ORDINANCE NO. 2008-03

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREEN ISLE, MINNESOTA TO PROMOTE THE PUBLIC SAFETY, HEALTH AND WELFARE, HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE PARKING OF MOTOR VEHICLES DURING SNOW STORMS.

Section 1. In cases where a snow fall of an average of at least 2 inches has occurred in the City of Green Isle, no motor vehicles, trailers, machines or any other items which would impede the clearing of snow, shall be parked or placed on public rights of way, including streets, alleyways and public parking lots, until such time as this snow has been removed from said rights of way by the contractor hired by the city for that purpose.

Section 2. Any police officer who finds a motor vehicle, trailer, machinery or other object in violation of this section is authorized under this ordinance to have the item removed at the owner's expense, to be taken and stored at an impound location designated by the city. In addition to the cost of removal, the owner shall also be liable for any storage charges incurred at the impound facility. In addition, the owner may be cited by the police officer for a violation of this ordinance, which shall be considered a Petty Misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of no more than \$300.00, or such higher amount as prescribed in Minnesota Statute 609.0332 or any law amending or replacing said state law.

Section 3. This Ordinance replaces Ordinance 2001-13 and any other ordinances inconsistent with this Ordinance.

This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon publication.

By Randal S. Bruegger
Its Mayor

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Its City Clerk-Treasurer

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