#### CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF COMSTOCK

#### **ORDINANCE NO. 503**

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**EFFECTIVE: UPON PUBLICATION AFTER ADOPTION** 

An Ordinance to amend the Comstock Charter Township Parking Violations Ordinance (Ordinance 186, as amended by Ordinance No. 496, which is also known as Section 56 of the Charter Township of Comstock Code of Ordinances) to allow for doubling of civil fines for violations of this Ordinance in certain cases, to provide other remedies, to repeal all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith and to provide an effective date.

#### THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF COMSTOCK

KALAMAZOO COUNTY, MICHIGAN,

**ORDAINS:** 

#### SECTION I

# AMENDMENT OF SECTION II OF THE COMSTOCK CHARTER TOWNSHIP PARKING VIOLATIONS ORDINANCE

A new Section 56.002.50 of the Comstock Charter Township Code of Ordinances, Section II.50 of the Comstock Charter Township Parking Violations Ordinance (Ordinance No. 186, as amended by Ordinance No. 496) is hereby added, which section shall read as follows:

56.002.50 Payment of Fines and Other Costs

"The above civil fines shall be doubled concerning any violator who fails to appear within ten days of the date of the violation. In cases where a Defendant has been found responsible by a court of law, the court may assess in addition to the civil fines provided above, costs and judgment fees as provided under Michigan law."

## SECTION II SEVERABILITY

The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable and if any clause, sentence, word, section or provision hereof is declared void or unenforceable for any reason, by any court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect any portion of this Ordinance other than said part or portion thereof.

# SECTION III REPEAL

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

# SECTION IV SAVINGS CLAUSE

Legal proceedings presently pending under the prior ordinance or any ordinance provision that is hereby repealed or replaced may proceed to judgment or decision and shall not be affected by this amendatory Ordinance.

### SECTION V EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance is effective upon publication after adoption.

Michelle Mohney, Clerk Charter Township of Comstock