

**TOWN OF MORRISON, COLORADO
BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

ORDINANCE NO. 507

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2 OF THE MORRISON
MUNICIPAL CODE, CONCERNING PARKING REGULATIONS**

WHEREAS, the Town of Morrison is a Colorado home rule municipality operating under a Charter approved by the electorate pursuant to Article XX of the Colorado Constitution and governed by its elected Board of Trustees; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees has authority pursuant to the Home Rule Charter and C.R.S. §31-16-101, et seq. to adopt and enforce all ordinances; and

WHEREAS, the Board wishes to amend Chapter 2 of Title 6 of the Code to provide for more effective control of public parking.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Morrison, Colorado, that:

SECTION 1. Chapter 2 Title 6 is amended to read:

**CHAPTER 2
PARKING REGULATIONS**

6-2-1. Posting Of Parking Zones

6-2-2. Time Limits

6-2-3 ~~Violation; Fine~~ **PARKING FEES AND FINES**

6-2-4. Enforcement and Collection

6-2-1: **POSTING OF PARKING ZONES:** Parking zones within the corporate limits of the town shall be established by the posting of parking time limit signs. ~~by the police chief.~~

6-2-2: **TIME LIMITS:** It shall be unlawful to park a motor vehicle or any other mode of conveyance within such parking limit zones in excess of the time posted on such signs during the hours specified on said signs.

6-2-3: ~~VIOLATION;~~ **PARKING FEES AND FINES:** THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, ACTING BY RESOLUTION, SHALL ADOPT AND FROM TIME TO TIME AMEND, AS THE BOARD SHALL DETERMINE, A SCHEDULE OF PARKING FEES AND FINES FOR NONPAYMENT OR VIOLATION THEREOF. The operator or owner of any motor vehicle or any other type of vehicle or mode of conveyance violating the provisions of this Chapter OR FAILING TO PAY THE REQUIRED PARKING FEES shall be LIABLE FOR THE FULL AMOUNT OF THE FEE AND APPLICABLE FINE AND ANY COSTS OF COLLECTION OF THE SAME. ~~fined twenty dollars (\$20.00) for each violation thereof and each hour or fraction thereof in which a motor vehicle or any other type of vehicle or mode of conveyance~~

~~remains in violation of the provisions of this Chapter is deemed to be a separate offense. In the event the fine is not paid within the period set forth on the parking ticket citation, the fine shall increase to twenty five dollars (\$25.00).~~

6-2-4: ENFORCEMENT AND COLLECTION: Violations of this Chapter are traffic infractions, and no incarceration may be imposed for violation thereof. The town may utilize photo machines, ~~or Town~~ personnel, OR ONE OR MORE INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR(S) in its sole discretion for enforcement including, the issuance of parking ticket citations. The town may, in addition to enforcement by appropriate municipal court order, employ INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS OR a collection agency or agencies to collect delinquent unpaid parking fines.

SECTION 2. Effective Date. Pursuant to Charter Section 3.10, this ordinance shall take effect upon adoption, and shall be published in full as required by Section 3.14 of the Home Rule Charter.

INTRODUCED, READ, PASSED AND ADOPTED this 1st day of June, 2021, by a vote of _____ ayes and _____ nays.

TOWN OF MORRISON:

Sean K. Forey, Mayor

ATTEST:

Lyndsey Paavilainen, Town Clerk