ORDINANCE TO REGULATE DISPOSITION, LITTERING OR DISCARDING OF GARBAGE OR TRASH BY A COMMERCIAL GARBAGE ENTITY TRANSPORTING TRASH OR GARBAGE WITHIN CLAY COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA

WHEREAS, various concerned citizens and residents of Clay County have requested that the Board of Commissioners for the County of Clay attempt to regulate the transporting of garbage within said County;

WHEREAS, there remains along the roadsides near the Clay County Sanitary Landfill trash, garbage and debris; and that said trash, garbage and debris is evident throughout various areas, along roadways, in the County;

WHEREAS, inquiry and investigation into this matter indicates that the major source of the aforesaid litter and debris are commercial garbage entities that haul or transport trash or garbage to the sanitary landfill;

WHEREAS, it would be in the best interests of the County of Clay if the commercial transportor of garbage was required to cover any trash or boxes or cans of trash or boxes or cans in and of itself constituting trash, debris or garbage, and that it be made unlawful for a commercial transportor of garbage to transport garbage without said subject matter being covered while in transport.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED AND HEREBY ENACTED THAT it shall hereafter be unlawful for a commercial transportor of trash, debris or garbage to transport said trash, debris or garbage without covering same while in transport.

FURTHER, IT IS ORDERED that a person in violation of this Ordinance may be punished by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars (\$50.00) or imprisoned not exceeding 30 days, or both, for each offense.

This the 28th day of April, 1986.

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Harold Lance, Chairman

ATTEST:

Steve Patterson, Clerk

I, Steve Patterson, Clerk to the Board of Commissioners for Clay County, North Carolina, certify that the foregoing is a true and accurate copy of the Ordinance passed by the Board of Commissioners for the County of Clay on the 28th day of April, 1986.

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Steve Patterson, Clerk