

AN ORDINANCE RESTRICTING TRUCKS OF A CAPACITY GREATER THAN TWO (2) TONS TO OPERATE ON ANY STREET WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF ORCHARD, TEXAS, EXCEPT STATE HIGHWAY 36; DECLARING ON EMERGENCY; PROVIDING A PENALTY OF A FINE NOT TO EXCEED \$200.00 FOR THE VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE; AND PROVIDING THAT THIS ORDINANCE BECOMES EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY UPON ITS PASSAGE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF ORCHARD, TEXAS:

Section 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person to operate a truck larger than two (2) ton capacity on any street within the corporate limits of the City of Orchard, Texas, except as provided in Section 2 below.

Section 2. That it shall not be unlawful for any person to operate a truck larger than two (2) tons capacity on State Highway 36 within the corporate limits of the City of Orchard, Texas.

Section 3. Any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not more than TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$200.00).

Section 4: The fact that the Orchard City streets are incurring damages due to heavy truck traffic creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the customary readings required for approval of such ordinances be suspended, and such rule is hereby suspended, and this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 12<sup>th</sup> DAY OF November,  
A.D. 19 75.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

La Verne Crommons  
City Secretary

Jess P. Losack  
Mayor

STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF FORT BEND  
CITY OF ORCHARD

Mrs. LaVerne Cromeans, City Secretary of the City of Orchard, Texas, hereby certifies that she gave notice of the passage of the foregoing and attached ordinance by causing the descriptive caption thereof, including the penalty therein provided, to be published in the Herald Coaster, a newspaper of general circulation published in the City of Rosenburg, Texas, and that the same was published in said newspaper on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of November A.D. 19 75, said publication date being within ten (10) days after the passage of said ordinance.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of said City, on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of November, A.D. 19 75.

Mrs. La Verne Cromeans  
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City Secretary  
City of Orchard, Texas

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