

**ORDINANCE 20220913**

**ORDINANCE FOR THE TOWN OF BRIGHTON TO ADOPT BY REFERENCE STATE TRAFFIC OFFENSES AND RULES OF THE ROAD.**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF BRIGHTON, TENNESSEE, ADOPTING BY REFERENCE STATE TRAFFIC OFFENSES AND RULES OF THE ROAD.**

WHEREAS the Board of Mayor and Aldermen desires to adopt by reference state traffic offenses, registration requirements and rules of the road; and

WHEREAS the Tennessee General Assembly amended the laws pertaining to adoption of state laws by municipalities by reference, by changing the statute under which such adoption is made and by further specifying that only Class C misdemeanors may be adopted by municipalities and enforced as municipal ordinance violations;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, that


Section 1. The following shall be adopted as an Ordinance of the Town of Brighton:

Adoption of state traffic statutes. By the authority granted under Tennessee Code Annotated § 16-18-302, the Town of Brighton adopts by reference as if fully set forth in this section, the "Rules of the Road," as codified in Tennessee Code Annotated §§ 55-8-101 through 55-8-131 and §§ 55-8-133 through 55-8-180. Additionally, the Town of Brighton adopts Tennessee Code Annotated §§ 55-4-101 through 55-4-128, §§ 55-4-130 through 55-4-133, §§ 55-4-135 through 55-4-138, §§ 55-8-181 through 55-8-191, § 55-8-193, § 55-8-199, §§ 55-9-401 through 55-9-408, §§ 55-9-601 through 55-9-606, § 55-12-139, and § 55-50-351, by reference as if fully set forth in this section.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect upon its final reading, the public welfare requiring it.

FIRST READING: August 9, 2022

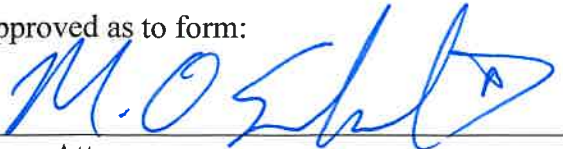
SECOND READING: September 13, 2022

  
Mayor Stephanie Chapman Washam

ATTEST:

  
Tammy McKinney, Town Recorder

Approved as to form:

  
Town Attorney