

ORDINANCE NUMBER 2006 – 23

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 02-71, CONCERNING THE PARKING OF VEHICLES ON THE STREETS OF THE TOWN OF LAGUNA VISTA, TEXAS, WITH CERTAIN EXCEPTIONS, AND PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATIONS.

WHEREAS, Ordinance 02-71 was adopted on March 8, 1971 by the Board of Aldermen, and;

WHEREAS, Section I of Ordinance 02-71 states the following:

“It shall hereafter be unlawful for any person to park or leave parked any automobile, truck or any other vehicle on the right of way of any public street at any time, except in special areas officially designated as parking spaces, or for the purpose of loading or unloading passengers or materials or in such instances where additional temporary parking space is needed for a special occasion, in which case the Chief of Police is hereby authorized to issue a special temporary parking permit.”

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the board of aldermen to amend section I of Ordinance 02-71 to avoid any inconvenience for Laguna Vista residents.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE TOWN OF LAGUNA VISTA THAT ORDINANCE 02-71, SECTION I, SHALL READ AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I - It shall be unlawful for any person to park or leave parked any automobile, truck, trailer, or any other motorized vehicle on the utility right-of-way, also known as the easement of any property, for more than six (6) hours; except in special areas officially designated as parking spaces, or for the purpose of loading or unloading passengers or materials. The allowance of the six (6) hours shall not be construed to mean that any vehicle may be parked repeatedly every night within the six hour time frame limit. The property owner shall be issued a warning citation for the first offense, and a violation citation for the second offense of parking in the right-of-way, irrelevant to the vehicle on the warning citation. In the case of where additional temporary parking space is needed for a special occasion, the Police Chief is hereby authorized to make a temporary allowance, with a written request, not to exceed twenty-four (24) hours.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 12 DAY OF DECEMBER 2006.

Attest:


Alma Deckard, City Secretary


David Privett, Mayor