

CHAPTER 305  
Traffic Control

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CROSS REFERENCES

- Power to designate highway as included in a freeway, expressway or thruway - see Ohio R.C. 4511.011
- Power to enact local traffic regulations - see Ohio R.C. 4511.07, 4511.61
- Local traffic control devices - see Ohio R.C. 4511.11
- Alteration of prima-facie speed limits - see Ohio R.C. 4511.21, 4511.22(A), 4511.23
- Designation of through streets and erection of stop or yield signs - see Ohio R.C. 4511.65; TRAF. 313.02

305.01 DIRECTOR OF SAFETY TO PLACE TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES AND MARKINGS.

(a) The Director of Safety shall place and maintain traffic control devices and signs when and as required under the traffic ordinances, to make effective the provisions of such ordinances, and he is authorized to place and maintain such additional traffic control devices and signals as he deems necessary for the proper control of traffic, and pursuant to this authority he shall have the power to:

- (1) Establish traffic control signal intersections.
- (2) Determine and designate one-way streets.
- (3) Establish stop and yield right-of-way intersections.
- (4) Place markings or signs for turning at intersections.
- (5) Designate certain routes as through streets.
- (6) Establish and designate pedestrian crosswalks and safety zones.
- (7) Regulate and limit parking on streets, other than in parking meter zones.
- (8) Designate bus loading zones, taxicab stands and loading zones.
- (9) Mark traffic lanes, center lines and individual parking spaces.
- (10) Designate play streets and zones of quiet.

(b) All traffic control devices shall conform to the uniform system of traffic control devices as provided for in Ohio R.C. 4511.09.

) (c) The action of the Director of Safety in placing, or causing the placement of additional traffic control devices and signals pursuant to subsection (a) hereof shall not become effective until he has issued a written order therefor, a copy of which order shall be sent to the Mayor and the Clerk of Council. Such orders of the Director of Safety shall remain in effect until rescinded by him or by motion of Council.

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#### 305.02 POSTING OF SIGNS AND SIGNALS REQUIRED.

No provision of this chapter shall be effective until signs, signals, markings or other devices giving notice of such local traffic regulations are posted upon or at the entrance to the street or part thereof affected, as may be most appropriate, so that in a proper position they are sufficiently legible to be seen by an ordinarily observant person.

#### 305.03 DIRECTOR'S POWERS NOT LIMITED.

The powers of the Director of Safety shall not be limited by the specific enumeration of subjects contained in this chapter.

#### 305.04 RECORDS OF DIRECTOR.

The Director of Safety shall keep a record of all rules, regulations and proceedings promulgated in connection with this chapter.

#### 305.05 VIOLATIONS SUBJECT TO MISDEMEANOR CLASSIFICATION.

) Except as otherwise provided, any person violating the rules, regulations and orders promulgated in connection with this chapter is guilty of a misdemeanor which shall be classified as provided in Section 303.99.