## **CITY OF GRANITE FALLS**

## **ORDINANCE NO. 929-2017**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF GRANITE FALLS, WASHINGTON, RELATING TO THE MODEL TRAFFIC ORDINANCE, CONCERNING BICYCLE LICENSING, PARKING AND AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 521, GRANITE FALLS MUNICIPAL CODE SECTION 10.04.020, AND ADDING GRANITE FALLS MUNICIPAL CODE SECTION 10.04.030, SETTING A LIMIT ON THE DURATION OF ON-STREET PARKING

**WHEREAS,** the City of Granite Falls adopted the "Washington Model Traffic Ordinance" Chapter 308-330 WAC in 1994 with Ordinance 521.

WHEREAS, the City of Granite Falls wishes to establish the version of the Model Traffic Ordinance adopted, except out of its amendment provision and except out of its bicycle licensing provisions, and re-adopt certain parking standards that were in Ordinance 521 that were repealed in 2007, by Ordinance 746;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GRANITE FALLS, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1.</u> Granite Falls Municipal Code Section 10.04.010 is hereby amended to read as follows:

10.04.020 Model traffic ordinance.

- (A) <u>Adoption by Reference</u>. The "Washington Model Traffic Ordinance," Chapter <u>308-330</u> WAC, as updated last November 30, 2015 except as provided in (B) below is hereby adopted by reference as the traffic ordinance of the city of Granite Falls as if set forth in full.
- (B) Sections not Adopted. The City of Granite Falls does not adopt the following Sections of the Washington Model Traffic Ordinance: Section 308-330-010, Section WAC 308 330-500, Section 308-330-505, Section 308-330-510, Section 308-330-515, Section 408-330-520, Section 308-330-525, Section 308-330-530, Section 308-330-535, and Section 308-330-540.

<u>Section 2.</u> A new Section is added to Chapter 10.04 Granite Falls Municipal Code entitled "10.04.030 Limit on duration of On-street Parking" to read as follows

## 10.04.030 Limit on duration of On-Street Parking

No vehicle shall be parked in one place for more than 72 consecutive hours on any street, alley or public place within the city. Vehicles tagged in violation of this code must be moved within 24 hours or are subject to tow at the owner's expense.

**Section 3.** Any violation of this Chapter shall be a subject to a penalty as provided by WAC 308-220-710.

<u>Section 4.</u> <u>Effective Date.</u> This Ordinance shall be published in the official newspaper of the City, shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after the date of publication.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF ON THE 17th DAY OF May 2017.

CITY OF GRANITE FALLS

Matthew Hartman, Mayor

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

Darla Reese, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Thom Graafstra, City Attorney

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