

ORDINANCE NO. 2060

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Public Works Director to prohibit or restrict motor vehicular traffic on city streets during periods of inclement weather.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CAMAS DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section I

There is hereby added to Chapter 10.32 of the Camas Municipal Code a new section to provide as follows:

10.32.170 - Closure of City Streets--Weather Conditions.

The Public Works Director is hereby authorized to prohibit the operation of motor vehicles on the streets of the City of Camas, or to impose weight restrictions on motor vehicles used in such streets, whenever any street by reason of snow, rain, climatic, or other conditions may be damaged or destroyed unless operation of motor vehicles thereon is prohibited or restricted. In the event the operation of motor vehicles is prohibited or restricted on a city street which is also part of the route of any primary state highway through the city, such prohibition or restriction shall be first approved by the Department of Transportation.

Section II

There is hereby added to Chapter 10.32 of the Camas Municipal Code a new section to provide as follows:

10.32.175 - Exceptions.

In the event the Public Works Director prohibits the operation of motor vehicles on any city street under the authority of Section 10.32.170, such prohibition shall not apply to school buses, emergency vehicles, and motor vehicles transporting perishable commodities or commodities necessary for the health and welfare of local residents, provided however, this exception shall not be deemed to prevent the Public Works Director from imposing such weight and speed restrictions as may be necessary to protect the public street from undue damage.

Section III

There is hereby added to Chapter 10.32 of the Camas Municipal Code a new section to provide as follows:

10.32.180 - Notice

In the event the Public Works Director prohibits the operation of motor vehicles on any street of the City of Camas or imposes weight restrictions on motor vehicles using any street of the City of Camas under the authority of Section 10.32.170, the Public Works Director shall erect or cause to be erected and maintained signs designating such prohibition or weight restriction.

Section IV

There is hereby added to Chapter 10.32 of the Camas Municipal Code a new section to provide as follows:

10.32.185 - Penalty

Any person violating Section 10.32.170 shall be guilty of committing a traffic infraction, and upon being found to have committed such infraction shall be assessed a monetary penalty not exceeding the sum of \$250.00. Each time a vehicle is used contrary to the provisions of said Section shall constitute a separate offense within the meaning of this Chapter.

Section V

This ordinance shall take force and be in effect five (5) days from and after its publication according to law.

PASSED by the Council and APPROVED by the Mayor this 26 day of February, 1996.

SIGNED: [Signature]
Mayor

ATTEST: [Signature]
Clerk

APPROVED as to form:

[Signature]
City Attorney

Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
COUNTY OF CLARK)

I, Michael Gallagher, being first duly sworn, depose and say that I am the owner, editor, publisher of The Post-Record, a weekly newspaper. That said newspaper is a legal newspaper and has been approved as a legal newspaper by order of the superior court in the county in which it is published and it is now and has been for more than six months prior to the date of the publication hereinafter to, published in the English language continuously as a weekly newspaper in Camas, Clark County, Washington, and it is now and during all of said time was printed in an office maintained at the aforesaid place of publication

of said newspaper, that the ORDINANCE NO. 2060

a printed copy of which is hereto annexed, was published in the entire issue of said newspaper for one successive and consecutive weeks in the following issues;

Issue date March 5, 1996

Issue date _____

The fee charged for the above publication was:

\$ 61.42

Michael J. Gallagher
Publisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th

day of March, 1996

Beverly J. Webster
Notary Public in and for the
State of Washington,
Residing at Camas, Washington

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Signature of person receiving Ordinance J. Hammer