

**ORDINANCE NUMBER 5 OF 2017**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THROOP BOROUGH, COUNTY OF LACKAWANNA,  
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, RESTRICTING TRUCK TRAFFIC ON  
LINE STREET**

**WHEREAS**, a Throop Borough property owner on Line Street complained to Borough Council that he/she sustained property damage on several occasions from a semi-trailer traveling East on Line Street attempting to negotiate a left hand turn onto Esther Street;

**WHEREAS**, as a result of the above, Throop Borough Council ordered a engineering and traffic study to be performed in accordance with Pa. DOT Publication 201;

**WHEREAS**, vehicles may be prohibited or restricted if it has been determined that the movement of certain vehicles constitute a safety hazard;

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Robert Kalinoski performed an engineering and traffic study on Line Street in accordance with Pa. DOT Publication 201 considering accident analysis, capacity analysis and geometric review; and,

**WHEREAS**, it is Throop Borough's Council intention to incorporate Mr. Kalinoski's recommendations which appear in his report dated August 10, 2017.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL  
OF THE BOROUGH OF THROOP AS FOLLOWS:**

1. The existing turning radii conditions at each of the intersections warrant the restriction of combination truck and tractor-semi trailer units from traveling beyond Line Street.
2. Installation of signage indicating "No Trucks" (R5-2) accompanied by "Over 30 Feet" (R5-2-4) and "Except Local Deliveries" (R5-2-3) at the intersection of Line Street with the O'Neil Highway.
3. The erection of additional supplemental signage indicating "Trucks Over 30 Feet Long" (R3-102P) accompanied by a "No Left Turn" (R3-2) sign in advance of each of the intersecting local side streets and along the East bound lane of Line Street.
4. The engineering and traffic study dated August 10, 2017 is attached hereto and marked as Exhibit "A".

**SECTION 1.**

If any section, clause, provision or portion of this ordinance shall be held invalid or unconstitutional by any Court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect any other section, clause, provision or portion of this Ordinance so long as it remains legally enforceable minus the invalid portion. The Borough of Throop reserves the right to amend this Ordinance or any portion thereof from time to time as it shall deem advisable in the best interests of the promotion of the purposes and intent of this Ordinance and the effective administration thereof.

**SECTION 2.**

This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its enactment.

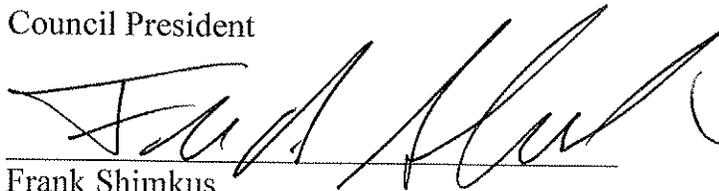
**SECTION 3.**

This Ordinance is enacted by the Council of the Borough of Throop under the authority of the Act of the Legislative, as amended, December 12, 1990, P.L. 1994, No. 220, and any other applicable law arising under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

**ORDAINED AND ENACTED** this 11<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2017.



Rich Kucharski  
Council President



Frank Shimkus  
Mayor

Attest:



Renee O'Malley  
Secretary