

ORDINANCE NO. 2007 - 5

**AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE CONTROL OF
ABANDONED OR INOPERABLE MOTOR VEHICLES**

WHEREAS, the Town of Cloverdale has had an ordinance dealing with abandoned or inoperable vehicles.

WHEREAS that ordinance refers to a repealed section of the Indiana Code, and;

WHEREAS the ordinance is essentially a duplication of the existing state statute dealing with the subject, and;

WHEREAS some sections of the town's ordinance actually conflict with portions of the state law, and;

WHEREAS the general rule is that a local ordinance may not duplicate a state law nor may it contain provisions that conflict with state law, and;

WHEREAS Abandoned and Inoperable Vehicles can be adequately dealt with under the state statute:

**BE IT ORDERED AND ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE
TOWN OF CLOVERDALE AS FOLLOWS:**

SECTION I.

1. Ordinance 1989-3 is hereby repealed.
2. Any other Ordinance dealing with the subject of Abandoned or Inoperable Vehicles is hereby repealed.

SECTION II.

This ordinance is hereby passed and adopted at the meeting of the Town Council of the Town of Cloverdale, Indiana this 10th day of July, 2007.

By:

Don Schlerr
DON SCHLERR, President

ATTEST:

Patti Truax

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