RESOLUTION 2016-04
JUNK MOTOR VEHICLE RESOLUTION

Pursuant to the authority granted by Ohio Revised Code section 505.173, the Concord Township Board of Township Trustees hereby resolves that

No person shall openly store, park, or have any Junk Motor Vehicle on private or public property within the unincorporated territory of Concord Township for a period of 48 hours or longer. Whoever violates this resolution is guilty of a minor misdemeanor. Each day that a violation of this resolution continues constitutes a separate offense.

For the purposes of this Resolution, a “Junk Motor Vehicle” means a motor vehicle that meets all of the following criteria:

1. The motor vehicle is three model years or older; and
2. The motor vehicle is apparently inoperable; and
3. The motor vehicle is extensively damaged, including, but not limited to, any of the following: missing wheels, tires, engine, or transmission.

A licensed or unlicensed collector’s vehicle that meets the above criteria is also a “Junk Motor Vehicle”.

This Resolution does not apply to the operations of a scrap metal processing facility licensed under R.C. Sections 4737.05 to 4737.12; a motor vehicle salvage dealer, salvage motor vehicle auction, or salvage motor vehicle pool licensed under R.C. Chapter 4737; a business providing towing or recovery services pursuant to R.C. sections 4513.60 to 4531.63; and instances where the person having the right to the possession of property can establish that the junk motor vehicle is part of a bona fide commercial operation.

Nothing in this Resolution is intended to limit the ability of the Concord Township Board of Township Trustees to institute other remedies provided by law including an action for injunction, mandamus, or abatement, or any other appropriate action or proceeding to prohibit the storage of junk motor vehicles in violation of the Resolution or pertinent Ohio Revised Code sections.

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Attest:
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Date: