



# CITY OF MCKINNEY, TEXAS

## Legislation Details (With Text)

<b>File #:</b>	22-0439	<b>Name:</b>	Junked Vehicle Ordinance Change
<b>Type:</b>	Ordinance	<b>Status:</b>	Consent Item
		<b>In control:</b>	City Council Regular Meeting
<b>On agenda:</b>	5/17/2022	<b>Final action:</b>	
<b>Title:</b>	Consider/Discuss/Act on an Ordinance Amending Article XI, "Junked Vehicles," of Chapter 62, "Motor Vehicles and Traffic," by amending Section 62-620, "Definitions," by amending the definition of "Junked Vehicle" to Reflect the State of Texas' Change to a Single-Sticker System		
<b>Indexes:</b>			
<b>Attachments:</b>	1. Ordinance, 2. Ordinance (Redline)		

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
5/17/2022	1	City Council Regular Meeting	Approved	Pass

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**COUNCIL GOAL:** Enhance the Quality of Life in McKinney  
(5E: Develop sustainable quality of life improvements within the City of McKinney)

**MEETING DATE:** May 17, 2022

**DEPARTMENT:** Development Services - Code Services

**CONTACT:** John Christophe, Code Enforcement Manager

### RECOMMENDED CITY COUNCIL ACTION:

- Staff recommends approval of the proposed ordinance.

### ITEM SUMMARY:

- Section 62-620 of the Code of Ordinances currently defines a vehicle to be a "Junked Vehicle" if it does not have both (i) an unexpired license plate, and (ii) a valid motor vehicle inspection certificate.
- Staff proposes that due to changes in state law, these regulations be modified so that vehicles must only have valid proof of current registration.

### BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- The City's Junked Vehicle Ordinance was adopted in 1999. At that time, the State of Texas required each vehicle to have a registration decal and an inspection decal displayed on it, both of which decals were required to be renewed on an annual basis.
- In 2013, H.B. 2305 eliminated the requirement to display an inspection sticker, which resulted in a single-sticker system making vehicle registration dependent on obtaining a passing

vehicle inspection.

- The proposed amendment will align the City's definition of a "Junked Vehicle" set out in the "Motor Vehicles and Traffic" Ordinance with those changes.

**FINANCIAL SUMMARY: N/A**

**BOARD OR COMMISSION RECOMMENDATION: N/A**