

CHAPTER 112: JUNK DEALERS; SALE OF USED VEHICLES

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Restrictions on used vehicle sales pertaining to noise of vehicles, see § 91.18

§ 112.01 DEFINITIONS.

For the purpose of this chapter, the following definitions shall apply unless the context clearly indicates or requires a different meaning.

USED AUTOMOBILE or ***TRAILER SALES LOT***. An open area used for the display, sale or rental of used motor vehicles, trailers, motorcycles, or other similar devices.

JUNK YARD. A place where waste, discarded, or salvaged materials are bought, sold, exchanged, stored, baled, cleaned, packed, disassembled or handled in an open area or partly in an open area.

(Ord. 9, passed 5-3-65)

§ 112.02 PERMIT REQUIRED; APPLICATION; FEE.

On or before the 10th day of January of each year, the owner and/or operator of any used automobile or trailer sales lot and the owner and/or operator of any junk yard shall secure from the City Clerk of the city a permit to conduct said business, which application for permit shall show the estimated value of current inventory, the legal description of the property on which the business is to be located, the street address at which the business is to be located, the names and addresses of all parties interested therein, and shall pay a fee of \$5 for a used car lot and \$15 for a junk yard license.

(Ord. 9, passed 5-3-65; Am. Ord. 9, passed 7-6-65) Penalty, see § 112.99

§ 112.03 CITY COUNCIL REVIEW OF APPLICATION.

(A) The City Clerk shall secure from the City Treasurer a statement of the status of all personal and real property taxes in connection with said business location as of the date of the application for said license.

(B) The City Clerk shall report the application together with the certificate of the City Treasurer to the City Council, who shall determine whether or not a license permit should be issued to the applicant at the location set forth in the application.

(C) In the event the City Council shall refuse to issue said license permit, the City Clerk shall refund the license permit fee paid by the applicant and return the application with a notation that the City Council has refused to issue the license permit.

(Ord. 9, passed 5-3-65; Am. Ord. 9, passed 7-6-65)

§ 112.04 ISSUANCE OF LICENSE; REVOCATION.

The City Council may impose such restrictions or requirements as may be necessary to preserve the public health, safety, and welfare of the inhabitants of the city before issuing the license permit. In the event such specifications and requirements by the City Council are not complied with within a reasonable time, the City Council shall have the right to revoke the license permit.

(Ord. 9, passed 5-3-65)

§ 112.05 TERM OF PERMIT.

The permit, when issued, shall be effective from January 1 of the year for which application is made to December 31.

(Ord. 9, passed 5-3-65; Am. Ord. 9, passed 7-6-65)

§ 112.99 PENALTY.

Any person, firm, partnership or corporation who shall violate the provisions of this chapter in any particular shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not to exceed \$100 or may be imprisoned in the County Jail not exceeding 90 days, or may be both fined and imprisoned in the discretion of the Court, and each day a violation of this chapter continues shall be deemed a separate offense.

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