

CHAPTER 3**POLICE REGULATIONS****335. COMMERCIAL VEHICLE PARKING**

Section 335.01 Purpose. It is the purpose of this ordinance to aesthetically improve residential areas within Medina and to protect the health, safety and welfare of the residential population within Medina, it being determined by the City Council that the parking of commercial vehicles within residential areas is a nuisance.

Section 335.03. Definitions.

Subd. 1. Agriculture – An activity or occupation concerned with farming, cultivating land, raising crops, and the feeding, breeding, and raising of livestock, but not including activities primarily involving lawn care and landscaping.

Subd. 2. Commercial Vehicle - Any truck, truck-tractor, semi-trailer, farm tractor, road tractor, bus, custom service vehicle or wrecker used in any business having a gross vehicle weight of 12,000 pounds or more or any motorized equipment used primarily in the construction trade with a gross vehicle weight of more than 5,000 pounds.

Subd. 3. Farm Tractor - Every motor vehicle designed and used primarily as a farm implement for drawing plows, mowing-machines, and other implements of husbandry.

Subd. 4. Rural Areas - Property within Medina which is undeveloped or developed for residential use at rural densities and which is not served by the public sanitary sewer or water supply systems.

Subd. 5. Urban Areas - Property within Medina which is served by the public sanitary sewer or water supply systems.

Section 335.05. Parking is defined as the stopping of a commercial vehicle for longer than four continuous hours, except stopping for purposes of delivery or pick up of chattels or persons pursuant to any business for which said motor vehicle is legally used.

Section 335.07. Parking In Urban Areas. It is unlawful, and punishable as a misdemeanor, to park a commercial vehicle in a residential urban area for more than four continuous hours without a city permit.

Section 335.09. Parking In Rural Areas. It is unlawful, and punishable as a misdemeanor, to park a commercial vehicle in a residential rural area for more than four

hours without a permit. Farm tractors and equipment used in conjunction with agriculture are excluded from this limitation but such equipment may not be parked on city streets.

Amendment History of this Section

Amended October 18, 2011 (Ord. 512). Added definitions for Agriculture, Rural Areas, and Urban Areas. Added sections on parking in urban areas and parking in rural areas.

Amended November 17, 2015 (Ord. 592). Amended Sections 335.01, 335.03, 335.05, 335.07, and 335.09 regarding commercial vehicle parking.