

AN ORDINANCE amending Chapter 39, Traffic, of the Joplin City Code by enacting Section 39-143, Circumvention of Ignition Interlock Device; and containing an emergency clause.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOPLIN, MISSOURI, as follows:

Section 1. That Chapter 39, Traffic, of the Joplin City Code be amended by the enactment of a new section, 39-143, Circumvention of Ignition Interlock Device, to read as follows:

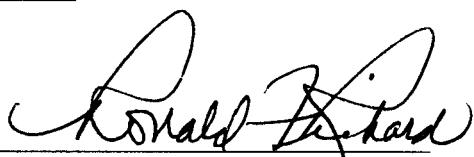
"Sec. 39-143, Circumvention of Ignition Interlock Device.

- 1) It shall be unlawful for any person to:
  - (a) Operate a motor vehicle without a functioning Ignition Interlock Device if so ordered by a Court of this or any other state;
  - (b) Tamper with, or circumvent the operation of any Ignition Interlock Device;
  - (c) Request or solicit any other person to blow into an Ignition Interlock Device for the purpose of starting or operating such motor vehicle;
  - (d) Blow into an Ignition Interlock Device or to start a motor vehicle equipped with the Device for the purpose of providing an operable motor vehicle to a person who has previously been ordered not to operate a motor vehicle without a functioning Ignition Interlock Device;
  - (e) Knowingly rent, lease, or lend a motor vehicle to a person known to have an Ignition Interlock Order, without such device installed;
  - (f) Fail to notify any person who rents, leases, or lends a motor vehicle to him of the existence of an Ignition Interlock Order.

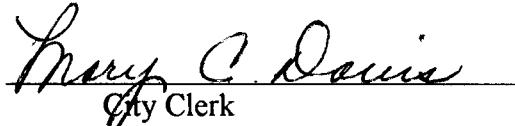
2) Any person convicted of violating this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable in accordance with Section 1-5 of this Code. In addition, in the event such person has been ordered to install a Device as a condition of suspended imposition or execution of sentence, such conviction shall be deemed a violation of such condition."

**Section 2.** That this Ordinance, dealing with the immediate preservation of public peace, health, and safety, is an emergency within the meaning of Section 2.12(1) of the HOME RULE CHARTER of the City of Joplin, Missouri, and, as such, shall be in full force and effect immediately from and after its adoption and approval.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOPLIN, MISSOURI, this 7th day  
of April, 1997, by a 8-0 vote.

  
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Ronald D. Hard  
Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Harry C. Davis  
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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John D. Bales  
City Attorney