

TOWN OF RUSTON

ORDINANCE NO. 1321

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF RUSTON, WASHINGTON, AMENDING RMC 16.01.025, PERTAINING TO ONE-WAY STREETS.

WHEREAS, the section of North Court Street to the west of Bennett Street is the Town's only cul-de-sac; and

WHEREAS, several families with small children reside on said section of North Court Street; and

WHEREAS, the current designation of North Court Street between North Baltimore Street and North Bennett Street as a one-way street in an east-to-west direction results in a large amount of out-of-town traffic entering North Bennett Street from North 49th Street, being forced to turn left onto Court Street, and to travel the entire length of Court Street to the cul-de-sac, this being the only way back out; and

WHEREAS, the current routing of traffic west on Court Street creates an inordinate amount of traffic on a residential street with numerous children; and

WHEREAS, re-designating North Court Street between North Bennett Street and North Baltimore Street as one-way, west-to-east would create an outlet for traffic from North Bennett Street, such that traffic would no longer be forced to drive the length of Court Street and turn around:

NOW, THEREFORE, THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF RUSTON, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. RMC 16.01.125 is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

16.01.025 One-way streets designated.

(a) North Court Street between North Baltimore Street and North Bennett Street is hereby designated a one-way street. Vehicles on North Court Street between North Baltimore Street and North Bennett Street shall travel only in the west to east direction.

(b) The lawful direction of vehicular travel on North Court Street between Baltimore and Bennett Street shall be indicated by appropriate signage.

Section 2. The Maintenance Supervisor is hereby directed to change the one-way signage on North Court Street to give effect to the provisions of this Ordinance.

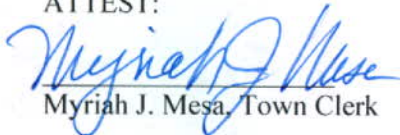
Section 3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect upon publication.

ENACTED by the Town Council of the Town of Ruston in open public meeting, SIGNED by the Mayor and attested by the Town Clerk in authentication of such passage this 15th day of November 2010.



Bruce Hopkins, Mayor

ATTEST:


Myriah J. Mesa, Town Clerk

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