

City of East Wenatchee, Washington

Ordinance No. 2016-18

An Ordinance of the City of East Wenatchee setting the penalty for riding a bicycle on a sidewalk in the City's business district by amending Chapter 10.24 of the East Wenatchee Municipal Code.

Una Ordenanza de la Ciudad de East Wenatchee para el establecimiento de la pena para montar una bicicleta en una acera en el distrito financiero de la ciudad por la que se modifica el Capítulo 10.24 del Código Municipal de East Wenatchee.

1. Alternate format.

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2. Recitals

2.1. The City of East Wenatchee ("City") is a non-charter code City duly incorporated and operating under the laws of the State of Washington; and

3. Authority. RCW 35A.11.020 and RCW 35A.12.190 authorize the City Council to adopt ordinances of all kinds

to regulate its municipal affairs and appropriate to the good government of the City.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST WENATCHEE DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

4. **Purpose.** The purpose of this ordinance is to make the City's municipal code consistent with Washington's Model Traffic Ordinance.
5. **Amendment.** The City Council amends Chapter 10.24 of the East Wenatchee Municipal Code to read:

10.24.010 Operation on sidewalks.

~~A. It is unlawful for any person to operate any bicycle~~
It is unlawful for a person to ride a bicycle upon a sidewalk in the City Center of the city of East Wenatchee as bounded by Simon Street on the south, 11th Street on the north, Valley Mall Parkway on the west and Eastmont Street on the east, including sidewalks on both sides of the street and the sidewalks in between.

B. A person riding a bicycle upon a sidewalk must yield the right-of-way to a pedestrian.

~~C. It is unlawful over and/or upon the sidewalks of the city, or to park any bicycle upon a the sidewalk s of the city in any manner which will restricts or endangers the passage of pedestrians.~~

10.24.020 Leaving bicycle on sidewalks – Impoundment.

~~Any~~ bicycle left upon ~~a the~~ sidewalks of the city in such manner as to be a restriction, hindrance or danger to any person lawfully using the sidewalks ~~is shall be~~ a public nuisance. ~~and upon the matter being called to his attention, or upon his own action, t~~The chief of police ~~mayshall~~ remove and impound such bicycle.

10.24.030 Impoundment – Storage costs.

~~Any~~ bicycle impounded by the chief of police under the provisions of this chapter ~~willshall~~ be returned to the owner thereof upon payment of storage costs. If an ;

~~provided, that if any such~~ owner is under the age of 18 years, the chief of police ~~will shall~~ return ~~any~~ bicycle impounded hereunder to ~~athe~~ parent ~~or parents~~ of such owner upon payment of storage costs. ~~In no event shall the s~~Storage costs may not exceed the sum of \$1.00 per day.

10.24.040 Violation – Penalty.

~~A violation of this chapter is a Class 3 civil infraction. It shall be a misdemeanor for any person to do any act forbidden or fail to perform any act required in this chapter.~~

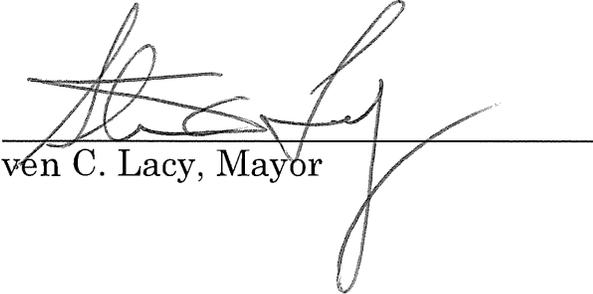
- 6. Severability.** If a court of competent jurisdiction declares any provision in this Ordinance to be contrary to law.

such declaration shall not affect the validity of the other provisions of this Ordinance.

7. **Publication.** The City Council directs the City Clerk to publish a summary of this Ordinance. The summary shall consist of the title of this Ordinance.
8. **Effective Date.** This Ordinance becomes effective five days after the date its summary is published.

Passed by the City Council of East Wenatchee, at a regular meeting thereof on this 25th day of October, 2016.

The City of East Wenatchee,
Washington

By 
Steven C. Lacy, Mayor

Authenticated:



Dana Barnard, City Clerk

Approved as to form only:



Devin Poulson, City Attorney

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11/2/16

Summary of Ordinance No. 2016-18
Of the City of East Wenatchee, Washington

On the 25th day of October, 2016,
the City Council of the City of East Wenatchee, Washington
approved Ordinance No. 2016-18, the main point of which
may be summarized by its title as follows:

An Ordinance of the City of East Wenatchee setting for the
penalty for riding a bicycle on a sidewalk in the City's
business district by amending Chapter 10.24 of the East
Wenatchee Municipal Code. Upon request, the City will mail
a full text of this Ordinance.

Dated this 25th day of October, 2016.

Dana Barnard
Dana Barnard, City Clerk