

ORDINANCE NO. 306

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 297 AND PERTAINING TO PROHIBITED PARKING DURING SNOW REMOVAL IN THE CITY OF AURORA, SOUTH DAKOTA.

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AURORA, STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA, AS FOLLOWS:

I.

Sec. 1. - Parking prohibited with snow fall of 2" or more or during snow removal.

It is unlawful for the driver or owner of any motor vehicle, trailer or implement to park or leave standing or permit to be parked or left standing any motor vehicle, trailer or implement on any street, avenue or alley in the city, after a snow fall of 2" or more or during snow removal by the City of Aurora. . Parking may not be resumed until such streets have been cleared of such snow from curb to curb. Any violation of this section shall be subject to ticketing and towing.

Sec. 2. Parking prohibited during snow removal.

It is unlawful for the driver or owner of any motor vehicle, trailer or implement to park or leave standing or permit to be parked or left standing any motor vehicle, trailer or implement on any street, avenue or alley in the city after it shall be publicly announced by the city manager or designee that such streets, avenues or alleys will be undergoing snow removal. Parking may not be resumed until such streets have been cleaned of such snow from curb to curb. Public announcement shall include, at a minimum, announcement on at least one form of mass media, social media or website of such parking ban at least four hours prior to such parking ban.

Sec. 2. Parking during state of emergency.

(a) It is unlawful for the driver or owner of any motor vehicle, trailer or implement to park or leave standing or permit to be parked or left standing any motor vehicle, trailer or implement on any street or alley in the city when a state of emergency has been declared in the city.

(b) A state of emergency shall exist when the mayor or designee shall declare an emergency. The mayor or designee may, in the event of threatening or existing adverse weather or street conditions, declare a state of emergency in the city and prohibit parking on streets which are otherwise regulated in this chapter for a period of 72 hours or until a particular street has been cleaned from curb to curb. Any violation of this section shall be subject to ticketing and towing.

Sec. 3. Removal of vehicles.

Any vehicle parked in violation of the provisions of Ordinance 306 which regulates parking may be removed from such street by city law enforcement, or its authorized representative, and placed in public storage, and the owner of such vehicle, in addition to the fine provided for the violation of city ordinance, shall pay the charges for towing and storage of such vehicle so removed by law enforcement or its authorized representative.

An emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance, being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

II.

Any or all ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

FIRST READING: _____

SECOND READING: _____

PUBLISHED: _____

CITY OF AURORA

Frederick Weekes, Mayor

ATTEST:

Shannon Freng, Finance Officer