

**ORDINANCE # 2010 - 02**

AN ORDINANCE DESIGNATING TRUCK ROUTES THROUGH THE CITY OF PLEASANT PLAINS, ARKANSAS PROVIDING ENFORCEMENT AND PENALTIES; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Pleasant Plains, Arkansas:

SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful for any firm, company, corporation, person or persons to drive or cause to be driven any truck, tractor or tractor-trailer rig with a rating larger than two (2) tons upon or across any public street, public road, public right of way and/or public alley within the corporate limits of the City of Pleasant Plains, Arkansas except those streets, roads or highways that are designated herein as truck routes within the City of Pleasant Plains, Arkansas.

SECTION 2. The following streets, roads and highways are hereby designated as truck routes within the City of Pleasant Plains, Arkansas.

All federal and state highways within the corporate limits of the City of Pleasant Plains, Arkansas.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall not apply to trucks or vehicles two ton or larger operated by or for any public utility, nor to any truck or vehicle engaged in or responding to any need or requirement for emergency services, care or repairs nor to any truck or vehicle owned or operated by the City of Pleasant Plains or other governmental agency.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall not apply to trucks or other vehicles engaged in delivery, loading or unloading to be done at a location within the corporate limits of Pleasant plains, Arkansas not located on a truck route, provided that, the otherwise prohibited vehicle must be driven the shortest distance possible on the public streets and roads of Pleasant Plains, Arkansas not designated as truck routes and the maximum distance possible on the designated truck routes within the corporate limits of Pleasant Plains, Arkansas.

SECTION 5. Some person designated by the Mayor is hereby directed to place and locate upon the above said truck routes appropriate signs or other devices at the proper places designated said truck routes and the weight limitations.

SECTION 6. Any person, firm or corporation convicted of the violation of any provision of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of the commission of a misdemeanor and shall be fined not less than two hundred fifty (\$250.00) dollars, nor more than one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars.


SECTION 7. Any ordinance or part of any ordinance in conflict herewith is hereby repealed.

SECTION 8. If any section, sentence or portion of this ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion thereof.

Passed and approved this 12th day of July, 2010.

  
Ricky Siler  
Mayor

ATTEST:

  
MaryAnn Stracener  
Recorder/Treasurer