

ORDINANCE NO. 2024-02

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF
THE CITY OF HILLS, IOWA, BY MODIFYING PROVISIONS REGARDING PARADES

Be it enacted by the City Council of the City of Hills, Iowa:

SECTION 1. SECTION REPLACED. Section 60.08 of the Code of Ordinances, City of Hills, Iowa, is hereby repealed, and the following adopted in lieu thereof:

60.08 PARADES REGULATED. No person shall conduct or cause any parade on any street except as provided herein:

1. Definition. "Parade" means any march or procession of persons or vehicles organized for marching or moving on the streets in an organized fashion or manner or any march or procession of persons or vehicles represented or advertised to the public as a parade.
2. Permit Required. No parade shall be conducted without first obtaining a written permit from the Council. Such permit shall state the time and date for the parade to be held and the streets or general route therefor. Such written permit granted to the person organizing or sponsoring the parade shall be permission for all participants therein to parade when such participants have been invited by the permittee to participate therein. No fee shall be required for such permit.
3. Parade Not A Street Obstruction. Any parade for which a permit has been issued as herein required, and the persons lawfully participating therein, shall not be deemed an obstruction of the streets notwithstanding the provisions of any other ordinance to the contrary.
4. Control by Police and Firefighters. Persons participating in any parade shall at all times be subject to the lawful orders and directions in the performance of their duties of law enforcement personnel and members of the Fire Department.
5. Closing Parade Route. The Applicant shall provide volunteers or staff as needed to assist the City with closing the parade route. The Applicant shall consult with City staff at least seven (7) days prior to a parade or when a permit application is submitted, whichever occurs later, to ensure the Applicant is aware what assistance will be needed to close the route.
6. Insurance. The Applicant shall provide insurance for any parade with the City as an additional insured and coverage amounts adequate for the risks involved, but in no case less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$3,000,000 aggregate. The Applicant shall provide to the City proof of such insurance prior to the start of any parade.
7. Fire Department Participation. All fire departments participating in a parade shall be placed consecutively following only a color guard and grand marshal, if any.

SECTION 2. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE. If any section, provision or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any section, provision, or part thereof not adjudicated invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 3. WHEN EFFECTIVE. This ordinance shall be in effect upon its final passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

First reading on the 9th day of Dec., 2024.

Second reading on the 9th day of Dec., 2024. *waived*

Third and final passage on the 9th day of Dec., 2024. *waived*


TIM KEMP, MAYOR

ATTEST:


ADRIANE SEDLACEK,
CITY ADMINISTRATOR/CLERK

I certify that the forgoing was published in accordance with the laws and ordinances of the State of Iowa and the City of Hills the 4th day of Dec., 2024.


ADRIANE SEDLACEK,
CITY ADMINISTRATOR/CLERK