ORDINANCE NO. 2161

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BELOIT, KANSAS, RELATING TO THE PROHIBITION OF PARKING MOTOR VEHICLES ON FRONT YARDS IN RESIDENTIAL AREAS AND ON HANDICAP OR ACCESS RAMPS WITHIN THE CITY OF BELOIT, KANSAS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF BELOIT, KANSAS:

Section 1: Parking on front yards prohibited.

(a) No person shall park any motor vehicle, as defined by the Standard Traffic Ordinance as adopted from time to time, on a front yard of a residential property as such terms are defined in the City Zoning Code, except temporarily to load or unload property or by a licensed contractor actively engaged in work on the property. The front yard includes all of the area between the structure and the curb, less any driveway or off-street parking which meets the requirements of the City Zoning Code. A corner lot has two front yards.

(b) A person convicted of a violation of this section shall pay a fine of $100.00 plus court costs for the first offense within a calendar year; $200.00 plus court costs for a second offense within a calendar year; $300.00 plus court costs for a third or any subsequent offense within a calendar year.

Section 2: Parking on handicap ramps prohibited.

(a) Except when in compliance with laws or at the direction of a police officer, no person shall park any motor vehicle or drive any vehicle upon any handicap ramp or access ramp in the City of Beloit, Kansas.

(b) A person convicted of a violation of this section shall pay a fine of $100.00 plus court costs for the first offense within a calendar year; $200.00 plus court costs for a second offense within a calendar year; $300.00 plus court costs for a third or any subsequent offense within a calendar year.

Section 3: All parts of the City Code conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 4: This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and one publication in the official city newspaper.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Governing Body and signed by the Mayor this 5th day of May, 2015.

Tom Naasz, Mayor

ATTEST:

Amanda J. Lomax, City Clerk