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NO. 2011-22) TO INCLUDE SECTION 70-60 A) 6)**

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**ADOPTED BY THE  
CITY COUNCIL OF THE  
CITY OF TROY, ILLINOIS  
THIS 6th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2012**

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**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Troy, Illinois, have the authority to adopt ordinances and to promulgate rules and regulations that pertain to its government and affairs and protect the public health, safety, and welfare of its citizens; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Troy, Illinois, has reviewed the provisions of the current text of Chapter 70 of the Code of Ordinances (Ordinance No. 2011-22) and determined that it requires an addition to conform with current legal standards and operational practices; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Troy, Illinois, believes it is beneficial and necessary to protect the safety, health and welfare of the citizens and the peace of the City of Troy, Illinois, to amend Chapter 70 of the Code of Ordinances (Ordinance No. 2011-22) to address the public nuisance created by individuals operating motor vehicles upon the streets and highways of the City of Troy, Illinois, who are committing violations of certain laws; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Troy, Illinois, believes it is further beneficial and necessary to protect the safety, health and welfare of the citizens and the peace of the City of Troy, Illinois, to amend Chapter 70 of the Code of Ordinances (Ordinance No. 2011-22) to address any danger to the safety of residents and property in the City of Troy, Illinois, by the use of motor vehicles to commit violations of certain laws within the City.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF  
THE CITY OF TROY, MADISON COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. The recitals set forth above are hereby incorporated herein as if fully set forth.

Section 2. Title VII, Traffic Code, Chapter 70 – General Regulations of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Troy, Illinois, is hereby amended to include Section 70-60 A) 6) as follows:

TITLE VII. Traffic Code

Chapter 70 – General Regulations

Vehicle Seizure and Impoundment.

Section 70-60. Nuisance declared.

“(A) 6) Operation or use of a motor vehicle in the commission of, or in the attempt to commit, any other misdemeanor or felony offense in violation of the Criminal Code of 1961, when so provided by local ordinance.”

Section 3: That all other provisions of Chapter 70 of the Code of Ordinances (Ordinance No. 2011-22) shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect except as specifically amended by this Ordinance.

Section 4: If any section or provision of this Ordinance is declared invalid for any reason, such invalidity shall not affect or impair any of the remaining sections or provisions of this Ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid section or provision, and to this end, the sections and provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable.

Section 5: This Ordinance shall be effective upon its passage, signing and publication as required by law.


**PASSED** by the City Council of the City of Troy, Madison County, Illinois, approved by the Mayor, and deposited in the office of the City Clerk this 6th day of February, 2012.

Those voting aye: Adomite, Brannon, Evans, Lanahan, Metcalf  
Partney


Those voting nay: 0

Those absent: Alderman Italiano, Alderwoman Hendrickson

APPROVED:

By:  Pro Tem  
TOM CARAKER, SR., Mayor  
City of Troy, Illinois

ATTEST:

BY:   
TAMMY MITCHELL, Clerk  
City of Troy, Illinois

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