

ORDINANCE NO. F-0902

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 82 (VEHICLES FOR HIRE)
OF THE WHEATON CITY CODE

BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Wheaton, Illinois, as follows:

Section 1: That Chapter 82 (Vehicles for Hire) Article VI (Wrecker or Towing Service Businesses), Section B-82-189 (Fees; disposal of abandoned vehicles) of the Wheaton City Code, 1996, as amended, is hereby further amended by deleting Section B-82-189 in its entirety and replacing it with the following:

Sec. 82-189. Fees; disposal of abandoned vehicles.

(a) The following fees are hereby established for licensed wreckers:

- (1) Towing fees (conventional/wheel lift):
 - a. Automobile/trucks no larger than one-half ton (accident/abandoned).....\$115.00
 - b. Additional charge for winching, per quarter-hour.....\$25.00
 - c. Winching/recovery without towing, (released without towing).....\$105.00
 - d. Additional charge for dolly, flatbed, motorcycle, or snowmobile (special equipment must be necessary to remove vehicle).....\$25.00
- (2) Towing fees, trucks:
 - a. Trucks larger than one-half-ton pickup, per hour.....\$130.00
 - b. Large trucks, single rear axle, per hour.....\$145.00
Double rear axle, per hour.....\$170.00
Recovery, per hour.....\$250.00
 - c. Flatbed (additional wrecker vehicle(s)), per hour.....\$105.00
- (3) Standby time (auto or truck tow), per hour after first 15 minutes.....\$50.00
- (4) Abnormal cleanup, per incident.....\$25.00
- (5) Storage fees, per day:
 - a. Automobile and truck with class B plate, inside.....\$30.00
 - b. Automobile and truck with class B plate, outside.....\$25.00
 - c. Truck and truck tractor, class D plate and above.....\$40.00
 - d. Trailer.....\$45.00
 - e. Truck tractor to semi-trailer.....\$45.00
- (6) Release fee (optional; applicable on Sunday, holidays, after noon on Saturday or at times other than normal business hours).....\$35.00
- (7) Mileage charge for towing to a destination outside the city limits (flat rate), per mile...\$3.00

(8) Service calls involving no tow . . . \$75.00

Above fees to commence on the day of the tow and to include the day on which the vehicle is released.

(b) The towing agency shall assume responsibility for abandoned vehicle disposal.

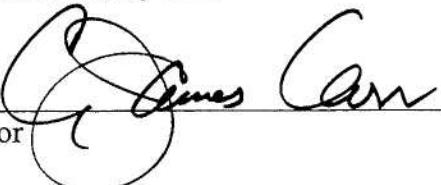
Section 2: That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with these provisions are repealed.

Section 3: This ordinance shall become effective from and after its passage, approval, and publication in pamphlet form in the manner prescribed by law.

ATTEST:

Emily M. Consalvo
City Clerk

Ayes:



James Carr
Mayor

Roll Call Vote:

Councilwoman Corry
Councilman Johnson
Mayor Carr
Councilwoman Johnson
Councilman Mork
Councilman Mouhelis

Nays:

None

Absent:

Councilman Bolds

Motion Carried Unanimously

Passed: April 19, 2004

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