

# Oversized Vehicle Regulations

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#### **Key Codified Definitions**

- Nuisance Any nuisance or public nuisance as declared or defined by the codes and ordinances of the City.
- View obstruction Any object(s) placed, installed, or stored temporarily or permanently that creates a lack of visibility for drivers, pedestrians, and/or any other parties in a given area.
- Residential area Any area, lot or real property used for single family, two family, multifamily, residential uses, or zoned as single family, two family, multifamily, residential, or planned development with residential uses.
- Vehicle all motor vehicles, trailers, campers, wheeled towing frames, recreational vehicles (RVs), golf carts, go carts, all-terrain vehicles (ATVs), tractor trailers, travel trailers, self-propelled farm equipment, or motor-boats or boat trailers.
- Trailer A vehicle, other than a pole trailer, with or without motive power, designed to be drawn by a motor vehicle and to transport persons or property; does not include boat trailer.
- Outside storage the storage, collection, or safekeeping of any goods, materials, products, appliances, equipment, or containers that are not enclosed by a structure with walls on all four sides and a roof.

### Current Ordinance On-Street Parking (via PD)

#### Chapter 82 Code of Ordinances

- Parked vehicle obstruction
- Established designated no parking zones
- Parking hour limitations for:

Commercial vehicles
Truck-tractor
Trailer
Semitrailer
Pole trailer

- Parking/Storage of recreational vehicles without valid on-street parking permit
- Abandoned, junked and inoperable vehicles

### Current Ordinance Private Property (via Code Enforcement)

#### Chapter 56 Code of Ordinances

- o Parking on unimproved surface
- Maintenance of improved surface
- Sidewalk encroachment
- Parked vehicle obstruction
- Parking of 5 or more vehicles
- Tarp covered vehicle
- Vehicles for sale
- Abandoned, junked and inoperable vehicle
- Unscreened outside storage

#### Chapter 82 Code of Ordinances

 Parking of any vehicle in excess of 10,000 pounds or a trailer

#### **Current Ordinance**

Ambiguous provisions exist that regulate the parking of Oversized Vehicles in residential areas.

#### **Proposed Ordinance**

- Defines Vehicles and Oversized
   Vehicles
- Prohibits RVs, boats, box trucks, dump trucks, tow trucks, trailers, vehicles in excess of 8 feet in width or 21 feet in length
- Prohibits oversized vehicle in a residential district
- Prohibits parking/storing vehicle in rear or side yard unless concealed from rightof-way by:
  - o Permitted wall/fence
  - o Landscaping, or
  - o Combination of the above
- Provides 12-month Grace Period

As proposed, does not impact H.B. 2464. (No-Impact Home-Based Businesses)

#### **Communication Plan**

- Branch Bulletin and Branch Review
- Social Media
- Proactive Resident Contact

## Questions

