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**VILLAGE OF MELROSE PARK
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

ORDINANCE NO. 1087

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 10.12.070 OF THE
VILLAGE OF MELROSE PARK MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING
VEHICLE LICENSE VIOLATIONS, FOR THE VILLAGE OF
MELROSE PARK, COUNTY OF COOK, STATE OF ILLINOIS.**

**ADOPTED BY THE
PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF THE
VILLAGE OF MELROSE PARK**

THIS 10TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2007

**RONALD M. SERPICO, Village President
MARY ANN PAOLANTONIO SALEMI, Village Clerk**

Board Of Trustees

**JOHN S. CONTEDECA
CATHLEEN COSSIDENT ITALIA
THOMAS KLEIN
ARTURO J. MOTA
ANTHONY J. PRIGNANO
MARY RAMIREZ TACONI**

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**Published by authority of the
President and Board of Trustees
Of the Village of Melrose Park,
Cook County, Illinois on
This 11TH day of SEPTEMBER 2007**

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WHEREAS, the Village of Melrose Park, County of Cook, State of Illinois (the "Village") is a duly organized and existing village created under the provisions of the laws of the State of Illinois, and is operating under the provisions of the Illinois Municipal Code, and all laws amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, with full powers to enact ordinances and adopt resolutions for the benefit of the residents of the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Village President (the "President"), the Honorable Ronald M. Serpico, the Village Clerk, the Honorable Mary Ann Paolantonio Salemi, having taken office on May 2, 2005 and the Board of Trustees of the Village (the "Village Board"), the Honorable John S. Conteduca, Cathleen Cossident Italia, Tom "T.K." Klein, Arturo J. Mota, Anthony J. Prignano and Mary Ramirez Taconi having taken office on May 14, 2007, constitute the duly elected, qualified and acting officials of the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Village Board deems it advisable and necessary for the benefit of the Village and the health, safety, and welfare of its residents to amend the Village of Melrose Park Municipal Code (the "Village Code") regarding fines for violation payment of fees for a Village license plate, label, sticker, or tag; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the President and the Board of Trustees of the Village of Melrose Park, County of Cook, State of Illinois, as follows:

**ARTICLE I.
IN GENERAL**

Section 01. Incorporation Clause.

All of the recitals hereinbefore stated as contained in the preambles to this Ordinance are full, true and correct, and the Village Board does hereby, by reference, incorporate and make them part of this Ordinance as legislative findings.

Section 02. Purpose.

The purpose of this Ordinance is to amend Subsections 10.12.070B and 10.12.070C of the Village Code regarding fines for violation payment of fees for a village license plate, label, sticker, or tag.

Section 03. Invocation of Authority.

This Ordinance is enacted pursuant to the authority granted to the Village by the Constitution of the State of Illinois and the Illinois Compiled Statutes.

Section 04. State Law Adopted.

All applicable provisions of the Illinois Compiled Statutes, including the Illinois Municipal Code, as may be amended from time to time, relating to the purposes of this Ordinance are hereby incorporated herein by reference.

Sections 05-09 Reserved.

**ARTICLE II.
AMENDMENTS TO CHAPTER 10.12.070.**

Section 10.00 Amendment to Subsection 10.12.070B.

That Subsection 10.12.070B of the Village Code is hereby amended, notwithstanding any provision, ordinance, resolution, or Village Code section to the contrary, which Section is amended to read as follows:

B. A violation of this section is an offense and the registered owner of the vehicle is subject to a fine of Forty and No/100 dollars (\$40.00) for each offense, and each day such violation shall continue shall be regarded as a separate offense.

Section 10.00 Amendment to Subsection 10.12.070C.

That Subsection 10.12.070C of the Village Code is hereby amended, notwithstanding any provision, ordinance, resolution, or Village Code section to the contrary, which Section is amended to read as follows:

C. The fine is due and shall be paid in full and received by the Village at the corporate offices of the Village on or before the due date of the citation, which date shall be ten (10) business days after the date of the violation. In the event the aforesaid fine is not received by the Village when due, the past due amount shall be Eighty and No/100 dollars (\$80.00) plus any other sum as may be allowed by law, including but not limited to the costs of collection.

Section 11.00 – Section 15.00 Reserved.

**ARTICLE III.
HEADINGS, SAVINGS CLAUSES,
PUBLICATION, EFFECTIVE DATE**

Section 16.00 Headings.

The headings for the articles, sections, paragraphs and sub-paragraphs of this Ordinance are inserted solely for the convenience of reference and form no substantive part of this Ordinance nor should they be used in any interpretation or construction of any substantive provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 17.00 Severability.

The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable and should any provision, clause, sentence, paragraph, sub-paragraph, section, or part of this Ordinance be determined to be in conflict with any law, statute or regulation by a court of competent jurisdiction, said provision, clause, sentence, paragraph, sub-paragraph, section, or part shall be

excluded and deemed inoperative, unenforceable, and as though not provided for herein, and all other provisions shall remain unaffected, unimpaired, valid and in full force and effect. It is hereby declared to be the legislative intent of the Village Board that this Ordinance would have been adopted had not such unconstitutional or invalid provision, clause, sentence, paragraph, sub-paragraph, section, or part thereof been included.

Section 18.00 Superseder.

All code provisions, ordinances, resolutions and orders, or parts thereof, in conflict herewith are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby superseded.

Section 19.00 Publication.

A full, true and complete copy of this Ordinance shall be published in pamphlet form or in a newspaper published and of general circulation within the Village as provided by the Illinois Municipal Code, as amended.

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Section 20.00 Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall be in full force on March 1, 2008, following its passage, approval and publication, as provided by law.

On The Individual Poll And Voice Vote Of The Board of Trustees:

AYE VOTES: Trustee Conteduca, Trustee Mota, Trustee Prignano,
Trustee Taconi

NAY VOTES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT: Trustee Italia, Trustee Klein

SO PASSED, ADOPTED, APPROVED AND ENACTED IN AND AT THE VILLAGE
OF MELROSE PARK, COUNTY OF COOK, STATE OF ILLINOIS, THIS TENTH DAY OF
SEPTEMBER, 2007, A.D.

APPROVED:



RONALD M. SERPICO
VILLAGE PRESIDENT

ATTEST:



Mary Ann Paolantonio Salemi
Village Clerk

(SEAL)

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