

ORDINANCE NO. 1-16-2025-1

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BRISTOL, INDIANA AMENDING CHAPTER 76 OF THE TOWN OF BRISTOL, INDIANA CODE OF ORDINANCES TO PROHIBIT PARKING ALONG A CERTAIN PORTION OF COMMERCE DRIVE IN THE TOWN OF BRISTOL, INDIANA

WHEREAS, the Town of Bristol, Indiana (the “Town”) is a duly formed municipal corporation within the State of Indiana governed by its duly elected Town Council (the “Council”); and

WHEREAS, Indiana Code § 9-21-1-3(a)(1) confers upon the Council the power to regulate the standing or parking of vehicles as such power is within the reasonable exercise of its police powers; and

WHEREAS, the east-west public right of way commonly known as Commerce Drive is a public highway under the jurisdiction of the Town;

WHEREAS, the Code of Ordinances for the Town (the “Code”), Chapter 75, provides for the prohibition of parking along streets within the Town’s jurisdiction and for the erection of appropriate signage to notify the public of such prohibitions; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 76, Schedule I, designates specific areas in the Town where parking is prohibited; and

WHEREAS, the Council believes it is in the best interests of the public’s health, safety, and welfare to prohibit the parking of all vehicles along the north and south lanes of Commerce Drive from its intersection with State Road 15 to the west and Blakesley Parkway to the east; and

WHEREAS, the Council must amend Chapter 76 of the Code to designate such area of Commerce Drive as a specific area where parking is prohibited.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Town Council of the Town of Bristol, Indiana, meeting in regular session, as follows:

Section 1. The foregoing Recitals are incorporated herein by this reference.

Section 2. As of the effective date of this Ordinance, Chapter 76, Schedule I, Section K of the Code is hereby renumbered as “(L)” to read as follows:

“(L) The penalty for violating this schedule shall be a fine of up to \$500. Each violation shall constitute a separate offense.”

Section 3. As of the effective date of this Ordinance, Chapter 76, Schedule I of the Code is hereby amended to include a new subsection (K) as follows:

“(K) The north and south sides of Commerce Drive from its intersection with State Road 15 to the east and Blakesley Parkway to the west.”

Section 4. The remaining portions of Chapter 76 of the Code are not affected by this Ordinance and shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 5. The Council hereby directs and authorizes the Town Marshal to order and procure such signage as necessary and appropriate and to install them along Commerce Drive to carry out this Ordinance.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect in accordance with Indiana Law, upon passage of any applicable waiting periods, all as provided by the laws of the State of Indiana. All ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby ordered amended or repealed. All acts pursuant to the adoption of this ordinance are hereby ratified.

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ADOPTED THIS \_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

TOWN COUNCIL OF THE  
TOWN OF BRISTOL, INDIANA

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