

ORDINANCE No. 99-46

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF UNICOI, TENNESSEE
CLOSING GARFIELD STREET BETWEEN VIRGINIA STREET AND
MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE FOR CERTAIN PERIODS OF TIME
WHILE UNICOI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IS IN SESSION**

WHEREAS, a portion of Garfield Street runs between Virginia Street and Massachusetts Avenue between Unicoi Elementary School located on the east side and a playground located on the west side of Garfield Street, and

WHEREAS, children find it necessary to cross the road during the school day, and

WHEREAS, the Principal of Unicoi Elementary School, the Superintendent of Schools, and the Unicoi Elementary School Parent Teachers Organization at various times, have requested that Garfield Street be either temporarily or permanently closed, and

WHEREAS, various citizens have indicated the necessity of having Garfield Street as an access before and after school hours to prevent congestion on Virginia Street, now therefore

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN, that:

Section 1. That portion of Garfield Street located between Virginia Street and Massachusetts Avenue shall be closed to vehicular traffic between the hours of 8:15 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. when Unicoi Elementary School is in session.

Section 2. The Town of Unicoi will allow Unicoi Elementary School to place barricades on that portion of Garfield Street located between Virginia Street and Massachusetts Avenue during the times enumerated in Section 1, above.

Section 3. The driver of any vehicle violating this ordinance shall be fined the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for each violation.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect from and after final passage, the public welfare requiring it.

VOTING FOR THIS ORDINANCE:

First reading: 8-16-99

Hensley yes no
Hopson yes no
Edwards yes no *absent*

Lynch yes no *absent*
Street yes no

Passed Failed

Second reading: 8-19-99

Hensley yes no
Hopson yes no
Edwards yes no

Lynch yes no
Street yes no

Passed Failed

Charles M. Hensley
Charles M. Hensley, Mayor

Marcia V. Johnson
Marcia V. Johnson, Town Recorder