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§1103. LOCATIONS WHERE PEDESTRIAN CROSSING IN UNMARKED CROSSWALKS RESTRICTED.

Except when authorized by a police officer or other appropriately attired person authorized to direct, control or regulate traffic, it shall be unlawful for any pedestrian to cross the roadway at any of the following streets, at the intersection with that street indicated.

<u>Street</u>	<u>Intersection</u>	<u>Direction of Travel</u>
	(Reserved)	

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§1104. LOCATIONS WHERE PEDESTRIANS MAY CROSS ONLY IN CROSSWALK.

It shall be unlawful for any pedestrian:

- A. To cross any roadway in a business district within the Borough except in a crosswalk;
- B. To cross the roadway, in any of the following portions of streets in the Borough, except in a crosswalk:

<u>Street</u>	<u>Between</u>
(Reserved)	

Provided: nothing in this Section shall permit any pedestrian to cross in a crosswalk at any location where that crossing is prohibited by §1102 of this Chapter.

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§1105. PENALTY FOR VIOLATION.

Any pedestrian who violates any provision of this Chapter shall be guilty of a summary offense, and, upon conviction, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of \$5 and costs.

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PART 11

PEDESTRIAN REGULATIONS

§1101. PEDESTRIANS TO OBEY TRAFFIC-CONTROL SIGNS.

At all locations in the Borough where official traffic-control signals are installed, pedestrians, except where directed otherwise by pedestrian-control signals installed under §1102 of this Chapter, shall obey the directions of those traffic-control signals, as follows:

- A. When facing a green signal, a pedestrian may proceed across the roadway within a crosswalk;
- B. When facing a steady yellow signal, a pedestrian shall not start to cross the roadway;
- C. When facing a steady red signal, a pedestrian shall not enter the roadway.

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§1102. PEDESTRIAN-CONTROL SIGNAL LOCATIONS ESTABLISHED.

At the following locations, official pedestrian-control signals shall be erected (or are ratified if previously erected):

Every pedestrian facing a steady or flashing "Don't Walk" signal shall obey the directions of that signal, as follows:

- A. When facing a steady "Don't Walk" signal, a pedestrian shall not start to cross the roadway in the direction of the signal, but any pedestrian who has partially completed his crossing on the "Walk" signal should proceed to a sidewalk or safety zone while the "Don't Walk" signal is showing.
- B. When facing a flashing "Don't Walk" signal a pedestrian shall not start to cross the roadway in the direction of the indication, but any pedestrian who has partly completed crossing during the "Walk" indication should proceed to a sidewalk or safety zone.

Any pedestrian who fails to obey the directions of a "Don't Walk" signal, as indicated above, shall be guilty of an offense and a violation of this Chapter.

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- C. Requiring that there be no violation of any law, ordinance or regulation pertaining to health, sanitation and the handling of food or drink.
- 4. Any person who violates any provision of this Section, or any condition of any permit granted under this Section, shall be guilty of a summary offense, and, upon conviction, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

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§1003. SKATES, SKATEBOARDS, COASTERS, SLEDS AND OTHER TOY VEHICLES.

- 1. It shall be unlawful for any person to ride on a sled upon any sidewalk in the Borough, or upon any roadway unless that roadway is on a portion of a street blocked off for sledding by authority of §105 of Part 1 or §216 of Part 2 of this Chapter. Provided, nothing in this subsection shall prevent a pedestrian from pulling a sled, with or without a rider, upon a sidewalk.
- 2. It shall be unlawful for any person to engage in roller-skating, skateboarding or to ride upon or propel any coaster or other toy vehicle upon:
 - A. Any street except in order to cross the roadway; or,
 - B. Any sidewalk located in a business district, except that nothing in this paragraph shall prevent a pedestrian from pulling a coaster or other toy vehicle, with or without a rider, upon a sidewalk.
- 3. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$5 and costs.

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PART 10**REGULATION OF PEDALCYCLES
AND NON-MOTORIZED VEHICLES****§1001. RIDING AND PARKING OF PEDALCYCLES ON SIDEWALKS ALONG
CERTAIN STREETS PROHIBITED.**

1. It shall be unlawful for any person to ride or to park a pedalcycle on the sidewalk along the following portions of the streets in the Borough:

<u>Street</u>	<u>Side</u>	<u>Between</u>
	(Reserved)	

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Section shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$5 and costs.

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§1002. RESTRICTIONS ON USE OF PUSHCARTS.

1. The word "pushcart," as used in this Section, shall mean a vehicle, including a pedalcycle, propelled solely by human power, and used or intended for use for the display, transport, exhibit or sale of goods, wares or merchandise.
2. It shall be unlawful for any person to propel a pushcart upon any sidewalk in any business district except as necessary to move the pushcart to a location from which it is to be loaded or unloaded or from which goods, wares or merchandise are to be sold or dispensed under permit from the Borough Council as provided in subsection (3) of this Section.
3. It shall be unlawful for any person to park a pushcart upon any sidewalk except for the purpose of selling or dispensing from that pushcart goods, wares or merchandise to passersby under permit from the Borough Council. Every such permit shall be issued to the person making application for the permit, upon payment of a fee, which shall be for the use of the Borough, set by the Borough Council pursuant to a resolution. The permit shall be granted to the applicant, upon payment of the fee, and upon his signing an agreement with the Borough Council that he shall be bound by the conditions imposed by Borough Council and made a part of the permit, dealing with the following matters:
 - A. Restricting or limiting the parking of the pushcart to one or more stated locations upon the sidewalk and to stated days and hours at each location;
 - B. Stating requirements to be adhered to in connection with the disposal of garbage and refuse resulting from the operations carried on;

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of not more than \$15 and costs.

2. If, at any time during a period of snow emergency declared under §901 of this Chapter, a person shall drive a motor vehicle upon a snow emergency route, without having that vehicle equipped with snow tires or chains, that person shall be guilty of a violation of this Chapter, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs.

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PART 9**SNOW AND ICE EMERGENCY****§901. DECLARATION OF SNOW AND ICE EMERGENCY.**

In order to facilitate the movement of traffic and to combat the hazards of snow and ice on the snow emergency routes named in §903 of this Chapter, the Mayor, in his discretion, may declare a snow and ice emergency (designated in this Chapter as a "snow emergency"). Information on the existence of a snow emergency shall be given by the Borough through radio, newspaper or other available media, and information on the termination of the emergency may be given by use of the same media.

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§902. PARKING PROHIBITED, DRIVING MOTOR VEHICLES RESTRICTED, ON SNOW EMERGENCY ROUTES DURING EMERGENCY.

After any snow emergency is declared, it shall be unlawful, at any time during the continuance of the emergency, for any person:

- A. To park a motor vehicle or to allow that vehicle to remain parked anywhere on any snow emergency route designated in §903 of this Chapter; or,
- B. To drive any motor vehicle on any such snow emergency route, unless that vehicle is equipped with snow tires or chains.

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§903. SNOW EMERGENCY ROUTES DESIGNATED.

The following are designated as snow emergency routes:

<u>Street</u>	<u>Between</u>
(Reserved)	

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§904. PENALTY FOR VIOLATION.

1. If, at any time during a period of snow emergency declared under §901 of this Chapter, a person shall park a motor vehicle or allow a motor vehicle to remain parked anywhere upon a snow emergency route, that person shall be guilty of a violation of this Chapter, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be sentenced to pay a fine

§809. PENALTY FOR VIOLATION.

Any person who shall violate any provision of this Chapter shall, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of \$50 together with all costs of disposing of the vehicle under provisions of the Vehicle Code, 75 P.S. §7301 *et seq.*, (1977) as hereafter amended, supplemented, modified or reenacted by the General Assembly of Pennsylvania.

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§810. REPORTS AND DISPOSITION OF UNCLAIMED VEHICLES.

If after a period of 15 days the vehicle in storage remains unclaimed, a report shall be filed with PennDOT in accordance with §7311 of The Vehicle Code, by the person having legal custody of the vehicle. If the vehicle has not been claimed after 30 days, the vehicle may be transferred to a licensed Salvor who will then be responsible for filing the proper reports and disposing of the vehicle in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 73 of the Pennsylvania Motor Vehicle Code (75 Pa C.S.A. §101 *et seq.*, as amended).

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indemnify owners of impounded vehicles against loss or damage to those vehicles while in the custody of the garage keeper for the purpose of towing or storage. The approved storage garage shall submit to the Borough Council its schedule of charges for towing and storage of vehicles under this Chapter, and, when the schedule is approved by Borough Council, those charges shall be adhered to by the approved storage garage; no different schedule of charges shall be demanded of or collected from any person whose vehicle is removed or impounded under this Chapter by any approved storage garage. The Borough Council shall delete from its list of approved storage garages any garage that makes any unapproved charge in connection with any vehicle removed or impounded under this Chapter.

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§805. PAYMENT OF TOWING AND STORAGE CHARGES.

The payment of towing and storage charges shall not relieve the owner or driver of any vehicle from liability for any fine or penalty for the violation of the provision of this Chapter for which the vehicle was removed or impounded.

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§806. RECLAMATION COSTS.

In order to reclaim his vehicle, the owner shall pay towing and storage costs, plus a \$25 fee of which \$10 shall be transferred to the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation by the garage to which the vehicle was taken.

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§807. RECORDS OF VEHICLES REMOVED AND IMPOUNDED.

The Borough shall cause a record to be kept of all vehicles impounded under this Chapter and shall be able at all reasonable times to furnish the owners or the agents of the owners of those vehicles with information as to the place of storage of the vehicle.

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§808. RESTRICTIONS UPON REMOVAL OF VEHICLES.

No vehicle shall be removed under the authority of this Chapter or the Vehicle Code if, at the time of the intended removal, the owner or the person for the time being in charge of the vehicle is present and expresses a willingness and intention to remove the vehicle immediately.

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PART 8**REMOVAL AND IMPOUNDMENT OF
ILLEGALLY PARKED VEHICLES****§801. APPLICABILITY AND SCOPE.**

This Chapter is enacted under authority of §6109(a-22) of the Vehicle Code, and gives authority to the Borough to remove and impound those vehicles which are parked in a tow away zone and in violation of parking regulations of this Chapter. Vehicles which have been abandoned (as defined by the Vehicle Code) or which are parked in such a manner as to interfere with traffic or pose a hazard to others, may be towed under the provisions of the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code.

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§802. AUTHORITY TO REMOVE AND IMPOUND.

The Borough shall have authority to remove and impound, or to order the removal and impounding, of any vehicle parked overtime or otherwise illegally, provided that the circumstances of its parking were within the conditions stated in §801 of this Chapter. Provided, no such vehicle shall be removed or impounded except in strict adherence to the provisions of this Chapter, or the provisions of the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code.

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§803. TOW AWAY ZONES DESIGNATED.

The following designated streets and/or parking lots are hereby established as tow-away zones. Signs shall be posted to place the public on notice that their vehicles may be towed for violation of the Borough parking regulations:

<u>Street</u>	<u>Side</u>	<u>Between</u>	<u>Parking Lot</u>
		(Reserved)	

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**§804. DESIGNATION OF APPROVED STORAGE GARAGES; BONDING; TOWING
AND STORAGE.**

Removal and impounding of vehicles under this Chapter shall be done only by "approved storage garages" that shall be designated from time to time by the Borough Council. Every such garage shall submit evidence to the Borough Council that it is bonded or has acquired liability insurance in an amount satisfactory to the Borough Council as sufficient to

payment of the fine prescribed in subsection (2) hereof.

2. Any person who violates any provision of this Chapter and who fails to pay the fine set forth in this Section, shall be cited within 15 days of the violation and upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than \$15 and costs.

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