ordinance no. 403

VILLAGE OF BELLEVUE, ILLINOIS

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING AND PROHIBITING PARKING OF VEHICLES DURING PERIODS OF SNOW REMOVAL

WHEREAS, the Village provides snow removal services in connection with its maintenance of public streets within the Village; and

WHEREAS, snow removal efforts are often hampered by automobiles parked on the streets of the Village; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 11-80-2 of the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/11-80-2), the Village is empowered to regulate the use of streets;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF BELLEVUE, PEORIA COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1</u>: The Board of Trustees finds as fact the recitals hereinabove set forth.

Section 2: Parking upon the streets of the Village of Bellevue shall be prohibited as set forth in Sections 3 and 4 below.

Section 3: Parking shall be automatically prohibited on any part of any street within the Village upon which there has been an accumulation of snow and/or ice of two (2) inches or more. Such prohibition shall remain in effect for twenty-four (24) hours after the snowfall, or other weather condition which has caused such accumulation, has ended.

Section 4: Parking shall also be prohibited on any part of any street within the Village at any time when, in the judgment of the Street Superintendent of the Village, such prohibition is necessary for the removal of snow and/or ice from said street. A prohibition under this Section shall become effective eight (8) hours after notices are posted, and notices are placed on each car parked, on the portions of the street where the prohibition is to take effect, and shall continue for such time as is stated in said notices.

Section 5: The following penalties shall apply with respect to violations of this Ordinance:

(a) The owner of any vehicle parked in violation of this Ordinance shall be fined not less than Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00) but not more than Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00).

(b) In addition to the penalties set forth in Section 6(a), the Village may cause any vehicle parked in violation of this Ordinance to be towed, and the owner of said vehicle shall be liable to the Village for the cost of towing and storage of the vehicle.

PASSED THIS 22ND DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1993.

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Larry N. Howard, President

Attest:

Carol S. Howard, Clerk

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