

STATE OF LOUISIANA  
CITY OF WEST MONROE

ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

MOTION BY: \_\_\_\_\_

SECONDED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 11-4027.1(a)(1)d. AND (3)c. AND SECTION 11-4027.2(a)(3)c. OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF WEST MONROE, LOUISIANA, RELATIVE TO IGNITION INTERLOCK DEVICES; TO MAKE TECHNICAL CHANGES; TO PROVIDE FOR A CHANGE IN TIME PERIODS THAT A DRIVER IS REQUIRED TO HAVE AN IGNITION INTERLOCK; TO ESTABLISH AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, in regular and legal session convened, that 11-4027.1(a)(1)d. and (3)c. of the Code of Ordinances, City of West Monroe, Louisiana, are hereby amended, to provide as follows:

**“Sec. 11-4027.1. Operating while intoxicated; first offense; penalties.**

(a) (1) \* \* \*  
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d. Except as provided by subparagraph (3)c. of this subsection, the court shall order that the offender not operate a motor vehicle during the period of probation, for no less than six months, unless any vehicle, while being operated by the offender, is equipped with a functioning ignition interlock device in compliance with the requirements of subsection 11-4027.3(c) and R.S. 32:378.2.

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(3) \* \* \*

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c. The court shall require that the offender not operate a motor vehicle during the period of probation unless any vehicle, while being operated by the offender, is equipped with a functioning ignition interlock device in compliance with the requirements of subsection 11-4027.3(c) and R.S. 32:378.2. The ignition interlock device shall remain installed and operative on his vehicle during the period of suspension of his driver's license following the date of conviction.

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SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, in regular and legal session convened, that 11-4027.2(a)(3)c. of the Code of Ordinances, City of West Monroe, Louisiana, is hereby amended, to provide as follows:

**“Sec. 11-4027.2. Operating while intoxicated; second offense; penalties.**

(a) \* \* \*

(3) \* \* \*

c. The court shall require that the offender not operate a motor vehicle during the period of probation unless any vehicle, while being operated by the

offender, is equipped with a functioning ignition interlock device in compliance with the requirements of subsection 11-4027.3(c), R.S. 15:306, and R.S. 32:378.2. The ignition interlock device shall remain installed and operative on his vehicle during the four-year period of the suspension of his driver's license.

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SECTION 3. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, in regular and legal session convened, that for cause determined to be in the best interests of the City of West Monroe and its citizens, this enactment shall be effective on July 17, 2024.

The above Ordinance was read and considered by Sections at a public meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, in regular and legal session convened, voted on by yea or nay vote, passed and adopted the 16<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2024, the final vote being as follows:

YEA: \_\_\_\_\_

NAY: \_\_\_\_\_

NOT VOTING: \_\_\_\_\_

ABSENT: \_\_\_\_\_

ATTEST:

APPROVED THIS 16TH DAY OF  
JULY, 2024

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CINDY EMORY, CITY CLERK  
CITY OF WEST MONROE  
STATE OF LOUISIANA

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STACI ALBRITTON MITCHELL, MAYOR  
CITY OF WEST MONROE  
STATE OF LOUISIANA