

ORDINANCE NO. 1477

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 8 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING TRAFFIC IN THE DOWNTOWN AREA OF THE CITY OF EUREKA SPRINGS, ARKANSAS

WHEREAS, traffic control and regulation of access to the downtown commercial portion of the City of Eureka Springs is vital to residents of Eureka Springs as well as visitors to our city, the following amendments to the city Municipal Code governing traffic regulation are necessary:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EUREKA SPRINGS, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1: That the Eureka Springs Municipal Code, Chapter 8.16, Parking, Section 8.16.04 - Other Offenses, be amended by the creation of section 8.16.04 (d), which shall read as follows:

d. Restricting delivery vehicles in the downtown area:

All delivery vehicles, both commercial and private, are prohibited from being in the downtown area of the City of Eureka Springs in an area from the intersection of Arkansas State Highway 23 North and Spring Street, along Spring Street following Historic Loop to the top of Crescent Grade in the vicinity of the Crescent Hotel, after 12 o'clock noon until 5:00 p.m. on a daily basis.

SECTION 2: That the Eureka Springs Municipal Code, Chapter 8.28, One-Way Streets, be amended by the creation of Section 8.28.06, which shall read as follows:

8.28.06 - One-Way Vehicular, Historic Loop. It shall be unlawful for all tour buses, recreational vehicles, large trucks, trolleys and private buses to be driven or otherwise operated except in a generally northly direction from the intersection of Arkansas State Highway 23 North and Spring Street following the Historic Loop in its entirety to the intersection of Historic Loop and Arkansas State Highway 62 West in the vicinity of the Eureka Family Medical Center and the city high school. Emergency vehicles, of course, are excluded from the provision of this ordinance. Any person or firm violating this Chapter shall, upon conviction thereof in the Municipal Court of Eureka Springs, be deemed guilty of a Class "C" Misdemeanor; and shall be fined in a sum not to exceed One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) or less than Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00.)

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SECTION 3 - All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4 - To eliminate dangers from congestion of traffic in the downtown area of the City of Eureka Springs, and to facilitate better flow of traffic at all times throughout the business district of the city, it is felt this ordinance is necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared; and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication.

PASSED AND ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
EUREKA SPRINGS, ARKANSAS ON THIS \_\_\_\_DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 1992.

APPROVED:

ATTEST:

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RANDY WOLFINBARGER, Mayor

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City Clerk/Treasurer