

ORDINANCE NO. 597

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE PARKING OF CERTAIN TRUCKS
WITHIN THE CITY OF LAS ANIMAS, COLORADO.

WHEREAS, from time to time, various truck drivers park their vehicles in residential areas and business areas of the City of Las Animas; and

WHEREAS, as a result thereof, substantial deterioration has occurred to the streets of the City of Las Animas; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the City of Las Animas to regulate the use of its residential and commercial streets so as to preclude the regular usage by large trucks over said streets;

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAS ANIMAS, COLORADO:

SECTION 1. A new Section 13-7 is enacted as follows:

Section 13-7. Truck Defined.

For the purposes of Sections 13-8 through 13-9, a "truck" is any truck, trailer, semitrailer or other vehicle designated or operated for the transportation of property with a capacity in excess of two (2) tons or an overall length in excess of thirty (30) feet and is any vehicle, regardless of capacity or length, used for the transportation of flammable liquids, gases, or hazardous materials, as defined by the laws of the State of Colorado. Stock trailers in excess of 10 feet shall also be considered as a "truck" for purposes of this section, irrespective of whether said trailer is self-propelled or pulled by any other vehicle.

SECTION 2. A new Section 13-8 is enacted as follows:

Section 13-8. Time Restrictions.

- (a) No truck as defined above, shall be parked on any street, alley, thoroughfare, avenue, or highway, within the City in excess of two (2) hours maximum, except as provided below.
- (b) No truck shall be parked on any street, alley, thoroughfare, avenue or highway in the City, except during loading or unloading thereof or while being used on construction, maintenance or repair work in progress in the City block in which said vehicle is parked.

SECTION 3. A new Section 13-9 is enacted as follows:

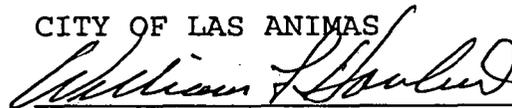
Section 13-9. Restrictions on Leaving Unattended.

- (a) No driver, operator or attendant shall leave a truck unattended during the loading or unloading process if said truck is parked on a street, alley, thoroughfare, avenue or highway, within the City.
- (b) No truck used for the transportation of livestock shall be parked and left unattended anywhere on the street, alley, thoroughfare, avenue or highway within the City.

ADOPTED on first reading this 18th day of March, 1998.

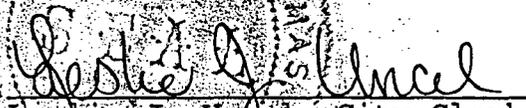
PASSED on second reading as amended this 14th day of April, 1998.

CITY OF LAS ANIMAS



William F. Howland, Mayor

ATTEST:



Leslie J. Uncel, City Clerk

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