ORDINANCE NO. 599

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER 511, BEING AN ORDINANCE REGULATING TRAFFIC AND ESTABLISHING FINES AND PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF TRAFFIC REGULATIONS IN THE TOWN OF ST. JOHN, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA, AND REPEAL OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT THEREWITH.

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, did on the 9th day of April, 1979, adopt Ordinance Number 511, being an ordinance regulating traffic and establishing fines and penalties for violations of traffic regulations in the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, and

WHEREAS, it has become necessary to amend such ordinance and any subsequent ordinances in conflict thereto to change the amount of the traffic fines to Thirty Dollars (\$30.00), and

WHEREAS, ordinances require that the Clerk-Treasurer of the Town of St. John give notice of the adoption of the within ordinance and that a public hearing would be had thereon on the 14th day of March, 1983, at the Town Hall in St. John, Lake County, Indiana, as provided by law, and

WHEREAS, a public hearing will be held on the 14th day of March, 1983, at which time persons interested in or affected by the said proceedings will be given an opportunity to be heard and introduce evidence on the questions to be determined therein, and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the Town of St. John to amend ordinance number 511 to provide for such change.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Trustees of the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, that the Town of St. John Ordinance Number 511, Article XV, Section 7, Disposition of Traffic Fines and Forfeitures, which now reads as follows:

"Disposition of Traffic Fines and Forfeitures. 7. In accordance with IC 9-4-1-135, Acts 1969 CH 252 Sec 418, Page 987, 1974, P.L. 71, Sec. 1 Page 285; 1978 P.L.2 Sec. 1815, also known as <u>Burns</u> any person, firm or corporation violating and found guilty by plea any portion of this traffic code of the Town of St. John which regulates the use, standing or parking of vehicles upon streets, alleys, or other public places, may, in lieu of being charged for such violation in Court, pay to the Clerk-Treasurer of the Town of St. John, a penalty of Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for a moving violation and a penalty of Three Dollars (\$3.00) for a parking violation. Said payment shall be deposited in the general fund of said Town. Such penalties shall be paid within seven (7) days of the date of the violation. Upon failure to pay any penalty herein prescribed in accordance with the provision hereof, such violator shall be charged forthwith in a Court pursuant to State Law. All moving violations of Ordinance shall be certified pursuant to IC 9-4-1-35."

shall be and it is hereby changed to read as follows:

Disposition of Traffic Fines and Forfeitures. 7. In accordance with IC 9-4-1-135, Acts 1969 CH 252 Sec 418, Page 987, 1974, P.L. 71, Sec. 1 Page 285; 1978 P.L.2 Sec. 1815, also known as Burns any person, firm or corporation violating and found guilty by plea any portion of this traffic code of the Town of St. John which regulates the use, standing or parking of vehicles upon streets, alleys, or other public places, may, in lieu of being charged for such violation in Court, pay to the Clerk-Treasurer of the Town of St. John, a penalty of Thirty Dollars (\$30.00) for a moving violation and a penalty of Three Dollars (\$3.00) for a parking violation. Said payment shall be deposited in the general fund of said Town. Such penalties shall be paid within seven (7) days of the date of the violation. Upon failure to pay any penalty herein prescribed in accordance with the provision hereof, such violator shall be charged forthwith in a Court pursuant to State Law. All moving violations of Ordinance shall be certified pursuant to IC 9-4-1-35.

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the Board of Trustees of the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, this <u>14th</u> day of <u>March</u>, 1983.

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BOARD OF TRUSTEES, TOWN OF ST. JOHN, LAKE COUNTY, INDIANA

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NOTICE OF HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on the 14th day of March, 1983, at 7:00 p.m. in the St. John Town Hall, St. John, Indiana, on an ordinance amending Ordinance Number 511, being an ordinance regulating traffic and establishing fines and penalties for violations of traffic regulations in the Town of St. John, Lake County, Indiana, and repeal of ordinances in conflict therewith. Said ordinance being as follows:

(HERE INSERT ATTACHED ORDINANCE)

All interested parties will be given an opportunity to be heard on this proposed ordinance.

> HAL FOLTZ President, Board of Trustees Town of St. John, Indiana

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Send Proof of Publication and Bill to: Mrs. Betty L. Siedelmann Clerk-Treasurer 11033 West 93rd Avenue St. John, Indiana