

ORDINANCE 1991

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 66, LOAD AND WEIGHT RESTRICTIONS, OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF ANKENY, IOWA, BY AMENDING SECTION 66.04, LOAD LIMITS ON BRIDGES, TO ALLOW FOR THE REVISION TO THE WEIGHT RESTRICTION ON THE FOLLOWING BRIDGE:

- 1. NE 54TH STREET BRIDGE OVER THE EAST TRIBUTARY TO FOURMILE CREEK, BETWEEN NE HILLCREST DRIVE AND NE BRIARWOOD DRIVE.**
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WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Ankeny, Iowa, deems it in the best interest of the City to amend Chapter 66, Load and Weight Restrictions; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Ankeny, Iowa, passed Ordinance 1955 on September 17, 2018 restricting the load limit on the NE 54th Street bridge over tributary to Fourmile Creek, between NE Hillcrest Drive and NE Briarwood Drive, to help extend the service life of the bridge until it is replaced in 2019; and

WHEREAS, a new bridge was constructed in 2019 and is now open to traffic.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the City Council of the City of Ankeny, Iowa that:

Section 1. Section 66.04, LOAD LIMITS ON BRIDGES, of the Municipal Code of the City of Ankeny, Iowa, should be and is hereby amended as follows:

66.04 LOAD LIMITS ON BRIDGES.

Where it has been determined that any City bridge has a capacity less than the maximum permitted on the streets of the City, or on the street serving the bridge, the Public Works Director and/or the Police Chief may cause to be posted and maintained signs on said bridge and at suitable distances ahead of the entrances thereof to warn drivers of such maximum load limits, and no person shall drive, pull, or otherwise propel any vehicle weighing, loaded or unloaded, upon said bridge in excess of such posted limit.

(Code of Iowa, Sec. 321.471)

1. There is fixed for users of the following bridges the maximum load limit, including the weight of the vehicle, together with trailer or other attachments thereto, designated for each bridge:

A. NONE

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its passage, approval, and publication as provided by law.

PASSED at Ankeny, Iowa, this 2nd day of December, 2019.

Gary Lorenz, Mayor

ATTEST:

Denise L. Hoy, City Clerk

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