

**ORDINANCE NO. O-05-2022**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND MODIFYING THE FINE SCHEDULE SET FORTH IN CITY OF FORT THOMAS ORDINANCE O-05-2018, SECTION 34.13, SO AS TO REPLACE SAID ORDINANCE AS FOLLOWS:**

Violations of ordinances that are enforced by the assigned hearing officer shall be subject to the following schedule of civil fines:

**SECTION I**

(A) If a citation for a violation of an ordinance is not contested by the person charged with the violation, the penalties set forth in this subsection shall apply:

<b>Violation</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Offense</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Offense</b>	<b><u>3<sup>rd</sup> Offense/ All Subsequent</u></b>
Boats, Trailers, Recreational Vehicles & Oversized Vehicles	\$100	\$200	<u>\$500</u>
Downspouts, Driveways & Storm Water Connections	\$100	\$200	<u>\$500</u>
Inoperable Vehicle	\$100	\$200	<u>\$500</u>
Miscellaneous Refuse	\$100	\$200	<u>\$500</u>
Property Maintenance Code	\$100	\$200	<u>\$500</u>
Unightly Vegetation	\$100	\$200	<u>\$500</u>
Zoning Code	\$100	\$200	<u>\$500</u>
Swimming Pools	\$100	\$200	<u>\$500</u>

**SECTION II**

(B) If the citation is contested and a hearing before the assigned hearing officer is required, the following maximum penalties may be imposed at the discretion of the Code Enforcement Board or hearing officer:

<b>Violation</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Offense</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Offense</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Offense/ All Subsequent</b>
Boats, Trailers, Recreational Vehicles & Oversized Vehicles	\$200	\$400	<u>\$1,000</u>
Downspouts, Driveways & Storm Water Connections	\$200	\$400	<u>\$1,000</u>
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**SECTION III**

This Ordinance shall be effective when read, passed and advertised at the earliest date according to law.

**APPROVED:**

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**Eric Haas, Mayor**

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading: May 16, 2022**

**Approved: June 6, 2022**

**ATTEST:**

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**Melissa Beckett, City Clerk**