

BOROUGH OF WEST KITTANNING, ARMSTRONG COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

ORDINANCE NO. 2016 - 1

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF WEST KITTANNING, ARMSTRONG COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 186 OF THE BOROUGH RELATING TO PARKING AND THE PLACEMENT OF STOP SIGNS WITHIN THE BOROUGH

WHEREAS, the Borough of West Kittanning is a Borough and Municipality in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania organized and governed according to the Borough Code; and

WHEREAS, the Borough Code authorizes Council to regulate among other things, parking, (Section 1202(31)) and 53 P.S. § 46202(31); and

WHEREAS, Borough Council has been granted broad powers under the Borough Code at Section 1201 thereof and 53 P.S. 46201 to act for the benefit of the public welfare; and

WHEREAS, Borough Council has further noted that regulations of parking and street usage and usage of public ways are matters that require frequent revision to address changes in parking patterns, street usage, development and other natural recurring circumstances for which passage of an Ordinance is unduly cumbersome, and, therefore, it has been determined that the terms hereof shall be subject to amendment by Resolution; and

WHEREAS, this Ordinance is necessary to further protect the public's health, safety and welfare; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of its authority under the Borough Code, and the law of the Commonwealth including the authority recited herein, be it ORDAINED and ENACTED and it hereby ORDAINED and ENACTED by the Borough of West Kittanning as follows:

Section 1 Stop Intersection – Addition to (186-4)

- (1) Stop sign on Summit Avenue facing North and South directions of travel at the intersection of Stitt Lane;
- (2) Stop sign on Stitt Lane facing West at the intersection of Summit Avenue.

Section 2 Parking Prohibited at All Times – Addition to (186-5)

- (1) Eastern side of Northern Avenue within 25 feet of the intersection of Harrison Street.

Section 3 Parking Prohibited Certain Hours – Deletion of (186-6)

- (1) Section 186-6 is deleted in its entirety as it is no longer applicable.

Section 4 Handicapped Parking

- (1) Handicapped parking areas shall be those parking areas designated by Borough Council by Resolution. Applications for handicapped parking areas shall be made to the Borough Secretary and shall be reviewed by the West Kittanning Police Department and approved by Resolution of Borough Council.
- (2) Applications must specify that a handicapped application must be reviewed on an annual basis and will be granted for only periods of one year at a time.
- (3) A copy of each application will be kept on file in the office of the West Kittanning Police Department.
- (4) Any and all handicapped signs will follow state and federal regulations and must show the penalties for any violation.

Section 6 Severability

If any section, subsection, sentence, or clause of this Ordinance is held, for any reason, to be invalid, such decision or decisions shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

Section 7 Repealer

Upon enactment of this Ordinance, Ordinance No. 186 is and will be repealed to the extent but only to the extent inconsistent with the terms, conditions and provisions of this Ordinance.

ENACTED and ORDAINED as an Ordinance of the Borough of West Kittanning, Armstrong County, Pennsylvania this 2nd day of MAY, 2016.

ATTEST:

Carly Cowan
Secretary

WEST KITTANNING BOROUGH

By: Henry A. Mores
Council President

James W. Sobieski
Mayor



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Mayor James Sobenski

Date: 04/04/2016

Re: Revised Ordinance dealing with additions to existing Ordinance 186

Sirs,

In accordance with the revisions provided by Attorney Andrew Sacco the solicitor for the municipality, changes being made to the current Ordinance 186 dealing with streets / highways within West Kittanning Borough include the following:

- 1) 3 directional stop sign to control the intersection of Summit Ave. & Stitt Ln.
- 2) "No Parking from here to corner" at the intersection of Northern Ave. & Harrison St.
- 3) Prior "Parking Prohibited During Certain Hours" is to be deleted due to status change.
- 4) Handicapped Parking shall be issued as part of review made through application made to the Borough. Persons making such requests shall provide their medical request signed by a physician showing just need for a reserved space and the placard with it's issuance number. Approved spaces shall be properly posted with signage to include the current handicapped logo and posting of the current fines for violation of the Ordinance.