

ORDINANCE NO. 14-3092

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY OF BEDFORD CODE OF ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 114 ARTICLE II, SECTION 114-39 "STOP INTERSECTIONS" TO INCLUDE THE SPECIFIC LOCATIONS LISTED FOR INTERSECTIONS DESIGNATED AS STREETS UPON WHICH VEHICLES STOP BEFORE ENTERING INTERSECTIONS; AND FOR AMENDINGS CHAPTER 114, ARTICLE II, SECTION 114-42, "PROHIBITED TURN AT INTERSECTIONS" TO INCLUDE THE SPECIFIC LOCATIONS WHERE DRIVERS OF VEHICLES SHALL NOT MAKE A U-TURN WHERE AN AUTHORIZED SIGN CLEARLY INDICATES THAT NO U-TURN IS PERMITTED; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING;FOR A PENALTY CLAUSE; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council of Bedford, Texas recognizes that approving the Traffic Plan is necessary for the health and safety of its citizens; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council of Bedford, Texas recognizes the importance of providing these improvements to protect the vitality of neighborhoods.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEDFORD, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That the findings above are found to be true and correct, and are incorporated herein.

SECTION 2. That Section 114-39 of the City of Bedford Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to include the following intersections designated as streets upon which vehicles shall stop before entering such intersections.

All traffic-control signs, signals, devices and markings placed or erected prior to adoption of this Code and in use for the purpose of regulating, warning or guiding traffic are hereby affirmed, ratified and declared to be official traffic-control devices, provided such traffic-control devices are not inconsistent with the provisions of this chapter or state law.

Sign Type	Route	Intersection	Direction
Stop	Wade Drive	King Drive	North
Stop	Wade Drive	King Drive	South
Stop	Circle Lane	King Drive	North
Stop	Circle Lane	King Drive	South
Stop	Bentley Drive	Central Drive	East
Stop	Bear Creek Lane	Central Drive	East
Stop	Bear Creek Lane	Bentley Drive	South
Stop	Bear Creek Lane	Bentley Drive	North
Stop	Bear Creek Lane	Central Drive	East
Stop	Overhill Street	Schumac Lane	North
Stop	Edgecliff Drive	Schumac Lane	North
Stop	Woodvale Drive	Woodmont	West
Stop	Autumn Chase Square	Schumac Lane	South
Stop	Bent Tree Lane	Willow Lane	East
Stop	Bent Tree Court	Willow Lane	West

SECTION 3. That Section 114-42 of the City of Bedford Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to include the following intersections designated as intersections at such drivers of vehicles shall not make U-Turn where an authorized sign clearly indicates that no U-Turn is permitted.

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adoption of this Code and in use for the purpose of regulating, warning or guiding traffic are hereby affirmed, ratified and declared to be official traffic-control devices, provided such traffic-control devices are not inconsistent with the provisions of this chapter or state law.

No U-Turn	Harwood Road	Park Avenue	West
No U-Turn	Harwood Road	2732	West

SECTION 4. That all ordinances, parts of ordinances and amendments thereto in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. If any section, article, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase or word in this Ordinance, or application thereof to any person or circumstance, is held invalid or unconstitutional by a Court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the Ordinance, and the City Council hereby declares it would have passed such remaining portion of the Ordinance despite such invalidity, which remaining portions shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 6. That any person who shall violate any of the provisions of the ordinance or shall fail to comply therewith or with any of the requirements thereof, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be liable to a fine, and upon conviction of any such violation shall be fined up to the maximum amount allowed by law.

SECTION 7. That this ordinance shall become effective from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

PRESENTED AND PASSED this 24th day of June, 2014, by a vote of 6 ayes, 0 nays, and 0 abstentions, at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Bedford, Texas.

Jim Griffin, Mayor

ATTEST:

Michael Wells, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Stan Lowry City Attorney