

ORDINANCE NO. 78-3

AN ORDINANCE DIRECTING THE REMOVAL OF
ALL PARKING METERS IN THE CITY OF RUSSELLVILLE
AND PRESCRIBING TIME LIMITS FOR PARKING SPACES WITHIN
THE CITY AND PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION
OF OVERTIME PARKING

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of
Russellville that:

(1) All parking meters in the City of Russellville shall be removed after the effective date of this ordinance. The spaces shall be appropriately marked as determined by a motion passed by a majority of the members of the City Council, such as motion and subsequent motions appertaining thereto are hereby ratified in advance by this council.

(2) The time limit for parking at any one appropriately marked space shall be two hours, which shall be checked regularly. The purpose of this ordinance is to promote the economic climate of Russellville and thereby increase the revenue to the City generated by increase in economic activity. Therefore, it shall be a violation of this ordinance for any person to repeatedly occupy spaces within the city so as to occupy those spaces collectively for more than six hours in any one day.


(3) Any person who causes a motor vehicle to be placed in parking spaces for any time in excess of that permitted by Section (2) hereof and/or the owner of any vehicle that is placed in parking spaces for any time in excess of that permitted by Section (2) hereof shall be deemed in violation of this ordinance and shall be fined not less than Two dollars (\$2.00) nor more than Ten dollars (\$10.00). The fine shall be Two and no/100 (\$2.00) if paid within seventy-two (72) hours after the time of commission of the offense but less than seven (7) days after the commission of the offense. If not paid within seven (7) days after the commission of the offense, the violator shall upon conviction be fined not less than Three dollars (\$3.00) nor more than Ten dollars (\$10.00). These funds shall be paid into the general fund of the City of Russellville. The city council may make such regulations as are needed to enforce this ordinance.

(4) The terms and provisions of this ordinance are severable and in the event any provisions are found to be in valid, the remaining provisions shall continue in force and effect.

(5) All prior ordinances or actions of the City Council in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed only to the extent of that conflict.

(6) This ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage and final publication in accordance with law.

Adopted by roll call vote this 16th day of May, 1978.



Mayor

ATTEST:



CITY CLERK