

TOWNSHIP OF ODESSA
COUNTY OF IONIA, MICHIGAN

At a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Township of Odessa, Ionia County, Michigan, held at the Township offices, 3862 Laurel Drive, Lake Odessa, Michigan, on the 7th day of August, 2000, at 8:00 p.m.

PRESENT: Buche, Cobb, Possehn, Rohrbacher, Williams

ABSENT: None

the following ordinance was offered by Rohrbacher and supported by Cobb:

THE TOWNSHIP OF ODESSA ORDAINS:

ODESSA TOWNSHIP ORDINANCE
NO. 14

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 3 OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ODESSA, COUNTY OF IONIA, STATE OF MICHIGAN, ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE TO PROTECT THE HEALTH, SAFETY, AND GENERAL WELFARE OF THE RESIDENTS, PROPERTY OWNERS, AND PEOPLE WITHIN THE TOWNSHIP OF ODESSA, IONIA COUNTY, MICHIGAN, BY REGULATING THE OPERATION OF SALVAGE YARDS AND RELATED OR SIMILAR TYPES OF BUSINESSES WITHIN SAID TOWNSHIP; TO PROVIDE RULES AND REGULATIONS TO GOVERN THE OPERATION OF SUCH BUSINESSES; AND TO PROVIDE PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION OF SUCH RULES AND REGULATIONS."

Section 1. AMEND TITLE.

The title to Ordinance No. 3 of the Township of Odessa, Ionia County, Michigan, be and is hereby amended to read as follows:

"An Ordinance to protect the health, safety, and general welfare of the residents, property owners, and people within the Township of Odessa, Ionia County, Michigan, by regulating the operation of salvage yards and related or similar types of businesses within said Township; to provide rules and regulations to govern the operation of such businesses; and to provide sanctions for the violation of such rules and regulations."

Section 2. AMEND SECTION 1.18.

Section 1.18 entitled "Penalties" of Ordinance No. 3 of the Township of Odessa, Ionia County, Michigan, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"1.18 Sanctions for Violation. Any person or other entity who violates any of the provisions of this ordinance is responsible for a municipal civil infraction as defined by Michigan law and subject to a civil fine of not less than \$100.00 nor more than \$500.00.

Additionally, the violator shall pay costs, which may include all direct or indirect expenses to which the township has been put in connection with the violation. In no case, however, shall costs of less than \$9.00 or more than \$500.00 be ordered. A violator of this ordinance shall also be subject to such additional sanctions, remedies and judicial orders as are authorized under Michigan law.

Each day a violation of this ordinance continues to exist constitutes a separate violation."

Section 3. SEVERABILITY.

This Ordinance and the various parts, sections, paragraphs, subsections, sentences, phrases and clauses thereof are hereby declared to be severable. If any part, section, paragraph, subsections, sentence, phrase or clause is adjudged, unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, it is hereby provided that the remainder of this Ordinance shall not be affected thereby.

Section 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after publication in a newspaper circulating within the Township of Odessa, Ionia County, Michigan.

YEAS: Members: Buche, Cobb, Possehn, Rohrbacher, Williams

NAYS: Members: None

ORDINANCE DECLARED ADOPTED.

Lisa K. Williams
Lisa Williams
Odessa Township Clerk

STATE OF MICHIGAN)
) ss.
COUNTY OF IONIA)

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of an ordinance adopted by the Township Board of the Township of Odessa at a regular meeting held on the date first stated above, and I further certify that public notice of such meeting was given as provided by law. I further certify that said ordinance became effective on September 16, 2000, having been published on August 15, 2000 in the Lakewood News, a newspaper circulating within said Township and that the said ordinance has been continuously in full force and effect from said date to this date of certification.

Dated: _____, _____, Township Clerk