

AN ORDINANCE TO ENACT SECTION 331.39 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES WITH RESPECT TO PROHIBITING LITTERING FROM MOTOR VEHICLES, TO ESTABLISH A PENALTY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Be It Ordained by the Council of the Village of Richfield, Ohio:

Section 1: Section 331.39 of the Codified Ordinances is established as follows:

331.39 LITTERING FROM MOTOR VEHICLES.

(a) No operator or occupant of a motor vehicle shall, regardless of intent, throw, drop, discard or deposit litter from any motor vehicle in operation upon any street, road or highway, except into a litter receptacle in a manner that prevents its being carried away or deposited by the elements.

(b) No operator of a motor vehicle in operation upon any street, road or highway shall allow litter to be thrown, dropped, discarded or deposited from the motor vehicle, except into a litter receptacle in a manner that prevents its being carried away or deposited by the elements.

(c) As used in this section, "litter" means garbage, trash, waste, rubbish, ashes, cans, bottles, wire, paper, cartons, boxes, automobile parts, furniture, glass or anything else of an unsightly or unsanitary nature.

(d) Whoever violates any of the provisions of this section is guilty of a minor misdemeanor. (ORC 4511)

Section 2: This Ordinance is determined to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety for the reason to protect the environment from littering by persons in motor vehicles and provided this Ordinance receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members elected or appointed, it shall take effect

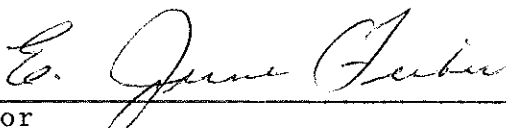
and be in force from and after its approval by the Mayor; otherwise it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest date provided by law.

Passed:

12/15/87




President of Council



Mayor

Dated: 12-15-87

Attest:



Clerk of Council