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Local Law #6 of 1990, Establishing Traffic Regulations within the Village of Evans Mills

Section 1: Statement of Authority:

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Evans Mills, County of Jefferson, State of New York, pursuant to the provisions of Article 4 of the Village Law, Article 16 of the Vehicle & Traffic Law of the State of New York and Section 10 of the Municipal Home Rule Law of the State of New York do hereby make, ordain and enact as follows:

Section 2: Statement of Purpose and Findings:

The Village Board of Trustees of the Village of Evans Mills hereby finds that in order to properly regulate traffic in the Village of Evans Mills and to provide for the safety of the residents of the Village it is necessary to establish reasonable rules and regulations for the use of village streets including no parking areas.

Section 3: Definitions:

The words and phrases used in this law shall for the purpose of this law have the meanings respectively ascribed to them by Article 1 of the Vehicle & Traffic Law of the State of New York.

Section 4: Authority to Install Traffic Control Devices:

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Evans Mills shall install and maintain traffic control devices when and as required under the provisions of this law to make effective the provisions of this law and may install and maintain such additional traffic control devices as it may deem necessary to regulate, warn or guide traffic under the Vehicle & Traffic Law of the State of New York subject to the provisions of Sections 1682 and 1684 of that law.

Section 5: Traffic Control Devices = Schedule:

- A. LeRay Street from the Village limits to its intersection with Main Street and its continuation at Noble Street from Main Street to the intersection of Factory and Willow Streets is hereby designated as a thru highway.
- B. A flashing signal shall be installed at the intersection of Main Street and LeRay and Noble Streets with flashing red indications displayed north and south on Main Street and flashing yellow indications displayed east on LeRay Street and west on Noble Street.

Section 6: Parking, Standing & Stopping:

Except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic, or when in compliance with law or the directions of a police officer or official traffic control device, no person shall stop, stand or park a vehicle:

- 1. On the roadway side of any vehicle stopped, standing or parked at the edge or curb of a street (double parking);
- 2. On a sidewalk or crosswalk;
- 3. On any railroad tracks;
- 4. In any area marked "NO PARKING";
- 5. In any Handicap Parking Areas unless a special permit or license is issued;
- 6. Improperly with regard to the lines designated for parking of vehicles;
- 7. In front of a public or private driveway;
- 8. Within fifteen feet of a fire hydrant except when such vehicle is attended by a licensed operator who can immediately move such vehicle in case of an emergency, unless a different distance is indicated by official signs or markings;
- 9. In the opposite direction of the lawful traffic flow;
- 10. On all highways within the Village between the hours of 2:00am eastern standard time and 6:00am eastern standard time from November 1st to April 1st of each year;
- 11. At an angle of ninety (90 degrees) with the sidewalk except where designated by parking signs or lines;
- 12. In front of any building housing emergency vehicles;
- 13. In any way that will obstruct vehicular or pedestrian traffic.

Any vehicle in violation of this section may be towed.

Section 7: Truck Exclusions:

- A. Trucks in excess of five (5) tons are hereby excluded from the following highways within the village of Evans Mills:
 - 1. Church Street
 - 2. Peck Street
 - 3. Main Street from its intersection with LeRay and Noble Streets southerly to the southerly corporate Village limits.
- B. This section shall not be construed to prevent the delivery or pick-up of merchandise or other property along the highways from which such vehicles and combinations are otherwise excluded.

Section 8: Truck Route System:

A. A truck route system upon which all trucks, tractors and tractor trailer combinations having a total gross weight in excess of five (5) tons are permitted to travel and operate, shall consist of the following highways:

1. Willow Street & Factory Street
2. Noble Street from its intersection with Factory Street and to its intersection with Main Street.
3. LeRay Street from its intersection with Main Street to the easterly corporate limits.
4. Cemetery Street
5. Main Street from its intersection with LeRay and Noble Streets to the northerly corporate limits.

B. All trucks, tractors and tractor trailer combinations having a total gross weight in excess of five (5) tons are hereby excluded from all highways within the village, except from those highways listed in sub-section A, except that this exclusion shall not be construed to prevent the delivery or pick-up of merchandise or other property along the highway from which such vehicles and combinations are excluded.

Section 9: Penalties:

Any person convicted of a traffic infraction for a violation of any provision of this law shall for a first conviction thereof be punished by a fine of not more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) or by imprisonment for not more than fifteen (15) days or by both such fine and imprisonment; for a second such conviction within eighteen (18) months thereafter such person shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) or by imprisonment for not more than fifteen (15) days or by both such fine and imprisonment; and for a third or subsequent violation within an eighteen (18) month period by a fine not to exceed two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) or by imprisonment for a term not to exceed fifteen (15) days or by both such fine and imprisonment; except that violation of Section 6 of this law shall be subject to a fine of ten dollars (\$10.00) for the first violation; except violation of Section 6 - Sub-section A. (5), (8), or (12) the minimum fine for a first offense shall be twenty dollars (\$20.00). Subsequent violations of Section 6 may result in fines being doubled.

Section 10: Repealer:

All ordinances or parts of ordinances or local laws of the Village of Evans Mills inconsistent with the provisions of this local law are hereby repealed.

Section 11 Severability:

If any part or parts of this law shall be held to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this law.

Section 12: EFFECTIVE DATE:

This local law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State except any part or parts of this law which are subject to approval under Section 1684 of the Vehicle & Traffic Law of the State of New York and Section 46 of the Highway Law of the State of New York shall take effect from and

after the day on which approval in writing is received from both the New York State Traffic Law Commission and the New York State Department of Public Work