

COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LA PLATA
Ordinance No. 08-13

Introduced By: Mayor Roy G. Hale

Date Introduced: August 26, 2008

Amendments Adopted:

Date Adopted: September 23, 2008

Date Effective: October 9, 2008

1 **An Ordinance** concerning

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3 **Parking Violation Fines**

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5 **FOR** the purpose of providing for an increase in the amount of fines for parking violations;
6 providing that the provisions of this Ordinance are severable; and all matters generally relating
7 thereto.

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11 **BY** repealing and reenacting with amendments
12 Chapter 181 – Vehicles and Traffic
13 Section 181-4C.
14 Code of the Town of La Plata
15 (1998 Edition and Supplements)

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17 **SECTION 1: BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LA PLATA**
18 that Section 181-4C.. of the Code of the Town of La Plata (1998 Edition and supplements) be and it
19 is hereby repealed and reenacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

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21 **Chapter 181 VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC**
22 **Article I. General Provisions**

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24 **181-4 Notice of violation; fines; trial.**

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26 C. There is hereby assessed a fine in the amount of ((fifteen)) FIFTY dollars ((((\$15.))) (\$50.) when a
27 vehicle is found stopped, standing or parked in violation of Subsection A hereof, except that the fine
28 for a violation of § 181-3A(13) is ((twenty-five)) ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY dollars ((((\$25.)))
29 (\$150.), and the fine for a violation of § 181-3A(14) is TWO HUNDRED AND fifty dollars ((((\$50.)))
30 (\$250.). The fine is payable to the Clerk of the Town of La Plata by the registered owner of the

31 vehicle so stopped, standing or parked or, if the violator is a pedestrian, by the pedestrian within
32 twenty (20) calendar days of the time of the receipt of the citation as mentioned in the notice of
33 violation affixed to the vehicle or given to the pedestrian, in the form and manner prescribed in
34 Subsection B hereof. It shall be unlawful for any registered owner of a motor vehicle cited for
35 violation of Subsection A to fail to pay the aforementioned fine or fail to elect to stand trial as
36 provided in this chapter.

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38 **SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED**, That if any provision of this Ordinance,
39 or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason, such invalidity
40 shall not affect the other provisions or any other application of this Ordinance which can be given
41 effect without the invalid provisions or application, and to this end, all the provisions of this
42 Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

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44 **SECTION 3: AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED** that this Ordinance shall become
45 effective at expiration of fifteen (15) calendar days after its approval by the Council.

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47 **ADOPTED** this 23rd day of September, 2008.
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SEAL:

COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LA PLATA

Roy G. Hale, Mayor

James Goldsmith, Councilman

Scot D. Lucas, Councilman

ATTEST:

Paretta D. Mudd, Councilwoman

Judith T. Frazier, Town Clerk

Vic E. Newman, Councilman

Date _____

EXPLANATION:
CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.
((Double Parenthesis)) indicate matter deleted from existing law.
Underlining indicates amendments to bill.
~~Strike Out~~ indicates matter stricken from bill by amendment or deleted from the law by amendment.