

ORDINANCE NO. 2004-6

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 58 OF THE NORTHUMBERLAND BOROUGH CODE RELATING TO METERED PARKING IN THE DOWNTOWN DISTRICT, ELIMINATING THE PROHIBITION AGAINST PARKING ON FRONT STREET BETWEEN 2:00 A.M. AND 6:00 A.M., AND RENAMING MILTON STREET TO DUKE STREET

WHEREAS, the purpose of this Ordinance is to make certain changes to Chapter 58 of the Borough Code which Borough Council deems appropriate pertaining to metered parking in the downtown district, eliminating the prohibition against parking on Front Street between 2:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m., and renaming "Milton Street" to Duke Street.

NOW, therefore, it is hereby enacted and ordained as follows:

1. Chapter 58 governing "Vehicles and Traffic" shall be amended to read as follows:

A. Article I, "Parking Meters," Section 58.1 shall be revised to provide that parking meters shall be utilized from Monday through Friday, inclusive, from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. There shall be no parking meter restrictions on Saturdays and Sundays.

B. Article I, "Parking Meters," Section 58-5 "Deposit of Coins" and Section 58-8 "Unlawful Substitute Coins" shall be revised to delete any reference to 1 cent and 5 cent coins and in place thereof shall refer to "U.S. legal tender." Section 58-5 shall also be revised to provide that the parking meters shall allow thirty (30) minutes of parking for one nickel, one hour of parking for one dime, and two (2) hours per quarter.

C. Section 58-28A which precludes parking on Front Street, Duke Street, King Street from Front Street to the bridge over the north branch of the Susquehanna River, and Water Street from King Street to the underpass at the Penn Central Railroad from 2:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. shall be eliminated.

D. Section 58-27A shall be revised to provide that the reference to "Milton Road" shall be eliminated and replaced with "Duke Street."

2. Repeal. All ordinances or resolutions or parts of ordinances or resolutions, insofar as they are inconsistent herewith, be and the same are hereby repealed.

3. Severability. If any sentence, clause, section or part of this Ordinance is for any reason found to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions, sentences, clauses, section, or part of this Ordinance. It is hereby declared as the intention of the Council Members of the Borough of Northumberland, that this Ordinance would have been adopted had such constitutional, illegal or invalid sentence, clause, section or part thereof not been included.

4. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall become effective five (5) days after its enactment.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED into an Ordinance this _____ day of _____, 2004 by the Borough Council in the lawful session duly assembled.

ATTEST:

Secretary

