ORDINANCE NO. 2453

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 774 (CODIFIED AS SECTION 521.11) REGARDING THE PLACEMENT OR DUMPING OF SNOW ON PUBLIC PROPERTY, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Council of the Village of Sheffield is desirous of amending the Village of Sheffield's current ordinance regarding the dumping of snow on public property.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Village of Sheffield, in the County of Lorain, and the State of Ohio, that:

Section 1. Section 1 of Ordinance No. 774 (codified as Section 521.11 of the Codified Ordinances of Sheffield Village, Ohio) which currently reads as follows is hereby repealed in its entirety:

"Section 1. That no person shall place or pile snow taken from private property such as but not limited to a driveway or parking lot, or cause any of the above to be done, upon a public road, highway, street, alley, sidewalk or walkway so as to interfere, in any manner with the use of such facilities by citizens, or users thereof."

- <u>Section 2</u>. Section 1 of Ordinance No. 774 (codified as Section 521.11) is hereby amended by adopting the following new language as Section 1:
 - "(a) No person removing snow from any driveway or sidewalk within the Village shall deposit the same on the pavement or sidewalk of any public street or any tree lawn in any public street, except the tree lawn immediately in front of the premises from which the snow is removed.
 - (b) Whoever violates this Section 1 is guilty of a minor misdemeanor."
- <u>Section 3</u>. That all ordinances or parts thereof inconsistent with the terms and provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same hereby are, amended.
- Section 4. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that results in such formal actions were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 5. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure, the emergency being the need to amend Ordinance No. 774 regarding the placement or dumping of snow on public property and for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the Village of Sheffield; therefore, this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

PASSED 9-22-14

Timothy J. Pelcic, Clerk-Treasurer

Approved as to form:

Thomas J. Smith SOLICITOR

Jøhn D. Hunter, Mayor

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