# VILLAGE OF HILLSIDE, ILINOIS

# EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2023-01

# DECLARING A POLICY PROHIBITING UNSCHEDULED INTERCITY BUSES

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Hillside, Illinois (the "Village") is committed to protecting the health, safety, and welfare of individuals residing in and visiting the Village; and

**WHEREAS**, it is in the best interests of the Village, its employees, and its residents to establish a policy for the stopping, standing, and parking of unscheduled intercity buses and the discharge of passengers within the Village (the "Policy"); and

**WHEREAS**, the unscheduled unloading of passengers in inclement or severe weather conditions pose a significant threat to the health, safety, and welfare of said passengers; and

**WHEREAS**, time is of the essence due to the expected inclement weather within the Chicago Metropolitan area during the coming months and the immediate increase in demands on Village resources resulting from the unscheduled discharge of said passengers within the Village;

**WHEREAS**, unscheduled intercity and out-of-state bus and motor coach operators have been attempting to avoid compliance with the policies of neighboring municipalities regarding the permitting requirements for unscheduled intercity buses; and

**NOW, THEREFORE,** by the powers vested in me as the Village President of the Village of Hillside, Illinois, I hereby establish the Policy, as set forth in Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein.

**SECTION 1:** Effective immediately, I, the Village President of the Village of Hillside, Illinois, delegate to the Chief of Police the authority to take any and all lawful action necessary to protect the health, safety and welfare of the residents and corporate citizens of the Village, including, but not limited to, the enforcement of the Policy, as set forth in Exhibit A to this Executive Order and the authority to cite and take other appropriate measures against the persons who disobey this Order or the Policy after due notice, either oral or written has been given.

**SECTION 2:** This Order is declared effective immediately and shall remain in effect unless otherwise lawfully modified, amended, rescinded, or superseded.

**SECTION 3:** This Executive Order shall be distributed in accordance with applicable law.

**SECTION 4:** This Executive Order is not intended to, and does not, except as specifically set forth herein, create any right or benefit, substantive or procedural, enforceable at law or in equity by any party against the Village, its departments, agencies, or entities, its officers, employees, or agents, or any other person. This Executive Order shall be deposited and kept immediately available on file for inspection in the office of the Village Clerk.

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Linda Gould, Village Clerk

# EXHIBIT A

### POLICY OF THE VILLAGE OF HILLSIDE PROHIBITNG UNSCHEDULED INTERCITY BUSES

### I. <u>Definitions</u>

For the purposes of this Policy, these definitions shall apply.

a. "Chief of Police" means the Hillside Chief of Police.

b. "Hotel" and "Motel" means any hotel, motel, motor lodge, auto court or lodging house licensed by the Village to conduct business.

c. "Regularly scheduled service bus service" means intercity and/or interstate bus or motor coach service that operates trips on a predictable and recurring basis, following a schedule that is published in advance and available to the general public, and provides service in exchange for paying a fare.

d. "Unscheduled intercity bus service" means the operator of any bus or motor coach service used for the transportation of persons to the Village of Hillside from locations outside of the Chicago-Metropolitan area and/or out-of-state.

e. "Village" shall mean the Village of Hillside, Illinois.

### II. Drop-Offs Within The Village

Operators of unscheduled intercity bus or motor coach services are prohibited from dropping off or discharging passengers within the Village

#### III. Drop-Offs at Hotels and Motels

If the operator of any unscheduled intercity bus or motor coach attempts to or does unload passengers at any hotel or motel in the Village, the hotel/motel operator must immediately contact the Chief of Police and inform the operator of the unscheduled intercity bus that his company is in violation of this Policy.

# IV. <u>Penaltv.</u>

Any operator of an unscheduled intercity bus that attempts to or does in fact load/unload passengers without an approved application shall be subject to a \$750.00 fine per passenger upon the intercity bus operator.

# V. Additional Remedies

In lieu of any penalty for the first offense of this Policy, the operator of any unscheduled intercity bus service will be escorted by Village Police to an approve drop -off location within the Chicago Metropolitan area.