

CITY OF ST. JOHNS

ORDINANCE NO. 700

AN ORDINANCE TO READOPT THE MICHIGAN MOTOR VEHICLE CODE

THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS ORDAINS:

Section 1. Amendment to Title VII: Traffic Code, Chapter 70: General Provisions, Section 70.02 to Re-Adopt the Michigan Motor Vehicle Code. The City amends Title VII, Chapter 70, Section 70.02 to read as follows:

“§70.02 ADOPTION OF MICHIGAN MOTOR VEHICLE CODE..

(A) The Michigan Motor Vehicle Code (MCL § 257.1 et seq.), and all amendments effective as of the date this ordinance is adopted, is hereby re-adopted and incorporated by reference, including all amendments thereafter made to the Michigan Motor Vehicle Code. Amendments made to the Michigan Motor Vehicle Code shall become effective as adopted by reference herein effective the same date they become effective in the Michigan Motor Vehicle Code. The penalties and procedures prescribed pursuant to the Michigan Motor Vehicle Code are applicable to violations thereof occurring in the City of St. Johns.

(B) Section 625(1)(C) of the Michigan Motor Vehicle Code, 1949 PA 300, MCL § 257.625, is specifically adopted and incorporated by reference, including all amendments thereafter made to such section. A violation of the prohibited conduct in § 625(1)(C), which has been adopted in this section, is a misdemeanor punishable by one or more of the following:

- i. Community service for not more than 360 hours.
- ii. Imprisonment for not more than 180 days.
- iii. A fine of not less than \$200 or more than \$700.”

Section 2. Recission of Obsolete Ordinances

Sections 70.04 and 70.99 of the City of St. Johns Code of Ordinances are hereby rescinded and reserved for future use.

Section 3. Validity and Severability

Should any portion of this Ordinance be found invalid for any reason, such holding shall not be construed as affecting the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

Section 4. Repealer

Any ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed but only to the extent necessary to give this Ordinance full force and effect.

Section 5. Effective Date

This Ordinance shall become effective twenty (20) days after final approval.

YEAS: Hufnagel, Gurski, Dzurka, Hyzer, DeLiso

NAYS: None

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: None

CERTIFICATION As the duly elected Mayor and Clerk of the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, we certify that this is a true and complete copy of an ordinance adopted by the St. Johns City Commission at a regular meeting held on August 25, 2025.

Scott Dzurka, Mayor

Mindy J. Seavey, Clerk