

CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 6644

AN ORDINANCE amending Bellevue City Code (BCC) Title 9, Chapter 9.09, Abatement of Junk Vehicles, and Chapter 9.11, Anti-Litter Code, to improve its function and usability; providing for severability; and establishing an effective date.

WHEREAS, throughout the process of administering Chapter 9.09 BCC, Abatement of Junk Vehicles, and Chapter 9.11 BCC, Anti-Litter Code, the City has identified necessary amendments to improve the function and usability of these Chapters by correcting inaccurate or outdated citations; and

WHEREAS, the City seeks to amend Chapter 9.09 BCC, Abatement of Junk Vehicles, and Chapter 9.11, Anti-Litter Code, to improve the administration of these Chapters in Title 9 of the BCC; and

WHEREAS, the City Council reviewed proposed amendments to the Abatement of Junk Vehicles Chapter and the Anti-Litter Code Chapter at a study session on January 10, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to amend Title 9 of the BCC at Chapter 9.09 BCC, Abatement of Junk Vehicles, and Chapter 9.11 BCC, Anti-Litter Code, to improve their function and usability; now, therefore,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELLEVUE, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 9.09.020.C of the Bellevue City Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

C. “Junk Vehicle” means any vehicle substantially meeting all of the following requirements (RCW 46.55.010(5)):

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Section 2. Section 9.11.040 of the Bellevue City Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

9.11.040 Property owner’s duty to keep premises litter-free.

The owner, occupant or person in control of any private property or public place shall at all times maintain the premises free of litter; provided, however, that this section shall not prohibit: the storage of litter in private litter receptacles for collection or disposal; the maintenance of compost piles contained within a physical structure;

and the temporary storage of building, construction, landscaping and similar materials, except as prohibited by Chapter 9.10 BCC.

Section 3. Severability. If any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining parts of this Ordinance.

Section 4. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force five (5) days after adoption and legal publication.

Passed by the City Council this _____ day of _____, 2022 and signed in authentication of its passage this _____ day of _____, 2022.

(SEAL)

Lynne Robinson, Mayor

Approved as to form:

Kathryn L. Gerla, City Attorney

Matthew McFarland, Assistant City Attorney

Attest:

Charmaine Arredondo, City Clerk

Published: _____