

ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 218 ARTICLE VII "PARKING ON SNOW EMERGENCY ROUTES" TO ADD THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COORDINATOR AND CHIEF OF POLICE AS PARTIES AUTHORIZED TO ADDRESS SUCH EMERGENCIES

WHEREAS, the City of Coatesville is a Third Class City situated in Chester County, Pennsylvania operating under a Home Rule Charter and the Third Class City Code (hereinafter "the City"); and

WHEREAS, the City has, as part of its code of regulations prepared regulations which address weather emergencies and in particular under Chapter 218 Section 24 (A), the City Code provides that the City Manager or his or designee can declare a weather emergency regarding the existence of snow or ice and the potential for such hazards; and,

WHEREAS, the City has determined that the Emergency Management Coordinator or the Chief of Police are also parties qualified and available to identify and declare such an emergency for the benefit of the safety of the citizens of the City and should be designated with such authority from the City Manager so as to avoid unnecessary authorization;

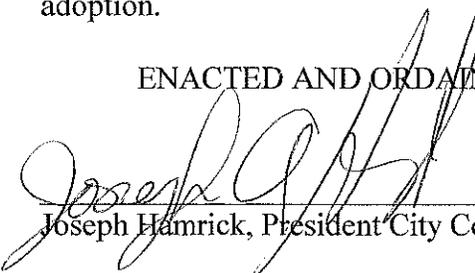
NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing, and under the authority previously recited, as well as such other power as is available to it, the City of Coatesville does amend its Chapter 218 Article VII governing Parking or Snow Emergency Routes removing the language from § 218-24 A. so that it states in its entirety as follows:

"A.

In order to facilitate the movement of traffic and to combat the hazards of excessive snow and ice on the highways or portions of highways named in § 218-24D of this article, the City Manager, or his designee (including the Chief of Police or Emergency Management Coordinator, who are specifically so designated), in his or her discretion, may declare an emergency due to such hazards or the potential for such hazards."

This Ordinance shall be effective as required by the City Code thirty (30) days after adoption.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 28th day of February, 2014.



Joseph Hamrick, President City Council

Bill: 2 -2014

Ordinance: 1425 -2014

ATTEST:



Kirby A. Hudson, City Manager

CERTIFICATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Ordinance was introduced on the 10th day of February, 2014, and was duly enacted by the Council of the City of Coatesville, Chester County, Pennsylvania on the 28th day of February, 2014, that the vote upon the said Ordinance has been recorded in the Minutes of the City Council and that the Ordinance has been fully recorded.



Kirby A. Hudson, City Manager