An Ordinance to create Sec. 9.32 of the Code of Ordinances for the Town of Dover, Racine County, Wisconsin Related to Controlled Substances

The Town Board of the Town of Dover, Racine County, Wisconsin does hereby create Sec. 9.32 of the Code of Ordinances for the Town of Dover, as follows:

9.32.010 Adoption/Purpose.

The Town does hereby adopt of Wisconsin State Chapter 961 Statutes. the Uniform Controlled Substances Act, in its entirety, for the purpose of permitting town authorities to issue citations, as may be appropriate, for persons found to be in possession or under the influence of illegal narcotic drugs, without having to charge said persons criminally. In doing so, the officer in charge at the scene shall determine the degree of the possession or influence, the controlled substance involved, and the circumstances of the situation. Possession of small amounts of marijuana, for example, may result in a citation, rather than an arrest.

9.32.020 Controlled Substances Prohibited.

Controlled substances. defined in Chapter 961, Wis. Stats., are prohibited in the Town of Dover. Persons found in possession or under the influence of such controlled substance. be criminally may prosecuted, or, as appropriate, cited by Town authorities, including Water Patrol, in the discretion of the officer(s) in charge at the scene.

9.32.030 **Penalties**

A person found to be in violation of this section may be issued a citation with a minimum forfeiture of \$100.00 and maximum of \$500.

Dated this 3 day of MAY, 2019.

TOWN OF DOVER BY:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Clerk