

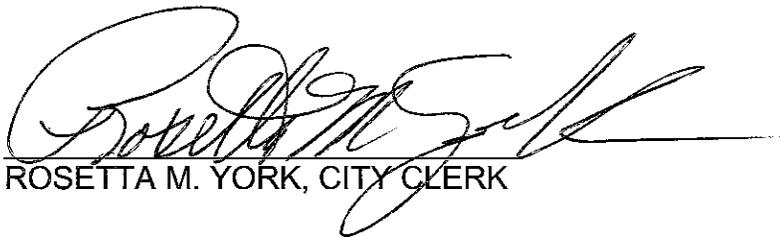
CITY OF NEWTON, ILLINOIS

ORDINANCE NO. 17 - 01

AN ORDINANCE
TO AMEND SECTION 25-2-1 AND 25-2-2 OF
ARTICLE II – WEEDS
OF THE NEWTON CITY CODE OF
THE CITY OF NEWTON, JASPER COUNTY, ILLINOIS

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF NEWTON, ILLINOIS
THIS 21st DAY OF MARCH, 2017

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ROSETTA M. YORK, CITY CLERK

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BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Newton, Illinois, that
SECTION 25-2-1 and 25-2-2 of ARTICLE II – WEEDS of the Newton City Code are
hereby amended as follows:

25-2-1 WEEDS – DECLARED A NUISANCE. Any weeds such as jimson, burdock, ragweed, thistle, cocklebur, or other weeds of a like kind, found growing in any lot or tract of land in the City are hereby declared to be a nuisance, and it shall be unlawful to permit any such weeds to grow or remain in any such place, except in the manner and within the parameters authorized by the City Council in furtherance of educational and/or research projects for the common good.

25-2-2 HEIGHT. It shall be unlawful for anyone to permit any weeds, grass or plants, other than trees, herbs, fruits, vegetables, bushes, flowers, or other ornamental plants, to grow to a height exceeding **eight (8) inches** anywhere in the City, except in the manner and within the parameters authorized by the City Council in furtherance of educational and/or research projects for the common good.

Except as amended hereby, the Newton City Code shall remain in full force and effect according to its original terms and provisions, as Amended, from time to time.

Upon roll call vote the following Alderpersons voted yea: **Steve Rubsam, David Brown, Robert Reisner, and Scott Bloomberg**

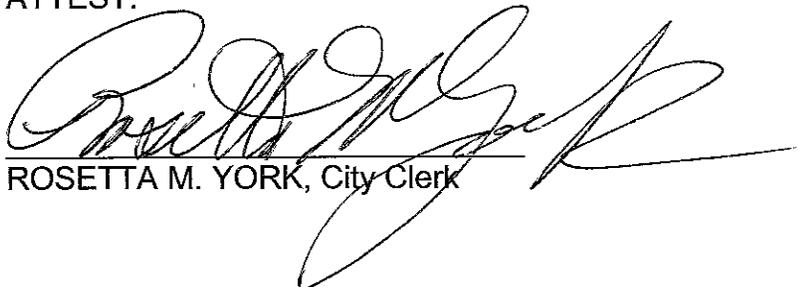
Upon roll call vote the following Alderperson voted nay: **None**

Passed, approved and published in pamphlet form this 21st day of March, 2017.




MARK BOLANDER, MAYOR

ATTEST:


ROSETTA M. YORK, City Clerk