

ORDINANCE NO. 5245

AN ORDINANCE ADDING THE GREENWAY NORTH OF RAPID CREEK, AND SOUTH OF NEW YORK STREET BETWEEN EAST BLVD. AND 5TH ST. AS AN AREA EXEMPT FROM THE ANIMAL RESTRAINT REQUIREMENT BY AMENDING SECTION 6.12.035 OF THE RAPID CITY MUNICIPAL CODE.

WHEREAS, the City has previously designated four areas within the City where animals are allowed to be free from restraints; and

WHEREAS, the areas that have been designated as being free from the restraint requirement have proven popular with the City's residents; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to encourage the use of the Greenway by its residents; and

WHEREAS, the Parks and Recreation Board has recommended that the area of the Rapid City Greenway to the north of Rapid Creek, and south of New York Street, between East Blvd and Fifth Street be designated as an area exempt from the City's animal restraint requirement; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Rapid City finds that it is in the City's best interest to adopt the recommendations of the Parks and Recreation Board by adding the area described above as an additional area free from the City's animal restraint requirement by amending Section 6.12.035 of the Rapid City Municipal Code.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Rapid City, that Section 6.12.035 of the Rapid City Municipal Code be amended to read as follows:

6.12.035 Exceptions

A. Notwithstanding the provisions of § 6.12.030 of this chapter, the following areas are exempt from the requirements of that section:

1. Braeburn Addition-~~W~~west of Cleghorn Springs Fish Hatchery at the hockey rink;
2. Wilderness Park-~~E~~east of City Springs Road and north of the picnic area;
3. Knollwood Metering Dam ~~N~~north of Racine Street and west of LaCrosse Street; and
4. Robbinsdale Park-~~S~~south of the picnic area, east of Harney Little League complex and north of Fairmont Boulevard.
5. Public park in the Rapid City Greenway west of East Blvd to Fifth Street, and south of New York Street and the private property along New York Street to Rapid Creek on the south.

B. The requirements of § 6.08.270 of this title shall apply to these designated areas.

CITY OF RAPID CITY

Mayor

ATTEST:

Finance Officer

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