

ORDINANCE NUMBER: 06-3A
Of
THE VILLAGE OF MAURICE
Vermilion Parish, Louisiana

Exhaust Assisted Braking Prohibited:

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Village of Maurice, Louisiana, acting as governing authority of said Village that:

The Village of Maurice, Louisiana, does hereby establish that:

Exhaust Assisted Braking Prohibited:

- (a) **Definition:** A device which utilizes the power of an engine to produce a power absorbing and retarding effect to assist the slowing or braking of a vehicle (commonly known as “Jake Brakes”) which increases engine noise and sound through the exhaust system while in use.
- (b) **Prohibition:** It shall be unlawful to operate or use engine powered braking devices within the corporate limits of the **Village of Maurice, Louisiana.**
- (c) **Exception:** The provisions of this section shall not apply to emergency vehicles or equipment.
- (d) **Penalty:** Any person upon conviction shall be subject to a fine of not less than **\$100.00** and not more than **\$500.00** and may be incarcerated for not more than **30 days, or both.**

The provisions of this ordinance shall become effective after having been approved, in writing, by the **Department of Transportation and Development** in accordance with the provisions of **Louisiana Revised Statute 32:41(C)** and **ten (10) days after** signs giving notice of said local traffic regulation have been posted at all highways entering the corporate limits of the **Village of Maurice.**

WHEREUPON, the above Ordinance was read section by section, and was submitted to a vote, the vote thereon being as follows:

YEAS: _____

NAYS: _____

ABSENT OR PRESENT AND NOT VOTING: _____

The above Ordinance was declared adopted on this 15th day of March, 2006, at Maurice, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

THE VILLAGE OF MAURICE

By: _____
Barbara L. Picard, Mayor

By: _____
Melanie Denais, Clerk

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I, **Melanie Denais**, City Clerk of the Village of Maurice, do hereby certify that the above is a true and exact copy of an ordinance adopted by the Board of Alderman of the Village of Maurice duly assembled in Maurice, Louisiana on **March 15, 2006**, at which time a quorum was present and voting.

SIGNED on this _____ day of _____, 2006, at Maurice, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

VILLAGE OF MAURICE

By: _____
MELANIE DENAIS, CITY CLERK