BOROUGH OF MONTROSE SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

ORDINANCE NO: 2024- 01

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 107-54 OF CHAPTER 107 OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF MONTROSE WITH RESPECT TO INCREASING OVERTIME PARKING VIOLATIONS.

The Council of the Borough of Montrose, Susquehanna County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, hereby enacts and ordains as follows:

Section 1. Authority

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Pursuant to 8 Pa. C.S.A. §§1202(2) and 1202(31) the Borough of Montrose is authorized to operate parking meters, to make and regulate charges for them for general borough purposes and to impose fines and fees for violation of any law or ordinance regulating parking.

Section 2. Penalties for Overtime Parking Violation

Section 107-54 of the Code of the Borough of Montrose is hereby amended by deleting the language therein and adding the following language:

- A. Violations generally. Unless another penalty is expressly provided by the Pennsylvania Vehicle Code or except as hereinafter specified, every person convicted of a violation of a provision of this chapter, or any supplement thereto, shall be liable to a penalty of not more than one hundred dollars (\$100) and costs of prosecution.
- B. Overtime parking violations. Any persons violating the provisions of this chapter by allowing a vehicle to remain parked beyond the time limit set for legal parking in §§107-24, 107-26, 107-30(B), 107-32, 107-33(A), 107-33(B), 107-37 and 107-39 of this chapter shall, upon conviction, be guilty of a summary offense and be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than fifty dollars (\$50) nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100) and costs of prosecution; provided, however, that if the notice of violation is returned to the Chief of Police, or his designee, or deposited in an authorized fine collection box within the timeframes and with the payments as

hereinafter set forth, such payment shall be deemed full satisfaction of such violation:

- 1. By 5:00 PM on the third calendar day from when the notice was given and the sum of ten dollars (\$10).
- 2. Beginning on the fourth calendar day from when the notice was given until 5:00 PM on the tenth calendar day from when the notice was given and the sum of twenty dollars (\$20).

Section 3. Severability

That if any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance. The Council of the Borough of Montrose hereby declares that it would have passed this Ordinance, and each section, subsection, clause, or phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses, and phrases be declared unconstitutional.

Section 4. Repealer

- A. That all previous or other ordinances or parts of laws of the Borough of Montrose in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.
- B. The repeal of ordinances provided for in subsection A of this Section 4 shall not affect or prevent the prosecution or punishment of any person for any act done or liability incurred in violation of any ordinance or regulation in force immediately prior to the taking effect of this ordinance.

Section 5. Effective Date

This Ordinance shall be effective immediately.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 7 TH day of the Borough Council of the Borough of M Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in lawful session,	Iontrose, Susquehanna County,
Attest: Alyssa Sprout Brace Secretary	Randall Schuster Council President
Approved this day ofOCOBEL_ Thomas Lamont Honorable Mayor	ر 2024.