

AN ORDINANCE REGARDING HEAVY VEHICLE PARKING

WHEREAS, Delphi Code Section 71.09 prohibits parking certain vehicles which are taller, wider, and longer than a conventional station wagon, pickup truck, or van;

WHEREAS, it is desired to improve the language of the ordinance to adequately reflect which vehicles are prohibited from parking in certain areas of the City of Delphi;

WHEREFORE, be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Delphi, Indiana the Delphi Code of Ordinances be amended as follows:

§ 71.09 TRUCK AND BUS PARKING RESTRICTED.

(A) No oversize vehicle shall park on any city street, in any alley, or in a city park or other city owned property, except for the purpose of making deliveries or picking up goods or persons, or construction jobs requiring special trailers.

(B) Special trailers or vehicles used when tools or equipment are required for construction, and when parking on site is unavailable, may be parked in residential parking areas provided all rules are obeyed pertaining to parking, such as, blocking access to fire or utility infrastructure, blocking traffic flow, or causing a visual obstruction to vehicles entering streets. This is in reference to enclosed cargo trailers, trailers with special equipment, and the like, when certain specialized construction is being done. These construction vehicles may be parked only when construction is being done at the residence. If extended work is required, the vehicles must be moved out for the weekends.

(C) Those vehicles making deliveries or picking up goods or persons shall park within 50 feet of the site of the delivery or pick up point and shall not remain stopped for more than two hours. By way of example, oversize vehicles shall include, but are not limited to, the following types of vehicles:

- (1) Camper/Trailer;
- (2) Motor Home;
- (3) Dump Truck;
- (4) Car Carrier;
- (5) Semi-Tractor, with or without trailer, box, and tanker;
- (6) Semi-Trailer, including box, tanker, and flat-bed trailers;
- (7) Construction Equipment;
- (8) Garbage Truck;
- (9) Dumpster truck;
- (10) Ready-mix truck;
- (11) Snowmobile Trailer;
- (12) Boat on trailer;
- (13) Utility trailer;
- (14) Agricultural Equipment;
- (15) Bus; and
- (16) Livestock Trailer.

(D) This restriction shall not apply to a vehicle parked as a result of an unavoidable emergency.

(E) This restriction shall not apply to campers/trailers and motor homes parked for no more than 24 hours only for the purpose of loading and unloading, provided it does not interfere with the flow of traffic. Such vehicles shall not, however, be attached to an electric outlet or a water tap while loading or unloading.

(F) This section may be enforced by removing the offending vehicle pursuant to the process described in Chapter 91 of the Delphi Code and imposing penalties provided in Delphi Code Section 71.99

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the Mayor. Previous ordinances in conflict therewith are hereby revoked.

Resolved by the Common Council of the City of Delphi, Indiana this 31st day of August, 2020.

Passage by a Majority of the Common Council:

Leanne Aldrich
Attest: Leanne Aldrich, Clerk-Treasurer

Shane Evans
Shane Evans, Presiding Officer

~~Approved~~ Vetoed by me, the Mayor this 31st day of August, 2020.

Shane Evans