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Town of Grafton Ordinance No. 2013-06

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING
SECTION 7.7.16 OF TITLE 7, CHAPTER 7 – BUILDING CONSTRUCTION
OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, TOWN OF GRAFTON, WISCONSIN,
ADDRESSING DESIGNATED ADDRESS MARKERS AND
DRIVEWAY LENGTH DESIGNATIONS FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT ACCESS**

WHEREAS, it is deemed to be in the best interest of the Town of Grafton that the Municipal Code of the Town of Grafton be further modified and amended in the manner hereinafter more particularly set forth; and

WHEREAS, a Notice of Public Hearing before the Town Board was duly published in the *Ozaukee Press* on October 24, 2013 and October 31, 2013; and

WHEREAS, a Public Hearing was held before the Town Board on November 13, 2013 regarding the proposed Amendments to the Town's Code of Ordinances; and

WHEREAS, based on the above, it is deemed to be in the best interest of the Town of Grafton that the Municipal Code of the Town of Grafton be further modified and amended in the manner hereinafter more particularly set forth below.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Town Board of the Town of Grafton does hereby ordain as follows:

Section 1:

Section 7.7.16.02 of the Town of Grafton Code of Ordinances is hereby amended as provided below by adding the underlined language and deleting the language struck out:

7.7.16.02 Driveway Length Designations

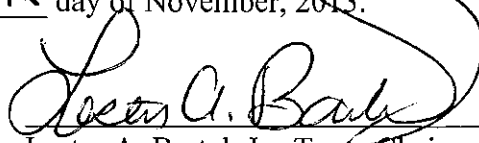
For addresses within the Town that have driveways of 1,000 feet or greater, the Town of Grafton shall require and furnish additional signage to be on the same post with address markers required above, indicating the driveway's total length. In addition, the Town shall require markers on the driveway at 1,000-foot increments, to facilitate the Fire Department securing sufficient hose for fire abatement purposes. The additional signage and markers shall provide the Fire Department with the necessary information regarding the length of the driveway. The Town Board, by resolution, shall officially approve the size, color, content, form, and location of the driveway length sign on the post of the address markers. All new building construction within the Town, which has driveways of 1,000 feet or greater, shall indicate the total length of the driveway in the building permit application and pay the appropriate fee for issuance of the appropriate sign and markers with said application as listed on the Town's Annual Fee Schedule. For driveways that pre-date this provision of the Town Code, the signage and markers required above shall be furnished by the Town and the costs of the same shall be paid by the property owner or be assessed against the property as a special charge pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 66.0627.

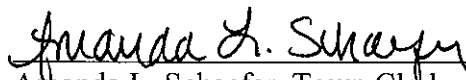
Section 2:

Except as hereinabove specifically modified and amended, the Code of Ordinances, Town of Grafton, Wisconsin, shall remain in full force and effect exactly as originally adopted and previously amended. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with or in contravention of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 3:

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and publication or posting. Adopted by the Town Board of the Town of Grafton, Ozaukee County, Wisconsin, at its regularly scheduled meeting on this 13th day of November, 2013.


Lester A. Bartel, Jr., Town Chairman


Amanda L. Schaefer, Town Clerk

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