

SUBSTITUTE
ORDINANCE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO:

SECTION 1. Section 9-76-160 of the Municipal Code of Chicago is hereby amended by inserting the language underscored and by deleting the language struck through, as follows:

9-76-160 Registration plates.

(a) Every vehicle in the City subject to the registration plates requirements of the Illinois Vehicle Code shall bear registration plates in the manner required by that Code. It is illegal to park a vehicle on any roadway if the registration plate or other registration material fails to comply with this subsection. Any person who violates this subsection shall be fined the amount set forth in Section 9-100-020 for each offense. Specific requirements for covered vehicles are set forth below:

(Omitted text is unaffected by this ordinance.)

(5) It is unlawful for any person

(Omitted text is unaffected by this ordinance.)

(D) to leave any vehicle on the public way

~~(i) without a registration plate, digital registration plate, or temporary permit, or~~

~~(ii) with a registration plate, digital registration plate, or temporary permit that is not registered to that vehicle.~~

(6) It is unlawful for any person to leave any vehicle on the public way without a registration plate, digital registration plate, or temporary permit.

(Omitted text is unaffected by this ordinance.)

(e) Any individual cited for violation of subsection (b) of this section may raise as an affirmative defense that the violation has been corrected prior to adjudication of the citation. The affirmative defense provided in this subsection shall apply to all citations issued within a 30 day period prior to the date of compliance for the same violation, and it shall be limited to only one such defense per a permanent vehicle license plate number of a vehicle registered in the name of an individual defendant as a sole or joint owner.

(f) A vehicle parked on the public way in violation of subsection (a)(6) of this section shall be subject to a tow in accordance with Section 9-92-030.

SECTION 2. Section 9-92-030 of the Municipal Code of Chicago is hereby amended by inserting the language underscored and by deleting the language struck through, as follows:

9-92-030 Authority to impound or otherwise relocate vehicle.

Members of the Police Department and employees of the Department of Streets and Sanitation, and employees of the Department of Aviation with respect to violations occurring at O'Hare International Airport, are authorized to issue a notice of parking violation and may authorize the removal of a vehicle from any public way to a City vehicle pound or authorized garage or other legal parking space in the public way under the following circumstances:

(Omitted text is unaffected by this ordinance.)

(c) When an unattended vehicle is parked, stopped, or standing in violation of Section 9-40-060, 9-64-020; 9-64-050, 9-64-070, 9-64-100, 9-64-110, 9-64-120, 9-64-130(b), 9-64-140(b), 9-64-150(b), 9-64-160(b), 9-64-165(f), 9-64-170, 9-64-210, 9-76-160(a)(6), 9-80-080(a), or 9-80-130;

(Omitted text is unaffected by this ordinance.)

SECTION 3. Section 9-100-020 of the Municipal Code of Chicago is hereby amended by inserting the language underscored, as follows:

9-100-020 Violation – Penalty.

(a) The violation of any provision of the traffic code prohibiting or restricting vehicular standing or parking, or establishing a compliance, automated speed enforcement system, or automated traffic law enforcement system violation, shall be a civil offense punishable by fine, and no criminal penalty, or civil sanction other than that prescribed in the traffic code, shall be imposed.

(Omitted text is unaffected by this ordinance.)

(c) The fines listed below shall be imposed for violation of the following sections of the traffic code:

Traffic Code Section

Fine

(Omitted text is unaffected by this ordinance.)

9-76-160(a)(5) and (6)

\$250.00

(Omitted text is unaffected by this ordinance.)

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall take effect 10 days after passage and publication.

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