

**BILL NO. 2018-13
ORDINANCE NO. 718**

An Ordinance amending Title 6, Chapter 12 section 2 entitled HIGHWAYS AND ROADS IN THE CITY OF ELY DESIGNATED FOR PURPOSES OF OHV TRAVEL, all other provisions not designated shall remain unchanged.

WHEREAS, N.R.S. 266.105 empowers the Ely City Council to pass ordinances necessary for the municipal government and the management of the affairs of the City, for execution of all powers vested in the City, and for making effective the provisions of Chapter 266 of the Nevada Revised Statutes; and

WHEREAS, NRS 490.100 provides the City with the legal authority to adopt NRS 490 provisions for operation of off highway vehicles and establish routes where off highway vehicles may be authorized; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to encourage tourism and use of the outdoor spaces within White Pine County and recognizes that visitors to White Pine County routinely lodge in our hotels; and

WHEREAS, to encourage tourism for outdoor enthusiasts, especially those accessing public lands with off highway vehicles to stay in Ely, which will increase room stays and restaurant usage; and

WHEREAS, the City is promulgating this Ordinance in order to comply with the requirements of Nevada Revised Statutes to establish access routes and limit uses of the off highway vehicles for purposes of ingress and egress to public and private lands only; and

WHEREAS, following the publication of the initial Ordinance, it has become clear that some of the routes do not work effectively, thereby necessitating a change in the routes of ingress and egress.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Ely DOES CREATE ELY CITY CODE TITLE 6, CHAPTER 12 SECTION 2 AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: ORDINANCE ENACTMENT

6-12-2: HIGHWAYS AND ROADS IN THE CITY OF ELY DESIGNATED FOR PURPOSES OF OHV TRAVEL:

A. The following roads and highways within the City of Ely are designated as permissible for the operation of off highway vehicles for the limited purpose of allowing off highway vehicles ingress and egress to private or public areas that are open for the use of off highway vehicles. Off highway vehicles shall not be operated on designated highways or roads for any purpose other than travel to or from (ingress and egress) the private or public area open for the use of off highway vehicles.

1. Murry Street from Highway 6 on the Southern portion of Murry Street south to Hayes Street, then east onto Campton Street and continuing to 8th Street East (across Great Basin Boulevard becoming Avenue I).
2. Avenue I beginning at Great Basin Boulevard continuing east to 8th Street East, south to Avenue M and north to Avenue H, east on Avenue H, terminating at Fifteenth Street East.
3. Avenue H and Eleventh Street East (now known as Nevada Northern Rail Way) north terminating at Avenue C.
4. Avenue M beginning at 8th Street East continuing east to the end of the paved road.
5. 13th Street East beginning at Avenue H and continuing south to Madison Avenue.
6. Avenue C beginning at the railroad tracks on the east side of town, continuing west which then changes name to North Street at 7th Street East, terminating at Faye Avenue.
7. Faye Avenue beginning at North Street and terminating at High Street.
8. High Street beginning at Faye Avenue and continuing west to 7th Street, south on Lyons Avenue terminating at 5th Street. South on 5th Street terminating at Campton Street.
9. 11th Street beginning at High Street and continuing south to Campton Street.
10. Courthouse Canyon Road, beginning at Campton Street and continuing south across Highway 6 along the dirt road until the edge of the City limits.
11. JV Walker beginning at Campton Street and continuing south approximately ½ mile to trail leading to Highway 6, crossing over Highway 6 at Bobcat Drive to the dirt track south of high school and north of Great Basin College.
12. Ogden Avenue beginning at North Street, north to Lackawana Road.

All other provisions of Title 6, Chapter 12, Section 2 not changed herein, shall remain unchanged.

Section 2. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective twenty (20) days after its passage, approval and publication according to law.

Section 3. Proposing Parties. The foregoing ordinance was proposed by Mayor Melody Van Camp, at the regularly scheduled meeting of the Ely City Council on December 13, 2018, read by title and referred to the City Council of the City of Ely, as a committee of the whole.

Section 4. Notice. Notice of filing of such ordinance was duly given by publication as required by law.

Section 5. Reading.
and adopted by the following vote:

It was read in full at the regular meeting on 1-10-19

VOTE:

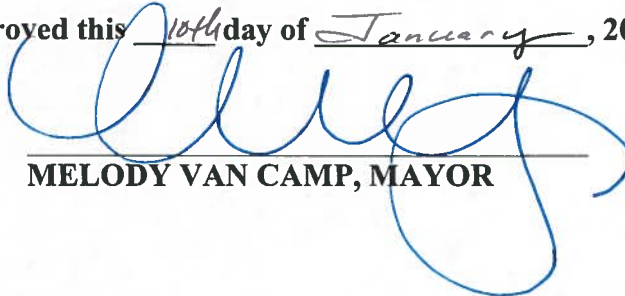
AYES: 4

NAYES: _____

ABSENT: 1

ABSTAIN: _____

Approved this 10th day of January, 2019



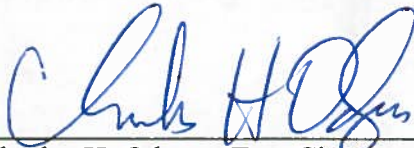
MELODY VAN CAMP, MAYOR

ATTEST:



ROBERT SWITZER, CITY ADMINISTRATOR

Approved as to form and content



Charles H. Odgers, Esq. City Attorney