

**ORDINANCE NO. 983**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP  
OF SPRINGFIELD (THE CODE) CHAPTER 92,  
“STREETS AND SIDEWALKS”, TO REVISE ARTICLE II, SNOW AND ICE  
REMOVAL, SECTION 92-22, VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES**

IT IS HEREBY ENACTED AND ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF  
COMMISSIONERS OF SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PA AS  
FOLLOWS:

**SECTION 1.** That the Code of the Township of Springfield, Chapter 92 “Streets and Sidewalks”, Section 92-22, Violations and Penalties, Subsections A and B shall be amended in their entirety to read as follows:

§92-22 Violations and Penalties.

- A. Any property owner who violates §92-21 and who shall fail to keep the sidewalk(s) free and clear of snow and ice or shall fail to treat such surface with suitable antiskid material for the safety of pedestrians shall be given, by any Police Officer or Code Enforcement Officer of Springfield Township, a written warning indicating the nature of the offense. No prosecution shall be instituted for 24 hours thereafter if, during the twenty-four-hour period, the offender shall clear the snow or ice. In the event that such property owner fails to comply with such warning, the offense will thereafter be prosecuted in accordance with Subsection B of this section.
- B. Any property owner violating Subsection A of this section or any other provisions of this article shall, upon conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine not to exceed the maximum fine of \$500 per day for each day the violation is found to exist.

**SECTION 2.** The provisions of this ordinance are severable, and if any section, sentence, clause, part or provision hereof shall be held illegal, invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision of the court shall not affect or impair the remaining sections, sentences, clauses, parts or provisions of this Ordinance. It is hereby declared to be the intent of the Board of Commissioners that this Ordinance would have been adopted even if such illegal, invalid or unconstitutional section, sentence, clause, part or provision had not been included herein

**SECTION 3.** The failure of the Township to enforce any provision of this Ordinance shall not constitute a waiver of the Township of its rights of future enforcement hereunder.

**SECTION 4.** This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval as required by the law.

**SECTION 5.** All other Ordinances and Resolutions or parts thereof insofar as they are inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

**ORDAINED and ENACTED** by the Board of Commissioners of Springfield Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April of 2026.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF  
SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Susanna O. Ratsavong, President

ATTEST:

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A.Michael Taylor, Secretary