

ORDINANCE NO. 5311

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE NO SKATEBOARDING ZONE BY AMENDING SECTION 10.52.010 OF THE RAPID CITY MUNICIPAL CODE.

WHEREAS, the City of Rapid City has previously adopted an ordinance that prohibits skateboarding in the downtown area of Rapid City; and

WHEREAS, the City of Rapid City recognizes the inherent danger of skateboarders in close proximity to pedestrians and vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the City of Rapid City constructed a skateboard park through its 2012 Program and continues to maintain that park for use by those wishing to engage in skateboarding; and

WHEREAS, the City of Rapid City deems it in the best interest of the health, safety and welfare of the community to extend the zone where skateboarding is prohibited.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Rapid City that Section 10.52.010 of the Rapid City Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

10.52.010 Skateboards-Prohibitions.

No person shall ride upon, operate or perform acrobatic stunts using a skateboard or other device propelled by human power of the rider upon any street, sidewalk, parking lot or other public place, or upon any private property so designated in the area bounded by the centerline of Omaha Street on the north, the centerline of Kansas City Street to the south, the centerline of East Boulevard on the east, and the centerline of West Boulevard on the west; **and also the area north of the center line of Quincy Street to Kansas City Street between the center line Sixth and Seventh streets.** Nothing herein shall prohibit the operation of bicycles or wheelchairs in accordance with applicable law or prohibit the use of skateboards or other device propelled by human power in the course of a parade authorized by the Chief of Police or upon any designated bike path.

CITY OF RAPID CITY

Mayor

ATTEST:

Finance Officer

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