

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE PARKING OF TRUCKS OR TRAILERS IN EXCESS OF THREE-QUARTER TON CAPACITY ON ANY STREET WITHIN THE CITY OF GOSNELL, ARKANSAS, TOGETHER WITH PROHIBITING OBSTRUCTION OF SIDEWALKS; PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GOSNELL, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1: It shall be unlawful to park any truck of over three-quarter ton rated capacity, including house or cargo type trailer, with or without the tractor or towing vehicle attached thereto, on any street in the City of Gosnell, Arkansas, for a period longer than one (1) hour, day or night, unless the owner or the one responsible for its use is actively engaged in loading or unloading.

SECTION 2: It shall be unlawful to park any motorized vehicle as defined by the Arkansas Statutes on any of the sidewalks of the City of Gosnell or otherwise obstruct the sidewalks unnecessarily.

SECTION 3: Any person, firm, corporation, or association violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not less than \$5.00 nor more than \$25.00.

SECTION 4: Any person so found guilty of violating this Ordinance shall in addition to the fine be subject to payment of restitution to the City for any damage to city streets or other city property that might be caused by such unlawful parking.

SECTION 5: All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6: In view of the fact that parking vehicles of excessive size on the streets and on the sidewalks of the City of Gosnell has created a problem from a safety standpoint, it is felt that this Ordinance should be put into effect immediately and it is necessary for the public peace, health and safety of the citizens of Gosnell. Therefore, an emergency is hereby

declared to exist and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

DATED this 12 day of April, 1988.

APPROVED:

BY: Paul B. Leebetter
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Janice Gray
CITY CLERK