ORDINANCE NO. 5282

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE PROHIBITION ON AGGRESSIVE SOLICITATION WITHIN THE CITY OF RAPID CITY BY AMENDING SECTION 9.08.020(B)(4) OF THE RAPID CITY MUNICIPAL CODE.

WHEREAS, the City of Rapid City has adopted an ordinance that prohibits aggressive solicitation in public places; and

WHEREAS, the ordinance prohibits solicitation of the operator or occupants of motor vehicles in certain instances but not in others; and

WHEREAS, the Rapid City Common Council finds that the solicitation of the operators and occupants of motor vehicles presents significant safety hazards to both the solicitor and the driver of the motor vehicle who is the target of the solicitation, as well as all other drivers in the vicinity; and

WHEREAS, the Rapid City Common Council deems it in the best interest of the public for the preservation of the health, safety, and welfare of the community to clarify the prohibition on the solicitation of operators or occupants of motor vehicles.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Rapid City that Section 9.08.020(B)(4) of the Rapid City Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

No person shall solicit an operator or other occupant of a motor vehicle while the vehicle is located on any street, for the purpose of performing or offering to perform a service in connection with the vehicle or otherwise soliciting the sale of goods or services.

CITY OF RAPID CITY

Mayor

ATTEST:

Finance Officer (SEAL)

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