

**BOROUGH OF ALBURTIS
LEHIGH COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

Ordinance No. 593

(Duly Adopted January 29, 2025)

AN ORDINANCE INCREASING THE FEE FOR A POLICE ACCIDENT REPORT TO TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$25.00), INCREASING THE FINE FOR MOST TRAFFIC CONTROL VIOLATIONS TO FORTY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$45.00), AND INCREASING THE AMOUNT OF TICKETS FOR PROMPT PAYMENT OF MOST TRAFFIC CONTROL VIOLATIONS TO TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$25.00) WHEN PAID WITHIN SEVENTY-TWO (72) HOURS, AND TO THIRTY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$35.00) WHEN PAID THEREAFTER BUT WITHIN TEN (10) DAYS.

Be it ORDAINED and ENACTED by the Borough Council of the Borough of Alburtis, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, as follows:

SECTION 1. Codified Ordinances § 7-106 (relating to Departments—Police Department—Accident Report Fee) is amended as follows (with deletions indicated by ~~strike-outs~~ and insertions indicated by double underlining):

§ 7-106 Accident Report Fee.

The fee for a copy of an accident report shall be ~~Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00)~~ Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00).

SECTION 2. Codified Ordinances § 41-1201 (relating to Traffic Control—Enforcement—Violations and Penalties) is amended as follows (with deletions indicated by ~~strike-outs~~ and insertions indicated by double underlining):

§ 41-1201 Violations and Penalties.

Except as otherwise provided in this Article or in § 41-804, any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this Chapter shall be subject to prosecution before a magisterial district judge in the same manner as provided for a summary offense under the Pennsylvania Rules of Criminal Procedure and, upon conviction thereof, shall be sentenced to pay a criminal fine of ~~Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00)~~ Forty-five Dollars (\$45.00) plus court costs and reasonable attorney fees incurred by the Borough in the enforcement proceedings.

SECTION 3. Codified Ordinances § 41-1204(a) (relating to Traffic Control—Enforcement—Tickets in lieu of Citations—In General) is amended as follows (with deletions indicated by ~~strike-outs~~ and insertions indicated by double underlining):

§ 41-1204 Tickets in lieu of Citations.

(a) **In General.** Except in the case of violations of § 41-502 (relating to No Parking for Short Periods) or Article VIII (relating to Handicapped Parking Spaces), police officers shall place on any vehicle found to be in violation of any of the provisions of this Chapter a notice to the owner or operator of such vehicle of the date, time, and place of such violation. Such notice shall allow for prompt payment of penalties for the violation as follows:

(1) The owner or operator may, within seventy-two (72) hours of the time when such notice was attached to his vehicle, pay the sum of ~~Ten Dollars (\$10.00)~~ Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) in full satisfaction;

(2) After seventy-two (72) hours, but within ten (10) days of the violation, the owner or operator may pay the sum of ~~Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00)~~ Thirty-five Dollars (\$35.00) in full satisfaction.

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DULY ORDAINED and **ENACTED** by the Borough Council of the Borough of Albur-
tis, this 29th day of January, 2025 in lawful session duly assembled.

**BOROUGH COUNCIL
BOROUGH OF ALBURTIS**

Ronald J. DeIaco, President

Attest:

Stephen Nemeth, Borough Manager

AND NOW, this 29th day of January, 2025, the above Ordinance is hereby AP-
PROVED.

Kathleen Palmer, Mayor