

ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 10.12 "PARKING" OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES CONCERNING THE ADOPTION OF COLORS TO IDENTIFY VARIOUS TYPES OF PARKING RESTRICTED AREAS WITHIN THE CITY OF MANITOU SPRINGS.

WHEREAS the Parking Authority Board, as a follow-up to requests from the public and parking enforcement personnel, has recommended adoption of colors for the designation of "No Parking", "ADA Parking", "Loading Zones or Parking Restricted Areas", and "Fire Lane"; and

WHEREAS the intent adopting different colors for areas of parking restriction is to provide visual keys to vehicle operators regarding parking restricted areas and to reduce confusion regarding designated areas within the City of Manitou Springs; and

WHEREAS there are currently no adopted parking restriction colors in the Manitou Springs Municipal Code and the proposed color designations are consistent with the Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices; and

WHEREAS City Council, upon the recommendation of the Parking Authority Board, hereby finds and concludes that inclusion of the color designations for parking restricted areas within the City of Manitou Springs would, in addition to posted signs when appropriate, benefit the clarity of marking of curbs and areas for the above mentioned parking purposes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MANITOU SPRINGS, COLORADO, THAT:

Section 1: Section 10.12.010 "Prohibited – Where – When" of the Manitou Springs Municipal Code is hereby amended by the creation and inclusion of item E. as follows:

E. Designation of color coding for parking restricted areas:

(1) To assist vehicle operators in identifying various types of parking restricted areas in addition to posted signs when and where appropriate, the following color designations shall be used to identify such spaces and areas:

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| a. No Parking | Yellow |
| b. ADA Designated Parking | Blue |
| c. Loading Zones and other Parking Restricted areas | Green |
| d. Fire Lane | Red |

Section 2: If any article, section, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is held to be unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, such decision shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of the remaining portions of this ordinance. The City Council hereby

declares that it would have passed this ordinance and each part or parts hereof irrespective of the fact that any one part or parts be declared unconstitutional or invalid.

Section 3: The repeal or modification of any provision of Manitou Springs Municipal Code by this ordinance shall not release, extinguish, alter, modify or change in whole or in part any penalty, forfeiture or liability, either civil or criminal, which shall have been incurred under such provision. Each provision shall be treated and held as still remaining in force for the purpose of sustaining any and all proper actions, suits, proceedings and prosecutions for enforcement of the penalty, forfeiture or liability, as well as for the purpose of sustaining any judgment, decree or order which can or may be rendered, entered or made in such actions, suits, proceedings or prosecutions.

Section 4: This ordinance shall take effect five (5) days after final approval and adoption on second reading.

Passed on First Reading and Ordered Published this 3rd day of May, 2011.

/s/ Donna Kast
City Clerk

A Public Hearing on will be held at the May 17, 2011 City Council meeting. The Council Meeting will be held at 7:00 P.M. at City Hall, 606 Manitou Avenue, Manitou Springs, Colorado.

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Passed on Second Reading and Ordered Published this 17th day of May 2011.

Approved: /s/ Marc A. Snyder
Mayor and City Council

Attest: /s/ Donna Kast
City Clerk

Approved for Council Action: /s/ Jack Benson
City Administrator

Approved as to form: /s/ Jeff Parker
City Attorney

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