

ORDINANCE NO. _____

**AN ORDINANCE TO DEFINE BICYCLES AND
BICYCLE LANES AND TO MAKE PARTS OF
WASHINGTON STREET, JEFFERSON STREET,
MADISON STREET AND JACKSON
STREET ONE-WAY STREETS,
AND TO ESTABLISH BICYCLE LANES ON
SAID ONE-WAY STREETS AND ON MONROE STREET**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Kosciusko, Attala County, Mississippi, in a regular monthly meeting on this the 7th day of June, 2016, as follows, to-wit:

(A) The term “bicycle lane” means a portion of a street that has been designated by striping, pavement markings, or signage for the exclusive or preferential use of persons operating bicycles.

(B) The term “bicycle” means every device propelled by human power upon which any person may ride.

(C) Monroe Street.

Monroe Street between Wells Street and Huntington Street shall be a two-way street, and parking shall only be allowed on said street as follows:

1. On both sides of said street from Wells Street to Madison Street;
2. No parking shall be allowed on either side of Monroe Street from Madison Street to Jackson Street; and,
3. Parking shall only be allowed on the South side of Monroe Street from Jackson Street to Huntington Street.

Bicycle lanes shall be installed on both sides of said street so that bicycle traffic can travel in both directions on said street.

(D) Jefferson Street.

Jefferson Street from Wells Street to Huntington Street shall be a one-way street and all motor vehicles shall travel only in an easterly direction on said street, except that an eleven (11) foot firelane shall be designated on the North side of Jefferson Street from the Attala County Fire Department building to Wells Street for use by the Attala County Fire Department.

No vehicles shall park on the North side of Jefferson Street from Wells Street to Madison Street, or from Jackson Street to Huntington Street.

A bicycle lane shall be installed on Jefferson Street from Wells Street to Huntington Street, and all bicycles shall use said bicycle lanes. Bicycles using said bicycle lane may only use said bicycle lane to go in an easterly direction on Jefferson Street.

(E) Washington Street.

(1) Washington Street from Huntington Street to Wells Street shall be a one-way street and all motor vehicles shall travel only in a westerly direction on said street.

(2) No vehicles shall park on the North side of Washington Street from Huntington Street to the Western property line of the Kosciusko City Hall as described in Attala County, Mississippi, Land Deed Book 611, at page 634 thereof, where it joins the eastern property line of Mrs. Lillie D. Brown as described in Attala County, Mississippi, Land Deed Book 467, at page 207 thereof.

(3) No vehicles shall park on the South side of Washington Street from the eastern property line of the Mrs. Lillie D. Brown's property as described in Attala County, Mississippi, Land Deed Book 467, at page 207 thereof, to its

intersection with Jackson Street, EXCEPT ON SUNDAYS AND FOR WEDDINGS AND FUNERALS.

(4) No motor vehicles shall park on the South side of Washington Street from Madison Street to Cheek's Alley on the South side of said street.

(5) Parking shall be permitted on both sides of Washington Street from Cheek's Alley to Wells Street.

(6) A bicycle lane shall be placed on Washington Street from Huntington Street to Wells Street, and all bicycle traffic shall use said bicycle lane. Bicycles using said lane may only use said bicycle lane to go in a westerly direction.

(F) Jackson Street.

Jackson Street from Monroe Street to Adams Street shall be a one-way street and all motor vehicles shall travel only in a northerly direction on said part of said street.

No vehicles shall park on the West side of Jackson Street from Monroe Street to Jefferson Street.

No vehicles shall park on the West side of Jackson Street from Washington Street to Adams Street.

A bicycle lane shall be installed on Jackson Street from Monroe Street to Adams Street and all bicycle traffic shall use said bicycle lane. Bicycles using said lane may only use said bicycle lane to go in a northerly direction.

(G) Natchez Street.

Natchez Street shall be a one-way street from Adams Street to Monroe Street and all motor vehicles shall travel only in a southerly direction on said street.

Parking shall be permitted only on the West side of Natchez Street from Adams Street to Jefferson Street and on both sides of Natchez Street from Jefferson Street to Monroe Street.

A bicycle lane shall be installed from Adams Street to Monroe Street and all bicycle traffic shall use said bicycle lane. Bicycles using said lane may only use said bicycle lane to go in a southerly direction.

(H) Madison Street.

Madison Street shall be a one-way street from Adams Street to Monroe Street and all motor vehicles shall travel only in a southerly direction on said street.

Parking shall be permitted on both sides of Madison Street from Adams Street to Jefferson Street.

Parking shall only be permitted on the West side of Madison Street from Jefferson Street to Monroe Street.

A bicycle lane shall be installed on Madison Street from Adams Street to Monroe Street, and all bicycle traffic shall use said bicycle lane. Bicycles using said lane may only use said bicycle lane to go in a southerly direction.

(I) Motor Vehicles to Yield.

When a street has a bicycle lane the operator of a motor vehicle shall not block the lane to oncoming bicycle traffic and shall yield to a bicyclist in the bicycle lane before entering or crossing the lane.

Bicycle lanes, however, may be used by motor vehicles for temporary loading and unloading of said vehicles.

(J) Penalty.

Any violation of this Ordinance shall be a misdemeanor and shall be punishable in the manner provided by Section 8-8 of the Kosciusko Municipal Code.

(K) Effective Date.

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect one month after passage.

This ordinance shall be signed by the Mayor, certified by the City Clerk, recorded in the Ordinance Book, and published one time in the *Star Herald*.

The provisions of this ordinance shall be included and incorporated in the Municipal Code of the City of Kosciusko, Mississippi as an addition or amendment thereto and shall be appropriately renumbered to conform to the uniform numbering system of said Code.