AN ORDINANCE TO APPROVE, ADOPT AND ENACT NEW TRAFFIC AND GENERAL OFFENSES CODES AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, Council wishes to adopt new Traffic and General Offenses Codes to comply with current State law; and

WHEREAS, it has authorized the Walter H. Drane Company to prepare and publish such new Codes; and

WHEREAS, publication of the new Traffic and General Offenses Codes has been completed and such Codes are presently before Council;

NEW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of the Village of Magnetic Springs, State of Ohio, that:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> The Traffic and General Offenses Codes of the Village of Magnetic Springs, Ohio, as revised, rearranged and consolidated into component chapters and sections are hereby approved, adopted and enacted as the Traffic and General Offenses Codes of Magnetic Springs, Ohio, 1992.

One book-form copy of the Traffic and General Offenses Codes shall be certified as correct by the Mayor and the Clerk of Council, attached to this Ordinance as a part hereof, and filed with the permanent ordinance records of the Village.

SECTION 2. The provisions of this Ordinance, including all provisions of the Traffic and General Offenses Codes shall be in full force and effect from and immediately after passage of this Ordinance. All ordinances or parts thereof enacted prior to the passage of this Ordinance which are inconsistent with any provision of the Traffic and General Offenses Codes are hereby repealed as of the effective date of this Ordinance except as follows: The enactment of the Traffic and General Offenses Codes shall not be construed to affect a right or liability accrued or incurred under any legislative provisions prior to the effective date of such enactment, or an action or proceeding for the enforcement of such right or liability. Such enactment shall not be construed to relieve any person from punishment for an act committed in violation of any such legislative provisions, nor to affect an indictment or prosecution therefor. For such purposes, any such legislative provisions shall continue in full force notwithstanding their repeal for the purpose of adopting new Traffic and General Offenses Codes.

SECTION 3. A succinct summary of this Ordinance shall be published by the Clerk of Council. The publication shall contain notice that the complete text of this Ordinance may be obtained or viewed, and the Traffic and General Offenses Codes viewed, at the office of the Clerk of Council and may be viewed at any other location designated by Council. The Village Solicitor shall review the summary prior to forwarding it to the Clerk for publication to ensure that the summary is legally accurate and sufficient.

<u>SECTION 4.</u> This Ordinance is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the health, safety and welfare of the residents of the Village for the reason that there exists an imperative necessity for the adoption of new Traffic and General Offenses Codes, the provisions of which are in conformity with State law as required by Article XVIII, Section 3 of the Ohio Constitution.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall become effective at the earliest time allowed by law. Passed this 7th day of May, 1992.

MAYOR

CLERK