

Ordinance Committee Meeting
Tuesday, October 12, 2021 @ 6:30 PM
Chambers/Zoom

ITEM #1

Chapter 7 Ordinance Revisions

Group 2

N Office of the Treasurer

Add – New b. Special Projects Manager \$41,783.49 Grade 5

ITEM #2

Chapter 198 Motor Vehicles on City Property

Add to 198-2 Violations and penalties

(A) No person shall operate a recreational vehicle or off-highway/road on any City-owned or-controlled public way, sidewalk, park, playground, recreation area, public school property or any other property owned or controlled by the City.

(B) No person operating or in control of a recreational or off-highway/road vehicle shall refuse to stop such vehicle after having been requested or signaled by a law enforcement officer, No person shall refuse to give their correct name, address or registration to the law enforcement officer.

(C) No person shall operate a recreational or off-highway/road vehicle recklessly or negligently so that the lives of the public might be endangered and/or such operation, cause serious bodily injury.

(D) No person shall operate a recreational or off-highway/road vehicle recklessly or negligently so as to cause property damage public/and or private property.

(E) No person shall operate a recreational or off-highway/road vehicle without stopping and making their name, address and vehicle information known after knowingly colliding with or otherwise causing bodily injury to another.

(F) No person shall operate a recreational or off-highway/road vehicle recklessly or negligently so that the lives or safety of the public may be endangered.

(G) No person shall operate a recreational or off-highway/road vehicle recklessly or negligently as to harasses or be a nuisance to the public.

(H) No person shall operate a recreational or off-highway/road vehicle without first having registered/insured such vehicle in accordance with MGL c.90B Section 22.

ITEM #3

Chapter 198 Motor Vehicles on City Property

Add 198-2.1

Penalties for violations

1st Offense \$ 500.00

2nd Offense \$1,000.00

3rd Offense \$1,500.00

ITEM #4

Chapter 188-20 Service and self-service station licenses.

Add S Sale of Gasoline for Illegal Purposes

(a) No owner of employee of any retail dealer of gasoline shall sell, offer for sale, or attempt to sell any article or product represented as gasoline for use in any motorized recreational vehicle as defined in this ordinance, unless that vehicle is conveyed to and from the retailer's premises by a registered motor vehicle, as defined under Massachusetts General Law Chapter 90 section 1, as may be amended, and no

individual shall purchase or attempt to purchase gasoline for use in any motorized recreational vehicle as defined in this ordinance.

(b) Signs with the words “FUELING OF ALL TERRAIN VEHICLES, MINI-CYCLES, DIRT BIKES, OR OTHER UNAUTHORIZED VEHICLES PROHIBITED” in English and “PROHIBIDO DESPACHAR GASOLINA A ALL TERRAIN VEHICLES, MINI-CYCLES O DIRT BIKES O A OTROS VEHICULOS NO AUTORIZADOS” in Spanish at least one (1) inch in height with a contrasting margin shall be posted at all dispensing locations. The location of warning signs shall be based on local conditions but shall be visible and legible from all gas pumps. Signage to be provided by the City.

(c) Any owner of any retail dealer of gasoline which violates any provision of Subsections (a) or (b) of this section who owns or is employed by a retail dealer that has been previously issued a warning as the result of a previous violation of Subsections (a) or (b) of this section shall be fined one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per occurrence. Each motorized recreational vehicle as to which an owner or employee of any retail dealer of gasoline sells, offers for sale, or attempts to sell gasoline shall be considered a separate violation of Section (a) above.

| T. | Offense | Fine | Enforcing Personnel |
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| | Sale of Gasoline For Illegal Purposes | \$100.00 | Chicopee Police Department |

ITEM #5

Chapter 243-28 Obstruction of streets and sidewalks prohibited.

Add to Chapter 243-28 A1

A1 Any such obstruction shall be tagged by the DPW or their designee for a period of 48 hours and if said obstruction is not so removed, the DPW shall remove said obstruction and hold for a period of 45 days during which time the owner may retrieve said obstruction. If the obstruction is not retrieved by the owner within the 45 day period, said obstruction shall be discarded and/or disposed of by the DPW.

ITEM #6

Streiber Drive – For a distance of 75 feet from the intersection of Vadnais Street – Parking Prohibited Anytime

ITEM #7

Ranger Street – North side – Parking Prohibited This Side