

ARTICLE 31.00

Severability, Repeal, Effective Date, Adoption

Section 31.01 -- Severability

This Ordinance and the various parts, sentences, paragraphs, sections and clauses it contains are hereby declared to be severable. Should any part, sentence, paragraph, section or clause be declared unconstitutional or invalid by any court for any reason, such judgement shall not affect the validity of this Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof, other than the part so declared to be unconstitutional or invalid.

Furthermore, should the application of any provision of this Ordinance to a particular property, building, or structure be adjudged invalid by any court, such judgement shall not affect the application of said provision to any other property, building, or structure in the Township, unless otherwise stated in the judgement.

Section 31.02 -- Repeal

The previously adopted Williamstown Township Zoning Ordinance text, and all amendments thereto, shall be repealed on the effective date of this Ordinance. The repeal of the above Ordinance and its amendments does not affect or impair any act done, offense committed or right accruing, accrued, or acquired, or any liability, penalty, forfeiture or punishment incurred prior to the time enforced, prosecuted, or inflicted. Adoption of the Zoning Ordinance text on July 9, 2013, shall not affect the validity of the adopted Zoning Map, which is not subject to repeal.

Section 31.03 -- Effective Date

Made and passed by the Township Board of Williamstown Township, Ingham County, Michigan, on July 9, 2013, and effective seven (7) days following publication of Notice of Ordinance Adoption by the Township Clerk in a newspaper of general circulation in Williamstown Township, pursuant to the provisions of Section 401 of Michigan Public Act 110 of 2006, as amended. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication according to law.

Section 31.04 -- Adoption

We hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance is a true copy of an ordinance as enacted by the Township Board of Trustees on July 9, 2013.

- A. Public hearing by Planning Commission: May 21, 2013.
- B. Recommendation of Planning Commission to approve the Zoning Ordinance text to the Township Board: May 21, 2013.
- C. Township Board adoption of the Zoning Ordinance text: July 9, 2013.
- D. Date the Ordinance text shall take effect: July 28, 2013.

Mickey Martin, Supervisor

Date

I, Ernie Gaffner, Clerk of the Williamstown Township, Ingham County, Michigan, hereby certify that notice of adoption of the foregoing ordinance was published pursuant to the provisions of Michigan Public Act 110 of 2006, as amended, in a newspaper of general circulation in the Williamstown Township on July 21, 2013.

Ernie Gaffner, Township Clerk

Date