ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA AMENDING CHAPTER 23 OF THE SANTA BARBARA COUNTY CODE

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, ordains as follows:

SECTION 1

The following sections of Chapter 23 of the Santa Barbara County Code are hereby amended to read as hereinafter set forth:

Sec. 23-13.1. - Parking for more than seventy-two consecutive hours—**Prohibited.** No person shall park or leave standing any vehicle upon any street or highway within the county for a period of seventy-two or more consecutive hours.

Sec. 23-13.2. - Same—Removal of unlawfully parked vehicles.

Pursuant to section 22651(k) of the California Vehicle Code, as it presently exists or may hereafter be amended or renumbered, any officer described in that section is hereby authorized to and may remove or cause to be removed any unattended vehicle from any street or highway to the nearest garage or other place of safety or to a garage designated or maintained by the governmental agency when such vehicle has been parked or left standing upon any street or highway for a period of seventy-two or more consecutive hours.

In the event of such removal as authorized herein such officer so removing such vehicle, or causing same to be removed, shall give notice as provided in sections 22852 through 22854 of the California Vehicle Code, and the keeper of any garage in which such vehicle is stored may have a lien thereon for his compensation for towage and for caring for and keeping safe such vehicle and may satisfy such lien in compliance with and under the conditions stated in such section 22851 of the Vehicle Code of the state.

SECTION 2.

Those sections of Chapter 23 not set forth in this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 3. Publication and Effective Date.

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force thirty (30) days from the date of its passage; and before the expiration of fifteen (15) days after its passage it, or a summary of it, shall be published once, with the names of the members of the Board of Supervisors voting for and against the same, in a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Santa Barbara, as set forth in Government Code Section 25124.

[Signatures on following page]

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this day of ______, 2012, by the following votes:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAINING:

ATTEST: CHANDRA L. WALLAR CLERK OF THE BOARD

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

By:

Doreen Farr, Chairperson Board of Supervisors

APPROVED AS TO FORM: DENNIS A. MARSHALL COUNTY COUNSEL

By: _

By: ____

Deputy

Deputy County Counsel