

**CITY OF DOVER**

**ORDINANCE NO. 52**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DOVER, BONNER COUNTY, IDAHO, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION OF THE STATE OF IDAHO; RESTRICTING TRUCK AND HEAVY VEHICLE TRAFFIC ON WEST PINE STREET, SYRINGA ROAD AND ONTARIO STREET; PROVIDING FOR SIGNING; PROVIDING FOR LOCAL DELIVERY AND OTHER EXCEPTIONS; PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES; AND PROVIDING FOR THE PUBLICATION OF THIS ORDINANCE.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Dover has the authority to control and limit the traffic on streets, avenues, and public places; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Dover has a duty to improve and maintain the streets within the City's jurisdiction within the limits of the funds available; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Dover shall have the care, supervision and control of all City streets within the corporate limits of the City of Dover; and

**WHEREAS**, the costs to keep the above stated roads from failure or decline as a result of increased heavy vehicle and truck traffic and to keep said roads in a suitable state of use is placing a financial burden on the City of Dover; and

**WHEREAS**, the increased level of traffic caused by intermittent construction on Highway 2 requires regulation of traffic diverting to the above mentioned roads; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Dover has determined that the above mentioned roads are not currently designed or built to withstand the amount of vehicle traffic and usage to which it is being subjected; and

**WHEREAS**, by restricting truck and heavy vehicle traffic from the said roads, the City of Dover will be better able to maintain current road conditions; and

**WHEREAS**, the regulation limiting truck and heavy vehicle traffic does not close said roads and the restrictions are in the best interest of the infrastructure and condition of said roads within the City of Dover.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the city council of the City of Dover, Idaho that the following be and is hereby adopted as an Ordinance of the City of Dover, Idaho:

### **SECTION 1: TRUCKS**

Trucks, as defined by this Section, exceeding gross weight of vehicle of twelve thousand pounds (12,000 lbs.) are restricted and prohibited from driving on West Pine Street (also known as Pine Street Loop), Syringa Road and Ontario Street within the City limits of the City of Dover.

- A. Truck traffic means every motor vehicle exceeding twelve thousand pounds (12,000 lbs.) gross weight designed, used or maintained primarily for transportation of property.
- B. Pick-up truck means every motor vehicle eight thousand pounds (8,000 lbs.) gross weight or less which is designed, used or maintained primarily for the transportation of personal property.

### **SECTION 2: SIGNS**

- A. Signs shall be posted by the City of Dover at the intersections of Highway 2 and Syringa Road; Highway 2 and West Pine Street; and Ontario Street at the City Limits providing notice and restriction of through truck traffic
- B. Additional signing noticing restriction of vehicle through traffic may be placed as deemed necessary by the Dover City Council.

### **SECTION 3: BUSINESS VEHICLES**

This Ordinance does not affect local pick-up or delivery for trucks conducting business within the affected area of said roads nor does it affect emergency vehicles or school busses in the course and scope of their regular official use.

### **SECTION 4: PENALTY**

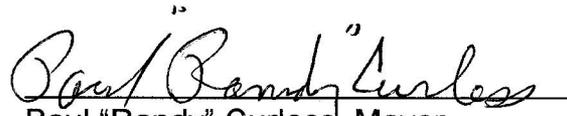
The penalty for any one violation of this Section shall be a fine of not less than seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) nor more than three hundred dollars (\$300.00) for each offense.

**SECTION 5: PUBLICATION**

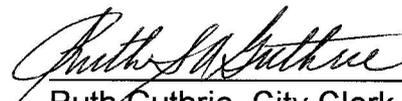
This Ordinance shall be in full force and affect upon its passage, approval and publication in one issue of the Bonner County Daily Bee, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the City of Sandpoint, and declared the official newspaper of the City of Dover and hereby declared to be the official newspaper for the publication of this Ordinance.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED AS AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DOVER BY THE CITY COUNCIL UNDER SUSPENSION OF THE RULES AT A DULY NOTICED MEETING OF THE DOVER CITY COUNCIL ON THIS 23<sup>RD</sup> DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1999 UPON THE FOLLOWING ROLL CALL VOTE:

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| Randy Curless, Mayor | <u>          </u> |
| Margaret Becker      | <u>AYE</u>        |
| Neal Hewitt          | <u>AYE</u>        |
| Brad Littlefield     | <u>AYE</u>        |
| Genevieve Thurlow    | <u>AYE</u>        |

  
Paul "Randy" Curless, Mayor

Attest:

  
Ruth Guthrie, City Clerk