ORDINANCE NO. 1734

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONTROL OF TRAFFIC ENTERING THE INTERSECTION OF EAST COOSA STREET AND STEPHEN J. WHITE MEMORIAL BLVD.; TO PROVIDE FOR AND REQUIRE THAT ALL TRAFFIC, VEHICULAR OR OTHERWISE COME TO A FULL AND COMPLETE STOP BEFORE ENTERING THE INTERSECTION OF EAST COOSA STREET AND STEPHEN J. WHITE MEMORIAL BLVD. FOR WHICH SAID INTERSECTION SHALL BE CLASSIFIED A FOUR-WAY STOP; AND TO PROVIDE PUNISHMENT FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TALLADEGA, ALABAMA, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I: That it shall be unlawful for the driver or operator of any vehicle to enter any portion of the intersection of East Coosa Street and Stephen J. White Memorial Blvd. without first having come to a full and complete stop and having visually checked the traffic in all directions for the possibility of oncoming traffic both vehicular and pedestrian.

SECTION II: The Chief of Police, or his designee, shall erect or cause to be erected, at each of the entrances to the intersection of East Coosa Street and Stephen J. White Memorial Blvd., appropriate signs indicating that traffic shall come to a full and complete stop at said four-way stop intersection. SECTION III: Any person who shall be convicted of violating any provision of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than One (\$1.00) Dollar, nor more than Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars, or by imprisonment in that jail wherein persons sentenced to imprisonment by the Municipal Court of the City of Talladega are imprisoned for not less than One Hundred Eighty (180) days, or both at the discretion of the Court trying the case.

SECTION IV: All sections of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable; and if any word, phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid by the judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality or invalidity shall not affect any of the remaining words, phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this ordinance.

SECTION V: This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and publication, as provided by law.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 25th day of June 2012.

Council President Patterson
Councilman Jarvis Elston
Councilman Joe Ballow
Councilman Donnie Miller
Councilman Rick Simpson
Attested to by Elizabeth Cheeks, City Clerk