Ord.#15-2017 An Ordinance to Amend and Supplement Chapter 367-8 Rates of the Code of the Township of Mount Olive (Towing).

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AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND SUPPLEMENT CHAPTER 367-8 RATES OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE (TOWING)

WHEREAS, the Township wished to bring current its Ordinance relating to rates to be charged for towing and related services.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 367-8 RATES of the Code of the Township of Mount Olive is hereby amended and supplemented to provide as follows:

The following charges for towing services provided by Towing operators pursuant to this chapter of the Code of the Township of Mount Olive shall not exceed the following:

BASIC TOWING FOR AUTOMOBILES:

Days:

Hook up - \$80.00

Each mile after hookup - \$5.00 (Round Trip)

Nights:

Hook up - \$90.00.

Each mile after hookup - \$5.00. (Round Trip)

BASIC TOWING FOR MOTORCYCLES:

Days:

Hookup - \$90.00.

Each mile after hookup - \$5.00. (Round Trip)

Nights:

Hookup - \$100.00.

Each mile after hookup - \$5.00. (Round Trip)

BASIC TOWING FOR MEDIUM DUTY TRUCKS:

Days:

Hookup - \$160.00.

Each mile after hookup - \$10.00. (Round Trip)

Nights:

Hookup - \$180.00.

Each mile after hookup - \$10.00. (Round Trip)

BASIC TOWING FOR HEAVY DUTY TRUCKS:

Days:

Hookup - \$375.00 per hr, minimum 1 hr.

Each mile after hookup - \$15.00. (Round Trip

Nights:

Hookup - \$450.00 per hr, minimum 1 hr.

SPECIAL SERVICES:

A: \$120.00 per 1 hr (to be billed in ¼ hour increments, **minimum 1 hr**) per tow truck for winching and/or preparation prior to towing automobiles.

B: \$100.00 per hr for additional labor except tow truck driver, **minimum 1 hour**, followed by 1/4 hour increments.

C: \$550.00 per hr for Medium/Heavy Duty recovery winching and/or other preparation prior to towing, **minimum 1 hr**, followed by 1/4 hr increments.

D: Road Service: Charge for basic road service:

Day: \$75.00, Plus cost of fuel provided, if applicable, plus \$2.00 per mile Nights: \$85.00, Plus cost of fuel provided, if applicable, plus \$2.00 per mile Winch Only \$120.00 (to be billed in ¼ hour increments, **minimum 1 hour**)

E: Inclement Weather: The towing company may, at their discretion, charge an extra 20% of the total standard towing fee during times of inclement weather

F: Administrative Charge: The towing company may, at its discretion, charge for post-accident services, including but not limited to services such as physical inspections, telephone and/or fax calls, removal of personal items or paperwork. An itemized list of additional services must be provided. Administrative time shall be billed at a rate of \$10.00 per 15 minute interval, excluding the first 15 minutes.

G: Waiting Time: Additional time a tow operator spends at the scene other than the time required for the actual tow and/or recovery. Examples of waiting time may include, but are not limited to, EMS services which must be performed and/or police investigations. Waiting time shall be billed at a rate of \$10.00 per 15 minute interval, excluding the first 15 minutes.

H: This fee schedule will be reviewed and may be amended by the Township Committee by resolution, in conjunction with the three year towing operator qualification schedule.

Yard Tow: \$25.00

OUTSIDE SECURED STORAGE:

<u>Automobiles</u>: \$35.00 per day, if not claimed within 12 hours, then based on a each overnight period after the initial 12 hr period.

Medium/Heavy Duty Trucks: \$80 per day, if not claimed within 12 hours, then based on a each overnight period after the initial 12 hr period.

<u>Tractor Trailers</u>: \$150 per day, if not claimed within 12 hours, then based on a each overnight period after the initial 12 hr period.

OUTSIDE UNSECURED STORAGE:

<u>Medium/Heavy Duty Trucks</u>: \$55 per day, if not claimed within 12 hours, then based on a each overnight period after the initial 12 hr period.

<u>Tractor Trailers</u>: \$105 per day, if not claimed within 12 hours, then based on a each overnight period after the initial 12 hr period.

This fee schedule is in effect for any tow service called for by the police department.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect in accordance with the law.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance may be renumbered for purposes of codification.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Joe Nicastro, Council President

ATTEST: 6/27/2017

Michelle Masser, Township Clerk