

CITY OF NEWTON, ILLINOIS

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TO CHAPTER 24 OF THE NEWTON CITY CODE
"RESTRICTIONS ON USE OF
EAGLE TRAILS"

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF NEWTON, ILLINOIS
THIS 2ND DAY OF JUNE, 2015

PUBLISHED IN PAMPHLET FORM BY AUTHORITY OF
THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEWTON,
JASPER COUNTY, ILLINOIS
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ROSETTA M. YORK, CITY CLERK

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WHEREAS, the CITY OF NEWTON, ILLINOIS and the COUNTY OF JASPER, ILLINOIS have entered into an INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT concerning the use and enforcement of their respective Ordinances with regard to the Pedestrians/Bike Trail commonly known as "EAGLE TRAILS" , and

WHEREAS, the CITY OF NEWTON, ILLINOIS adopts this Ordinance to be in compliance with said Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the CITY OF NEWTON, ILLINOIS that an "ARTICLE X - RESTRICTION ON USE OF EAGLE TRAILS" is hereby adopted and added to CHAPTER 24 of the NEWTON CITY CODE to provide as follows:

1. The use of the Pedestrian/Bike trail commonly known as "EAGLE TRAILS" shall be restricted to Pedestrians, Non-Motorized Bicycles, Wheelchairs, and Motorized Wheelchairs. No other motorized vehicles of any kind shall be allowed upon the "EAGLE TRAILS" except as such shall be used by law enforcement of the CITY OF NEWTON and/or COUNTY OF JASPER in the enforcement of their respective Ordinances, rules and regulation and, further except as such shall be used by adjoining property owners for ingress and egress to their property, Frontier and other authorized utility companies and authorized City Officers and Employees in the performance of City work.

2. The respective law enforcement officers of the CITY OF NEWTON and of the COUNTY OF JASPER are hereby authorized to enforce the Ordinance, rules and regulations of the CITY OF NEWTON and/or COUNTY OF JASPER whether the violation shall occur within the CITY limits or outside the CITY limits of Newton, Illinois.

3. The penalty to be assessed for violations of this Ordinance shall be punishable by a fine of not less than \$150.00 or more than \$750.00 for each offense. Additionally, any violation involving a motorized vehicle shall result in revocation of any permit for use of that vehicle and the impoundment of the vehicle for not less than 24

hours. All costs of towing and impoundment shall be assessed against and paid by the violator.

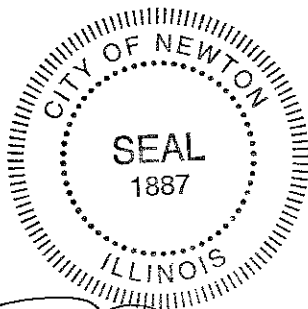
4. The Chief of Police and/or his Deputies are authorized to post signs at the said "EAGLE TRAILS" advising of the above restrictions and/or penalties.

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication in pamphlet form as provided by law.

Upon roll call vote the following Alderpersons voted yea: Rick Lindemann, Larry Brooks, Robert Reisner, Eric Blake and Scott Bloomberg

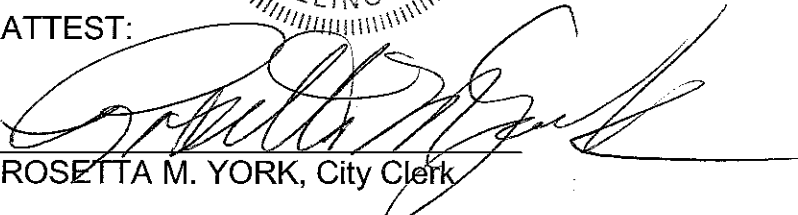
Upon roll call vote the following Alderperson voted nay: None

Passed, approved and published in pamphlet form this 2nd day of June, 2015.




MARK BOLANDER, MAYOR

ATTEST:


ROSETTA M. YORK, City Clerk