

**CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEAT PLEASANT, MARYLAND**

**Ordinance No.:** O-20-09  
**Introduced by:** City Council  
**Date Introduced:** February 3, 2020  
**First Reading:** February 3, 2020  
**Second Reading:** February 10, 2020  
**Date Adopted:** February 10, 2020  
**Date Effective:** **March 2, 2020**

**AN ORDINANCE concerning**

**School Zone Speed Monitoring System and Red-Light Camera Enforcement Fees**

**FOR** the purpose of amending Chapter 150 – Vehicles and Traffic of the Code of the City of Seat Pleasant for the purposes of implementing a late payment fee on Speed Camera citations on behalf of the City of Seat Pleasant.

**BY** amending Chapter 150 – Vehicles and Traffic  
Section 73 Administrative Fees  
Code of the City of Seat Pleasant (1994 Edition, as amended)

**WHEREAS**, the City Council is desirous of establishing an administrative fee for the late payment of city speed camera citations to help offset the increased administrative cost associated with such late payments; and

**SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED BY THE SEAT PLEASANT CITY COUNCIL** that Chapter 150 (Vehicles and Traffic), § 150-73 of the Code of the City of Seat Pleasant (1994 Edition, as amended) be and it is hereby amended to read as follows:

**§ 150-73. Administrative fees.**

The City of Seat Pleasant hereby imposes and may collect the following administrative fees related to the implementation of a program of speed enforcement using speed monitoring systems in school zones within the City of Seat Pleasant:

**A. MVA flagging fee for unpaid citation: \$25 \$35**

**B. UNCHANGED.**

C. ~~A late fee of \$35 shall be assessed for any fines paid more than 45 days from the date of issuance of a speed camera citation~~ **IF A SPEED CAMERA OR RED LIGHT CAMERA CITATION HAS NOT BEEN PAID IN 30 DAYS THE FEE SHALL DOUBLE AND IF NOT PAID IN 60 DAYS THE FEE SHALL DOUBLE AGAIN FOR EACH SPEED AND RED LIGHT CAMERA CITATIONS.**

D. **ANY CITATIONS FOR SPEED OR RED-LIGHT CAMERA THAT ARE UNPAID AFTER 60 DAYS RISK THE SUSPENSION OF THEIR TAGS.**

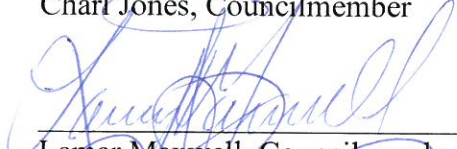
**SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED BY THE SEAT PLEASANT CITY COUNCIL** that the City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this ordinance, and cause the same or, to the extent permitted by the Charter, a fair summary of the same, to be published as required by law, and that this Ordinance shall become effective at the expiration of twenty (20) days following approval by the Mayor or passage by the City Council over the Mayor's veto.

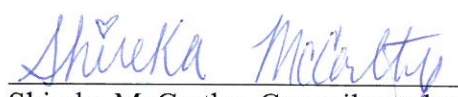
**APPROVED:**

**COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEAT PLEASANT**

  
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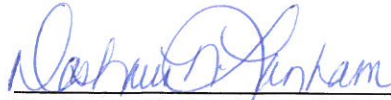
  
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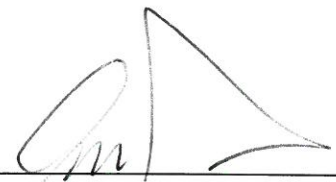
**ATTEST:**

  
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Dashaun N. Lanham, CMC  
City Clerk

This Ordinance was presented to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval pursuant to Section C-313 of the Charter of the City of Seat Pleasant this 11th day of February, 2020

  
Dashaun N. Lanham, CMC  
City Clerk

In accordance with Section C-313 of the Charter of the City of Seat Pleasant, I hereby Approve or Disapprove this Ordinance this 11 day of February, 2020

  
Eugene W. Grant  
Mayor

**EXPLANATION**

CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

((Double Parenthesis)) indicate matter deleted from existing law.

Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

~~Strike Out~~ indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law.