

**ORDINANCE NO. 2004- 5**

**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING SEVENTH STREET FROM DUKE STREET TO WEST WAY IN THE BOROUGH OF NORTHUMBERLAND AS A ONE WAY STREET PERMITTING TRAFFIC FLOW IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION ONLY**

WHEREAS, the purpose of this Ordinance is to rectify a dangerous situation in the Borough involving traffic flow on Seventh Street from the intersection of Duke Street to the intersection of West Way due to traffic sight impairment; and

WHEREAS, Borough Council and the Borough Police Department have both determined that the most effective way to ameliorate the dangerous situation on Seventh Street from the intersection of Duke Street to the intersection of West Way caused by the difficulty motorists experience at the aforesaid intersection due to the difficulty of seeing on-coming traffic is to create a one-way street; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Borough of Northumberland, Northumberland County, Pennsylvania, and it is hereby enacted and ordained as follows:

1. The section of Seventh Street in the Borough from the intersection of Duke Street to the intersection of West Way shall be a one-way street for all traffic proceeding in a southerly direction. Upon the effective date of this Ordinance, no traffic shall be permitted to proceed in a northerly direction on said section of Seventh Street.
2. The aforesaid section of Seventh Street from the intersection of Duke Street to the intersection of West Way shall be posted with appropriate signs pursuant to PENNDOT rules and regulations.
3. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.
4. If any section, subsection, or clause of this Ordinance is held, for any reason, to be invalid, such decision or decisions shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.
5. The relevant fines and penalties as set forth in the Borough Code and/or the Motor Vehicle Code shall apply to any motorists found guilty of violating the provisions of this Ordinance.