ORDINANCE NO. 3204

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 303.09(a) LEAVING JUNK AND OTHER VEHICLES ON PRIVATE OR PUBLIC PROPERTY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF CRESTLINE, OHIO:

SECTION 1. That Section 303.09(a) of the Codified Ordinances of this Village which reads as follows:

(a) No person shall willfully leave any vehicle or an "abandoned junk motor vehicle" as defined in Ohio R.C. 4513.63 on private property for more than seventy-two consecutive hours without the permission of the person having the right to the possession of the property or on a public street or other property open to the public for purposes of vehicular travel or parking, or upon or within the right of way of any road or highway, for forty-eight consecutive hours, or-longer; without notification to the Police Chief of the reasons for leaving the vehicle in such place.

For purposes of this section, the fact that a vehicle has been so left without permission or notification is prima-facie evidence of abandonment. Nothing contained in this section shall invalidate the provisions of other ordinances regulating or prohibiting the abandonment of motor vehicles on streets, highways, public property or private property within the Municipality.

Is hereby repealed and enacted in its place is a new Section 303.09(a) which reads as follows:

(b) No person shall willfully leave any vehicle or an "abandoned junk motor vehicle" as defined in Ohio R.C. 4513.63 on private property for more than seventy-two consecutive hours without the permission of the person having the right to the possession of the property or on a public street or other property open to the public for purposes of vehicular travel or parking, or upon or within the right of way of any road or highway, for seventy-two consecutive hours.

For purposes of this section, the fact that a vehicle has been so left without permission or notification is prima-facie evidence of abandonment. Nothing contained in this section shall invalidate the

provisions of other ordinances regulating or prohibiting the abandonment of motor vehicles on streets, highways, public property or private property within the Municipality.

SECTION 3. That it is hereby determined that this Ordinance is an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and welfare of the residents of this Village, and for the further reason the immediate effective date of this Ordinance is necessary to provide to clarity to such language prewritten, and shall therefore go into immediate effect provided it receives a two-thirds (2/3) vote of all members elected to this Council; otherwise, it shall go into effect in thirty (30) days if passed by a majority vote of Council.

DATE:	2/19	/18	

Aye 6 Nay 0 Abstain 0

Barry Byerly Mayor

Attest:

Arnette Johnston, Gerk of Council

Approyed as to form:

on K. Burton, Law Director