

CITY OF CRAIG
ORDINANCE NO. 688

MAKING CHANGES TO THE CRAIG MUNICIPAL CODE, TITLE 10, VEHICLES
AND TRAFFIC. CODE ADOPTION, BY AMENDING 10.10.080 FAILURE TO
COMPLY WITH CITATION ATTACHED TO VEHICLE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CRAIG:

Section 1. Classification. This ordinance is of a general and permanent nature and the code sections adopted shall become a part of the code of the City of Craig, Alaska.

Section 2. Severability. If any provision of this ordinance or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the remainder of this ordinance and the application to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

Section 3. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

Section 4. Action. This ordinance amends Section 10.10.080.

APPROVED July 21, 2016


MAYOR DENNIS WATSON

ATTEST


KASSI BATEMAN, CITY CLERK



**Proposed Changes in Craig Code of Ordinances
Title 10
June 9, 2016**

Revise these sections underlined.

10.10.080 Failure to comply with citation attached to vehicle.

If a violator of the restrictions on stopping, standing or parking under the traffic laws or ordinances does not appear in response to a traffic citation affixed to such motor vehicle within a period of thirty days, the clerk or any police officer shall send the vehicle owner a letter informing him/her of the violation and warning him/her that, in the event such letter is disregarded for a period of five-thirty days, he/she could be charged with Failure to Obey Citation.

CITY OF CRAIG MEMORANDUM

To: Craig City Council
From: Kassi Bateman, City Clerk
Date: July 15, 2016
RE: Ordinance 688

Attached you will find Ordinance No. 688. This ordinance makes changes to Title 10 of the Craig Municipal Code, (VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC). This change is needed due to alterations in statute, state policy, state regulations and court decisions.

10.10.080 Failure to Comply with Citation Attached to Vehicle

Brings section into compliance, pertaining to 30 days to respond, not the prior 5 days. Also, Minor Offense Rule 9(d) prohibits issuance of bench warrants for failure to respond or appear or for failure to satisfy the judgment in a minor offense case.

Attached are the proposed changes to this section and new language to be added and or removed. By making changes, brings city code into compliance with recent changes in statute, state policy, changes in state regulation and court decisions. I ask that the Council adopt the attached additions and deletions to existing ordinances.

Recommendation

Adopt Ordinance No. 688 at second reading.