

Town of Ophir Resolution No. 2008- 8

**RESOLUTION ADOPTING VEHICLE IMPOUNDMENT,
TOWING AND STORAGE FEES**

WHEREAS, the Ophir General Assembly has adopted Ordinance No. 2008-7, pursuant to which a Model Traffic Code, 2003 Edition, as amended, was adopted; and

WHEREAS, Part 18 of said Model Traffic Code, "ABANDONMENT, IMPOUNDMENT AND TOWING", authorizes the imposition of impoundment, towing and storage fees pursuant to Section 18-1-50; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Ophir has made arrangements with a private contractor, Telluride Roadrunner, for impoundment, towing and storage of vehicles which may obstruct rights of way and/or parking areas within the Town of Ophir as determined by the Ophir Parking Officer; and

WHEREAS, the Ophir General Assembly desires to adopt the schedule of fees and charges for impoundment, towing and storage by private contractors or Ophir officials in order to impose such cost upon owners of improperly parked or abandoned vehicles and not upon the Ophir taxpayers.

NOW, THEREFOR, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE TOWN OF OPHIR, THAT;

1. The Town of Ophir Vehicle Impoundment, Towing and Storage Fee Schedule set forth below is hereby adopted, ratified and confirmed:
 - a. Private Contractor Towing, Impound and Day 1 Storage Fees: \$150.00
 - b. Private Contractor Storage Fees following Day 1: \$25.00 per day.
 - c. Town of Ophir Towing, Storage, Impound and Day 1 Storage Fees: \$100.00
 - d. Town of Ophir Storage Fees following Day 1: \$15.00 per day.
2. The primary impound lot for storage of impounded vehicles is hereby designated as the Telluride Tire and Towing Lot in Ilium Valley. The designated tow service operator for the Town is hereby designated as Telluride Roadrunner; telephone number - 728-8044. The Town Manager and Parking Officer may certify additional private contractor impound lots as necessary.

The secondary impound lot for impounded vehicles towed and stored by Ophir officials, is hereby designated as the South side of Granite Ave. across and east of Town Shop.

Adopted this 18th day of November, 2008.

By: Randy Barnes
Randy Barnes, Mayor

Attest: Rhonda Claridge
Rhonda Claridge, Town Clerk