall drive, operate or have charge of the power or guidance of any automobile, motorcycle or other motor vehicle upon any street or alley within the Village of Red Jacket.

Section 14. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding One hundred (\$100) Dollars, or by imprisonment in the county jail of Houghton County not exceeding ninety days, or by both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court, with costs of prosecution to be added in each case.

Section 15. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 16. This ordinance shall be known as Ordinance No. 74 of the Village of Red Jacket.

Section 17. This ordinance shall become effective on and after the 5th day of June.....A.D. 1928.

W. E. Schbauer
President.

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Clerk.