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October 1, 2008

Hon. Mayor Mark D. Boughton  
Hon. Members of the Common Council  
155 Deer Hill Avenue  
Danbury, CT 06810

Re: Amendment to Code of Ordinance Section 19-4

Dear Mayor and Council:

In August, the Common Council adopted a series of new fines for parking violations. In the process, two sub-classifications "Violation of Signs" and "Other" were deleted from the original ordinance, in an effort to install more specificity into this section of the ordinance. It has come to our attention that both of these categories are necessary, as the Police Department utilizes these generic violation sections to address either applicable State law, or other local parking issues that cannot be specifically cited in every case that arises.

Therefore, and at the request of the Chief, we have attached a proposed, revised Section 19-4 that, after public hearing, may be adopted by the Council to re-insert these two classifications to cover this need.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please contact me in the event you have any questions about this request.

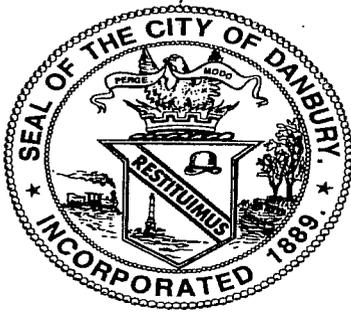
Very truly yours,

Laszlo L. Pinter  
Deputy Corporation Counsel

cc: Alan Baker, Chief of Police

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# ORDINANCE

## CITY OF DANBURY, STATE OF CONNECTICUT

### COMMON COUNCIL

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Fire Zone	\$100.00*	19-62
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Loading Zone	\$100.00*	19-56
Snow Emergency	\$100.00*	19-60
Commercial Vehicles in Residential Zones	\$100.00*	19-34.1
Handicapped person	\$100.00*	19-35
Violation of Signs	\$100.00*	19-3
Other	\$100.00*	19-3

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Note: New language is indicated by CAPITALIZATION COMBINED WITH UNDERLINING except that capitalization is not utilized for the letters