

ORDINANCE NO. 2022- 10

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 78 TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES, SECTION 78-11 PARKING OF OVERSIZE AND COMMERCIAL VEHICLES OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF PHENIX CITY, ALABAMA.

BE IT ORDANIED, by the City Council of the City of Phenix City, Alabama that Chapter 78 Traffic and Vehicles, Section 78-11 Parking of oversize and commercial vehicles, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Phenix City, Alabama be amended as follows:

Chapter 78. Traffic and Vehicles

Section 78-11. Parking of oversize and commercial vehicles.

- (a) For the purpose of this section, the term "commercial vehicle" means either:
 - (1) Bus, cement truck, box truck, box van, semi-tractor, or any other noncommercial trailer used for commercial purposes, stake bed truck, step van, tank truck, tar truck, dump truck, tow truck, or wrecker; or
 - (2) Any vehicle that negatively infringes upon the residential character of a residential district and which possesses one or more of the following characteristics:
 - a. Greater than 96 inches in width;
 - b. More than two axles on the road;
 - c. Equipped with air brakes, refrigeration equipment, hydraulic lifts, cranes, loading ramps, or similar equipment;
 - d. Equipped with a utility body, service body, or commercial equipment racks;
 - e. Has attached or visible equipment or tools, whether or not the vehicle, equipment or tools are covered with tarpaulin or any opaque or translucent covering.
- (b) No person shall stop, park, or leave standing any oversize or commercial vehicle on any street, dedicated or undedicated, or alley within the municipality for a period longer than one hour. This section shall not apply to trucks and trailers used for conveying the necessary tools and materials to premises where labor using the tools and materials is to be performed during the actual time of parking such trucks or trailers.
- (c) No person shall stop or park any oversized commercial vehicle on any commercial lot not designated as a commercial truck stop area. This section shall not apply to trucks and trailer used for conveying the necessary tools or material to premises where work is being performed.
- (d) It shall be unlawful for a person to stop, park or stand or caused to be stopped, parked and stand any commercial vehicle in a residential district. This section shall not apply to trucks and trailers used for conveying the necessary tools and materials to premises where labor

using the tools and materials is to be performed during the actual time of parking such trucks or trailers.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed by this ordinance.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 17th day of May, 2022.

Eddie W. Lee
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MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF PHENIX CITY, ALABAMA

ATTEST:

Melony Lee
CITY CLERK