

ORDINANCE NO. 2015-07

AN ORDINANCE ENACTING A NEW SECTION 10.40.020 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF TERRY, MONTANA, TO PROVIDE FOR THE INSTALLATION OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES ON TOWN STREETS

WHEREAS, pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. § 61-8-206 local authorities may place and maintain traffic control devices upon highways under their jurisdiction that they consider necessary to indicate and to carry out the provisions of local traffic ordinances or to regulate, warn or guide traffic; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. § 61-12-101(2) local authorities may regulate traffic on streets and highways under their jurisdiction and within the reasonable exercise of the police power by means of traffic control devices; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. § 7-14-4102(1),(2),(4) the Town Council has the authority to regulate streets and traffic within the Town; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council has determined that it is necessary to enact Section 10.40.020 to protect the public and carry out the provisions of Title 10 of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Terry, Montana.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL FOR THE TOWN OF TERRY, MONTANA, that Section 10.40.020 is enacted as follows:

Section 10.40.020: Installation of Traffic Control Devices

The director of public works or local law enforcement, under the direction of the Town Council, shall place and maintain traffic control signs, signals and devices, conforming to the state manual and specifications, upon Town streets, except state highways, when and as required under the traffic ordinances, and may place and maintain such additional traffic control devices as they or the Town Council may deem necessary to regulate traffic under the traffic ordinances of the Town or under state law, or to warn or guide traffic.

DATE OF EFFECT:

This ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days from the date of its final passage by the Town Council.

FIRST READING AND PASSAGE by a majority vote of the members present this ____ day of _____, 2015

YEAS _____

NAYS _____

Mayor

ATTEST:

Town Clerk

POSTED IN THREE (3) PUBLIC PLACES AND MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC this ____ day of _____, 2015.

Town Clerk

SECOND READING AND PASSAGE by a majority vote of the members present this ____ day of _____, 2015

YEAS _____

NAYS _____

Mayor

ATTEST:

Town Clerk