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**TOWN OF PIERCE, COLORADO
ORDINANCE NO. 2024-05**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 8, ARTICLE 2 OF THE
TOWN OF PIERCE MUNICIPAL CODE CONCERNING OVERSIZED VEHICLES**

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees (the “Board”) of the Town of Pierce (the “Town”) desires to amend certain provisions of the Town’s Code related to oversized vehicles on streets; and

WHEREAS, the Board finds that Chapter 8, Article 2 of the Municipal Code should be amended as further set forth in this Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Board believes that the changes set forth below are in the best interests of the Town and its residents.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF PIERCE, COLORADO, as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 8, Article 2, Section 8-2-140 is repealed and reenacted as follows:

Sec. 8-2-140. - Trucks, semi-trailers and oversized vehicles on streets.

It is unlawful to:

- (1) Leave or park any semi-trailer, truck-tractor or oversized commercial vehicle in or at the side of any public residential street or roadway, with the following exceptions:
 - a. Loading or unloading moving vans or similar-type vehicles used for moving personal goods, for a period not to exceed 24 hours;
 - b. Temporary parking for purposes of pickup or delivery of a parcel or merchandise, for a period not to exceed two hours; and
 - c. Construction equipment or machinery employed in any authorized construction project, for a period not to exceed the completion of such construction or construction project.
- (2) Leave or park any semi-trailer, truck-tractor or oversized commercial vehicle in any nonresidential public street or at the side of any street or on any public property or thoroughfare for a period in excess of 48 hours.

- (3) Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing in this provision shall be construed to prevent use of a commercial motor vehicle for personal conveyance, subject to the restrictions above related to parking the commercial motor vehicle on a public street or roadway.

Section 2. In the opinion of the Board, this Ordinance is necessary for the preservation and protection of the health, safety, welfare and property of inhabitants and owners of property in the Town of Pierce.

Section 3. If any part, section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is, for any reason, held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections of this ordinance. The Board of Trustees hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance in each part, section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more parts, sections, subsections, clauses or phrases be declared invalid.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be so interpreted and construed to effectuate its general purpose pursuant to the laws of the State of Colorado.

Section 5. The Town Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Ordinance and cause notice of its contents and passage to be published.

Section 6. Except as otherwise specifically provided herein, the provisions enacted by this Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after publication as provided by law.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED THIS 9th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2024.

TOWN OF PIERCE

By:


Cathy Ortiz, Mayor

ATTEST:



Kristina Duran, Town Clerk