Township of Marlette Blight Ordinance Amendment Ordinance No.2009-5

An ordinance to amend Article II of the Marlette Township Blight Ordinance No. <u>93-2</u> which was adopted the 12th day of October, 1993 to change the penalty for a violation of the blight Ordinance to a Municipal Civil Infraction.

The Township of Marlette Ordains:

The following sections of the Marlette Township Blight Ordinance are hereby in its entirety to read as follows:

<u>Section 2.1.</u> PENALTY. Any person, firm or corporation who violates any of the provisions of the ordinance is responsible for a municipal civil infarction, subject to payment of a civil fine of not less than \$50.00, plus costs and other sanctions, for each infraction. Repeat offenses under this ordinance shall be subject to increased fines as provided for in the Civil Infraction Ordinance, ordinance number 1801.

Section 2.2. A violation of the Ordinance shall be considered a nuisance per se.

<u>Section 2.3.</u> Both the District Court and Circuit Court shall have the authority to order any and all necessary actions be taken to bring said property into compliance with the Marlette Township Blight Ordinance.

The undersigned Supervisor and Clerk of the Township of Marlette hereby certify that this Ordinance Amendment was duly adopted by the Township Board at a Meeting held on the $_11$ th day of $_August$, 2009 and was published in the $_Marlette$ Leader on the $_23rd$ day of $_September$, 2009. This Ordinance Amendment shall be effective 30 days after said date of publication.

Kirk F. Dale, Sr., Supervisor

Marge Heussner, Clerk