ORDINANCE NO. 99-04

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR REPAIR OF STREETS MAINTAINED BY THE CITY OF HEBRON ESTATES.

WHEREAS, the failure to repair pavement after it has been broken or after digging has occurred creates a hazardous condition for other users of a city street; and,

WHEREAS, failure to repair damage to city streets results in an expense to city government which is not equitable to have paid by all city residents; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Hebron Estates wishes to maintain safe streets at the lowest possible cost to city taxpayers, now; therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HEBRON ESTATES, BULLITT COUNTY, KENTUCKY DOES HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: DIGGING OR BREAKING PAVEMENT.

- (A) It shall be unlawful for any person to dig, break, displace, injure, or interrupt in any manner any pavement, sidewalk, curbing, street, alley, or public way, except in making improvements to adjoining lots or for public purposes.
- (B) Whoever shall dig or displace, injure, or interrupt any part of any sidewalk, pavement, street, alley, public way, or curbing in making improvements in or on adjoining lots or for public purposes, shall replace the surface in its original condition within 24 hours after the completion of the work.

SECTION 2: EMERGENCY MEASURES.

In the event that any sewer, main, conduit, or other structure in or under any street, alley, sidewalk, or highway shall burst, break, or otherwise be in such a condition as to seriously endanger persons or property, the owner of such sewer, main, conduit, or other structure shall immediately take charge of and repair such trouble and shall immediately take all necessary precautions to make the location safe and secure. The owner shall not; however, begin making any permanent repairs in the street, alley, sidewalk, or highway surface or proceed with any further opening or removal of any further portion of such surface until he has advised the Mayor in writing of the work to be performed. This notification to the Mayor shall be done within eighteen (18) hours after the break or serious trouble has developed and when the necessary repairs have been completed, the owner shall file a written report of the completion with the Mayor.

SECTION 3: PENALTY.

Any person who violates any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be fined not less than \$25 nor more than \$100.00 for each offense. Each day's continued violation shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 4: This Ordinance shall be published according to law.

SECTION 5: Any ordinance or part of an ordinance in conflict with this Ordinance or any part of this Ordinance are repealed.

SECTION 6: Should any section, clause, line, paragraph, or part of this Ordinance be held unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, the same shall not affect the remainder of this Ordinance.

Given first reading at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Hebron Estates, Bullitt County, Kentucky, on the 23rd day of November, 1999. Given second reading, voted upon and passed at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Hebron Estates, Bullitt County, Kentucky, on the 25th day of January, 2000.

Votes For 3;

Votes Against _____;

Not Voting O.

HERSCHEL RICKETTS JR., MAYOR

ATTEST:

MARTHA FERGUSON, CITY CLERK