

**ORDINANCE NO. 5112**

**AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE USE OF DYNAMIC BRAKE DEVICES  
WITHIN THE CITY OF RAPID CITY BY ADDING SECTION 10.20.120 TO CHAPTER  
10.20 OF THE RAPID CITY MUNICIPAL CODE.**

WHEREAS, the current Rapid City Municipal Code does not specifically prohibit the use of dynamic braking devices within the City of Rapid City; and

WHEREAS, it is deemed important for the public enjoyment of the City of Rapid City that the use of dynamic braking devices be prohibited;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Common Council of the City of Rapid City, South Dakota, that Section 10.20.120 be created to read as follows:

**Section 10.20.120 Use of Dynamic Brake Device Prohibited.**

A dynamic braking device means a device used primarily on trucks for the conversion of the engine from an internal combustion engine to an air compressor for the purpose of braking without the use of wheel brakes, which devices are commonly referred to as “air brakes,” “Jacob’s brakes” or “jake brakes.” The use or operation of a dynamic braking device is hereby prohibited within the City of Rapid City, unless:

- (a) Use of the dynamic braking device is necessary to avert imminent danger; or
- (b) Used by emergency vehicles.

CITY OF RAPID CITY

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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Finance Officer  
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