CITY COUNCIL ADDRESSES WEIGHT LIMIT ORDINANCE

By Brittany Trandahl Reporter

"I want to know if my truck is tearing up the streets," asked Upton resident and truck driver, Dennis Stirmel during the regular meeting of the Upton Town Council on Tuesday, September 12. Stirmel was recently issued a warning for parking on Upton streets. "According to this ordinance, we can't build houses in Upton because the delivery trucks can't legally drive on the streets."

Mr. Stirmel was referring to Upton Municipal Ordinance 10.32 - Weight Limit Restrictions. This ordinance has been a topic of discussion and some contention as of late. "It has not been looked at since 1983 and is very out of date," stated Mayor Nicholas Trandahl. "This is a working document and we [Upton Town Council and staff] are looking to update it. When we start to have community members approach us about others violating ordinances and being a disturbance, we have to do something about it."

Mayor Trandahl added that the Council will be looking to rework the ordinance to allow

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