

CITY OF CHEVIOT
STATE OF OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 16 – 16

TO AMEND THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE PARKING METERS IN THE CHEVIOT BUSINESS DISTRICT DURING THE 2016 HOLIDAY SHOPPING SEASON; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City of Cheviot has previously bagged and not enforced its parking meters in the business district during the month of December in order to incentivize shopping in the city; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cheviot has had mixed results with its December parking meter programs; and

WHEREAS, in December, 2015, the City of Cheviot experimented with a program in which business owners could control a parking meter which abuts their businesses; and

WHEREAS, the program worked well, and the City of Cheviot desires to continue the program for the holiday season in 2016;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHEVIOT, STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

Section 1. From December 1, 2016, through December 31, 2016, the parking meters in the Cheviot business district shall be enforced in their usual fashion with the following exception:

For a fee of \$10.00 any business, whose storefront borders a city street with a parking meter, may control access to a single parking meter in the area of the street which borders the business for the month of December, 2016. The business owner shall mark the meter in a way that it is clear that parking is complimentary for patrons of that business, and the City of Cheviot shall not enforce the paid time limits of the meter. The business owner may set his own time limits for the use of the parking space, but in no event shall the usage during business hours exceed two hours in duration.

Section 2. The Safety-Service Director is authorized and directed to enforce the provisions of this ordinance, including any proper restrictions set by a business owner.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be an emergency measure for the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Cheviot and shall take effect on December 1, 2016. The emergency is necessary

because the remaining regular meetings of council will not allow three readings of this ordinance.

Deborah M. Slaughter
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President of Council

Date passed

Samuel D. Keller
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Mayor

11/1/16
Date approved

Attest:

Jenny M. Eilermann
Jenny M. Eilermann
Clerk of Council

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Mark G. Waters
MARK G. WATERS
LAW DIRECTOR

CERTIFICATION OF PUBLICATION

I, Jenny M. Eilermann, Clerk of the Council of the City of Cheviot, Ohio, hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance, or a succinct summary, was published in the *Western Hills Press*, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Cheviot, Ohio, in accordance with Section 731.21 of the Ohio Revised Code, on the following dates :

- 1) _____, 2016, and
- 2) _____, 2016.

Jenny M. Eilermann
Clerk of Council