



HOUSE BILL No. 5476

December 12, 1995, Introduced by Reps. Hanley, Gire, Cherry, Tesanovich, Scott, Stallworth, Freeman, Dobronski, Brewer, Martinez, Parks and Brackenridge and referred to the Committee on Local Government.

A bill to amend section 1 of Act No. 58 of the Public Acts of 1945, entitled as amended

"An act to authorize the county board of commissioners to establish and maintain parking lots; to promulgate regulations for the operation of the parking lots; and to prescribe civil sanctions," being section 46.201 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Section 1 of Act No. 58 of the Public Acts of
2 1945, being section 46.201 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is
3 amended to read as follows:

4 Sec. 1. (1) The county board of commissioners of a county
5 ~~of this state~~ may maintain and regulate parking lots on land
6 owned by the county and enact regulations for the safe and proper
7 use of those parking lots for the general public, including ~~—~~
8 the charging of fees for parking; the placing of traffic signs,
9 signals, parking gates, meters, and other controls; ~~—~~ and the

1 direction and establishment of time parking zone spaces where
2 parking signs, signals, meters, gates, or other devices and con-
3 trols may be installed. The board may establish civil sanctions
4 for the violation of the regulations, not to exceed a fine of
5 ~~\$10.00~~ \$25.00.

6 (2) This act ~~shall~~ DOES not apply to a county or regional
7 park.

8 (3) A violation of the regulations made in accordance with
9 this act may be treated as a nuisance and abated by a police
10 officer by impoundment of the vehicle involved, by notice of vio-
11 lation, or by removal to a designated motor vehicle pound to be
12 returned only upon payment of reasonable impoundment fees.

13 (4) Violation of a regulation made in accordance with this
14 act shall be processed in the same manner as a civil infraction
15 under THE MICHIGAN VEHICLE CODE, Act No. 300 of the Public Acts
16 of 1949, ~~as amended,~~ being sections 257.1 to 257.923 of the
17 Michigan Compiled Laws.