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*CITY OF BETHEL, ALASKA*

**Ordinance #13-17**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE BETHEL MUNICIPAL CODE TITLE  
10 VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC BY REPEALING CHAPTERS 10.02  
MOTOR VEHICLE AND DRIVING OFFENSES – RULES OF THE ROAD;  
10.04 MOTOR VEHICLE AND DRIVING OFFENSES – VEHICLE  
EQUIPMENT AND INSPECTION, 10.06 INSPECTION OF VEHICLES  
AND ADOPTING TITLE 10.01 MOTOR VEHICLE AND DRIVING  
OFFENSES**

**THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED** by the City Council of Bethel, Alaska, that:

**SECTION 1. Classification.** This ordinance is of a permanent nature and shall become a part of the Bethel Municipal Code.

**SECTION 2. Amendment to BMC Title 10 Vehicles and Traffic.** The Bethel Municipal Code is amended as follows (new language is underlined and ~~old language is stricken out~~):

**~~Chapter 10.02~~**

**~~MOTOR VEHICLE AND DRIVING OFFENSES – RULES OF THE ROAD~~**

**Sections:**

~~10.02.005~~ Traffic control devices—Obedience to and required traffic control devices.

~~10.02.020~~ Traffic control devices—Flashing signals.

~~10.02.030~~ Traffic control devices—Display of unauthorized signs, signals or markings.

~~10.02.050~~ Use of roadway—Driving on right side of roadway—Exceptions and special situations.

~~10.02.055~~ Use of roadway—Passing on right.

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- ~~10.02.060 Use of roadway Limitations on driving left of center.~~
- ~~10.02.065 Use of roadway Overtaking a vehicle on left Limitations.~~
- ~~10.02.070 Use of roadway Passing vehicles proceeding in opposite direction.~~
- ~~10.02.075 Use of roadway No passing zones.~~
- ~~10.02.085 Use of roadway Driving on roadways laned for traffic.~~
- ~~10.02.090 Use of roadway Following too closely.~~
- ~~10.02.120 Right of way Vehicle approaching or entering intersection.~~
- ~~10.02.125 Right of way Vehicle turning left.~~
- ~~10.02.130 Right of way Stop signs and yield signs.~~
- ~~10.02.135 Right of way Vehicle entering roadway.~~
- ~~10.02.140 Right of way Driving of vehicles on approach of authorized emergency vehicles.~~
- ~~10.02.155 Pedestrian rights and duties Pedestrian right of way and safety zones.~~
- ~~10.02.160 Pedestrian rights and duties Crossing at other than crosswalks.~~
- ~~10.02.175 Pedestrian rights and duties Pedestrian on highways.~~
- ~~10.02.180 Pedestrian rights and duties Pedestrian soliciting rides or business.~~
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- ~~10.02.200 Turning, starting and signals on turning Starting and stopping Required position and method of turning.~~
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- ~~10.02.275 Speed restrictions Basic speed and maximum limits.~~
- ~~10.02.280 Speed restrictions Alteration of limits by state and municipalities.~~
- ~~10.02.295 Speed restrictions Minimum speed regulation.~~
- ~~10.02.325 Speed restrictions Special speed limitations.~~
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- ~~10.02.365 Stopping, standing and parking—Additional parking regulations.~~
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- ~~10.02.372 Stopping, standing and parking—Public carrier stops.~~
- ~~10.02.385 Special rules for bicycles, nonmotorized conveyances, motorcycles and motor driven cycles—Applicability of regulations to bicycles.~~
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- ~~10.02.427 Special rules for bicycles, nonmotorized conveyances, motorcycles and motor driven cycles—Driving motorcycles and motor driven cycles on roadways laned for traffic.~~
- ~~10.02.430 Special rules for snowmobiles and other off highway vehicles—Applicability of regulations—Parental responsibility.~~
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- ~~10.02.480 Miscellaneous provisions—Unattended motor vehicle.~~
- ~~10.02.482 Miscellaneous provisions—Limited use of vehicular ways and areas.~~
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~~10.02.497~~ Miscellaneous provisions—Funerals and other processions—  
Permits.

~~10.02.505~~ Miscellaneous provisions—Animals on highway and other areas.

~~10.02.515~~ Miscellaneous provisions—Coasting prohibited.

~~10.02.517~~ Miscellaneous provisions—Authorized and emergency vehicles.

~~10.02.520~~ Miscellaneous provisions—Following authorized emergency vehicle,  
interference at scene of accident—Crossing fire hose.

~~10.02.530~~ Miscellaneous provisions—Littering, depositing materials and  
dragging objects prohibited.

~~10.02.545~~ Miscellaneous provisions—Drivers to exercise care.

~~10.02.560~~ General provisions—Application of traffic regulations.

~~10.02.005~~ Traffic control devices—Obedience to and required traffic control devices.

A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.005.

B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.005.

C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.005. [Ord. 93-07  
§ 5.]

~~10.02.020~~ Traffic control devices—Flashing signals.

A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.020.

B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.020. [Ord. 93-07  
§ 5.]

~~10.02.030~~ Traffic control devices—Display of unauthorized signs, signals or markings.

A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.030.

B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.030. [Ord. 93-07  
§ 5.]

~~10.02.050~~ Use of roadway—Driving on right side of roadway—Exceptions and special  
situations.

A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.050.

B. The city adopts all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.050. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

~~10.02.055~~ Use of roadway—Passing on right.

A. The city adopts all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.055.

B. The city adopts all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.055. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

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~~10.02.060 Use of roadway—Limitations on driving left of center.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.060.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.060. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.065 Use of roadway—Overtaking a vehicle on left—Limitations.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.065.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.065. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.070 Use of roadway—Passing vehicles proceeding in opposite direction.~~

~~The city adopts by reference all of 13 AAC 02.070. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.075 Use of roadway—No passing zones.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.075.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.075. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.085 Use of roadway—Driving on roadways laned for traffic.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.085.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.085. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.090 Use of roadway—Following too closely.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.095.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.095.~~

~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.095. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.120 Right of way—Vehicle approaching or entering intersection.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.120.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.120.~~

~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.120. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.125 Right of way—Vehicle turning left.~~

~~The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 02.125 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

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~~10.02.130 Right of way—Stop signs and yield signs.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.130.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.130. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.135 Right of way—Vehicle entering roadway.~~

~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.135. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.140 Right of way—Driving of vehicles on approach of authorized emergency vehicles.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.140.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.140.~~

~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.140. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.155 Pedestrian rights and duties—Pedestrian right of way and safety zones.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.155.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.155.~~

~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.155.~~

~~D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.155.~~

~~E. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) of 13 AAC 02.155. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.160 Pedestrian rights and duties—Crossing at other than crosswalks.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.160.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.160.~~

~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.160.~~

~~D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) of 13 AAC 02.160.~~

~~E. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 02.160. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.175 Pedestrian rights and duties—Pedestrian on highways.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.175.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.175.~~

~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.175.~~

~~D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) of 13 AAC 02.175. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

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~~10.02.180 Pedestrian rights and duties—Pedestrian soliciting rides or business.  
The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 02.180 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.190 Pedestrian rights and duties—Blind pedestrian devices and right of way.  
A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.190.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.190. [Ord. 93-07  
§ 5.]~~

~~10.02.195 Pedestrian rights and duties—Pedestrians yield to authorized emergency  
vehicles.  
A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.195.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.195. [Ord. 93-07  
§ 5.]~~

~~10.02.200 Turning, starting and signals on turning—Starting and stopping—Required  
position and method of turning.  
A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.200.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.200.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.200. [Ord. 93-07  
§ 5.]~~

~~10.02.205 Turning, starting and signals on turning—Starting and stopping—Limitations  
on turning.  
A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.205.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.205. [Ord. 93-07  
§ 5.]~~

~~10.02.210 Turning, starting and signals on turning—Starting and stopping—Starting  
parked vehicle.  
The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 02.210 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.215 Turning, starting and signals on turning—Starting and stopping—Turning  
movements and required signals.  
A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.220.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.220.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.220.  
D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 02.220. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

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~~10.02.257 Special stops required—Merging from alley, driveway or building.  
The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 02.257 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.260 Special stops required—Overtaking and passing school bus.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.260.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.260. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.265 Special stops required—Stop when traffic may be obstructed.~~

~~The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 02.265 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.275 Speed restrictions—Basic speed and maximum limits.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.275.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.275.~~

~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) of 13 AAC 02.275. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.280 Speed restrictions—Alteration of limits by state and municipalities.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.280.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.280.~~

~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.280.~~

~~D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.280. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.295 Speed restrictions—Minimum speed regulation.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.295.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.295. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.325 Speed restrictions—Special speed limitations.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.325.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.325.~~

~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.325.~~

~~D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.325.~~

~~E. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) of 13 AAC 02.325.~~

~~F. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 02.325. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.330 Speed restrictions—Racing on highway.~~



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- A. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.330.~~
- B. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.330. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.340 Stopping, standing and parking—Stopping, standing or parking on highway and in other locations.~~

- A. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.340.~~
- B. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.340.~~
- C. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.340.~~
- D. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.340. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.345 Stopping, standing and parking—Officers authorized to remove vehicles.~~

- A. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.345.~~
- B. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.345.~~
- C. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.345.~~
- D. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.345. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.365 Stopping, standing and parking—Additional parking regulations.~~

- A. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.365.~~
- B. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.365.~~
- C. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.365.~~
- D. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 02.365.~~
- E. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (g) of 13 AAC 02.365. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.367 Stopping, standing and parking—Loading zone.~~

- A. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.367.~~
- B. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.367.~~
- C. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.367.~~
- D. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.367. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.372 Stopping, standing and parking—Public carrier stops.~~

- A. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.372.~~
- B. ~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.372.~~

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~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.372.  
D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.372. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.385 Special rules for bicycles, nonmotorized conveyances, motorcycles and motor driven cycles—Applicability of regulations to bicycles.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.385.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.385.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.385. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.395 Special rules for bicycles, nonmotorized conveyances, motorcycles and motor driven cycles—Riding on bicycles and certain nonmotorized conveyances.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.395.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.395.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.395.  
D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) of 13 AAC 02.395.  
E. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 02.395. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.400 Special rules for bicycles, nonmotorized conveyances, motorcycles and motor driven cycles—Riding bicycles on roadways and bicycle paths.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.400.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.400.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.400.  
D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.400.  
E. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 02.400.  
F. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (g) of 13 AAC 02.400.  
G. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (h) of 13 AAC 02.400. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.420 Special rules for bicycles, nonmotorized conveyances, motorcycles and motor driven cycles—Parking of bicycles.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.420.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.420.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.420. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

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~~10.02.422 Special rules for bicycles, nonmotorized conveyances, motorcycles and motor driven cycles—Applicability of regulations to motorcycles.  
The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 02.422 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.425 Special rules for bicycles, nonmotorized conveyances, motorcycles and motor driven cycles—Riding on motorcycles and motor driven cycles.  
A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.425.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.425.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.425.  
D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.425. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.427 Special rules for bicycles, nonmotorized conveyances, motorcycles and motor driven cycles—Driving motorcycles and motor driven cycles on roadways laned for traffic.  
A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.427.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.427.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.427. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.430 Special rules for snowmobiles and other off-highway vehicles—Applicability of regulations—Parental responsibility.  
The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) and all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.430. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.445 Special rules for snowmobiles and other off-highway vehicles—Riding on snowmobiles and other off-highway vehicles.  
The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.445. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.455 Special rules for snowmobiles and other off-highway vehicles—Operation on highway and other locations.  
A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.455.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 02.455.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (g) of 13 AAC 02.455.  
D. The following paragraphs and language are a supplement to and do not replace language in the Alaska Administrative Code:~~

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- ~~1. Snowmobiles and ATVs shall also be permitted to operate only on city owned and maintained streets subject to the following rules and regulations:~~
  - ~~a. Snow machines and ATVs shall be permitted; provided, that the driver of the snow machine is at least sixteen (16) years of age and possesses at minimum a valid Alaska Class D driver's license, or equivalent from another jurisdiction, and complies with all state of Alaska laws and regulations pertaining to driver's licenses.~~
  - ~~b. Snow machines and ATVs must comply with all state of Alaska and city of Bethel traffic laws and ordinances, including but not limited to:~~
    - ~~i. Vehicle must be registered through the Division of Motor Vehicles, and proof of registration must be displayed in the designated location on the vehicle; and~~
    - ~~ii. Vehicle must have liability insurance, and proof of insurance must be presented on demand; and~~
    - ~~iii. Vehicle must be equipped with at least one (1) functional headlight, taillight, and brake light that meets Alaska Administrative Code requirements for said equipment; and~~
    - ~~iv. Vehicle may not carry any passengers other than the operator unless it is designed and equipped by the manufacturer to do so; and~~
    - ~~v. Vehicle operator must abide by all speed limits, regulatory signs, and other traffic safety regulations.~~
  - ~~c. The operator must comply with all state of Alaska and city of Bethel laws and ordinances as they pertain to the use of eye protection and helmets.~~
  - ~~d. Towing of sleds or trailers is permitted only under the following restrictions:~~
    - ~~i. The sled or trailer must be attached by a solid and rigid towing device (ropes, cables, tow straps and the like are prohibited); and~~
    - ~~ii. The sled or trailer must be equipped with the proper lighting that is illuminated if the taillight and brake light of the snow machine or ATV are not visible from behind the sled or trailer; and~~
    - ~~iii. If not required to have lights, the sled or trailer must be equipped with at least two (2) red reflectors, one (1) permanently attached to each uppermost rear corner of the sled or trailer; and~~
    - ~~iv. Trailers being towed must be under one thousand five hundred (1,500) pounds (including its cargo) and the trailer and its cargo cannot be blocking the operator's ability to easily see behind the vehicle and trailer.~~
- ~~2. Definitions. As used in this section:~~
  - ~~a. "Snow machine" means a motor vehicle weighing one (1) ton or less, gross vehicle weight, primarily designed to travel over snow and supported, in part, by skis, belts, cleats, tracks or low pressure tires and includes the vehicle commonly known as a snowmobile or snow go.~~

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~~b. "ATV" means a propelled vehicle that has three (3) or more wheels or two (2) or more tracks or treads, measuring less than seventy five (75) inches in width, having a dry weight of one (1) ton or less, being equipped with low pressure tires or rubberized or metal tracks or treads and designed primarily for travel over unimproved terrain.~~

~~3. Offenses. A parent or guardian of a minor under the age of sixteen (16) commits an offense under this section if he/she knowingly permits, or, by insufficient control, allows the minor to operate a snow machine or ATV in violation of this section. Indifference as to the activities or whereabouts of the minor under the age of sixteen (16) shall be prima facie evidence of insufficient control.~~

~~4. Fines:~~

~~a. Any operator or parent or guardian of a minor operator under sixteen (16) found guilty of a violation of this section that will not be charged under state of Alaska statute or Administrative Code is guilty of an infraction and is punishable by a fine of:~~

~~i. Twenty five dollars (\$25) for a first (1st) citation;~~

~~ii. Fifty dollars (\$50) for a second (2nd) citation;~~

~~iii. Seventy five dollars (\$75) for a third (3rd) citation;~~

~~iv. One hundred dollars (\$100) for a fourth (4th) citation, and each one (1) thereafter.~~

~~b. Officers of the Bethel police department may impound snow machines and ATVs whose operators have been cited upon the fourth (4th) citation under the provisions of this section. [Ord. 06-21 §§ 2—5; Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.480 Miscellaneous provisions—Unattended motor vehicle.~~

~~The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 02.480 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.482 Miscellaneous provisions—Limited use of vehicular ways and areas.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.482.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.482. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.485 Miscellaneous provisions—Limitations on backing.~~

~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.485. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.487 Miscellaneous provisions—Driving on sidewalk.~~

~~The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 02.487 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.495 Miscellaneous provisions—Riding in and on vehicles and towed objects—Boarding and alighting—Obstructing of driver's view of driving mechanism.~~

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~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.495.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.495.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.495.  
D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) of 13 AAC 02.495.  
E. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 02.495.  
F. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (g) of 13 AAC 02.495. [Ord. 93-07  
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~~10.02.497 Miscellaneous provisions—Funerals and other processions—Permits.  
A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.497.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.497.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.497. [Ord. 93-07  
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~~10.02.505 Miscellaneous provisions—Animals on highway and other areas.  
A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.505.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.505.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.505.  
D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) of 13 AAC 02.505. [Ord. 93-07  
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~~10.02.515 Miscellaneous provisions—Coasting prohibited.  
The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 02.515 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~10.02.517 Miscellaneous provisions—Authorized and emergency vehicles.  
A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.517.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.517.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.517.  
D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.517.  
E. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) of 13 AAC 02.517.  
F. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 02.517.  
G. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (g) of 13 AAC 02.517. [Ord. 93-07  
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~~10.02.520 Miscellaneous provisions—Following authorized emergency vehicle,  
interference at scene of accident—Crossing fire hose.  
A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.520.~~

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~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.520.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 02.520. [Ord. 93-07  
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~~10.02.530 Miscellaneous provisions—Littering, depositing materials and dragging  
objects prohibited.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.530.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.530.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 02.530. [Ord. 93-07  
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~~10.02.545 Miscellaneous provisions—Drivers to exercise care.~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 02.545.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 02.545. [Ord. 93-07  
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~~10.02.560 General provisions—Application of traffic regulations.~~

~~The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 02.560 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

## **Chapter 10.04**

### **MOTOR VEHICLE AND DRIVING OFFENSES—VEHICLE EQUIPMENT AND INSPECTION**

#### Sections:

~~10.04.001—Scope and effect of regulations—Standards and inspections—Scope  
and effect of regulations.~~

~~10.04.002—Scope and effect of regulations—Standards and inspections—  
Unlawful to drive unsafe vehicle or violate chapter.~~

~~10.04.003—Scope and effect of regulations—Standards and inspections—  
Minimum equipment required on vehicle for sale, rent, lease or loan.~~

~~10.04.004—Scope and effect of regulation—Standards and inspections—Sale or  
use of equipment.~~

~~10.04.005—Scope and effect of regulations—Standards and inspections—  
Disconnections or alterations of equipment.~~

~~10.04.006—Scope and effect of regulations—Standards and inspections—When  
inspection required—Roadside inspection.~~

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- ~~10.04.007~~ Scope and effect of regulations—Standards and inspections—  
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- ~~10.04.008~~ Scope and effect of regulations—Standards and inspections—  
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- ~~10.04.010~~ Lighting equipment—When lights are required.
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lights.
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- ~~10.04.037~~ Lighting equipment—Turn lights.
- ~~10.04.040~~ Lighting equipment—Additional lighting requirements.
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- ~~10.04.090~~ Lighting equipment—Authorized emergency vehicles.
- ~~10.04.095~~ Lighting equipment—Flashing yellow vehicular hazard and warning  
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- ~~10.04.097~~ Lighting equipment—Special school bus lighting equipment.
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- ~~10.04.205~~ Brakes and other equipment—Brakes.
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- ~~10.04.252~~ Brakes and other equipment—Slow moving vehicle emblem.
- ~~10.04.255~~ Brakes and other equipment—Air conditioning equipment.
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- ~~10.04.270~~ Brakes and other equipment—Safety belts.



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- ~~10.04.272~~ Brakes and other equipment—Energy absorption systems.
- ~~10.04.275~~ Brakes and other equipment—Towed vehicles—Connections and safety devices.
- ~~10.04.320~~ Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles—Headlights.
- ~~10.04.325~~ Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles—Taillights.
- ~~10.04.330~~ Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles—Stop and turn lights.
- ~~10.04.335~~ Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles—Reflectors.
- ~~10.04.340~~ Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles—Brakes.
- ~~10.04.345~~ Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles—Hand grips, foot rests and handle bars.
- ~~10.04.350~~ Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles—Equipment for riders.
- ~~10.04.355~~ Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles—Other equipment.
- ~~10.04.400~~ Equipment on snowmobiles and other off-highway vehicles—Lights and reflectors.
- ~~10.04.405~~ Equipment on snowmobiles and other off-highway vehicles—Brakes.
- ~~10.04.410~~ Equipment on snowmobiles and other off-highway vehicles—Throttle.
- ~~10.04.415~~ Equipment on snowmobiles and other off-highway vehicles—Mufflers and emission-control systems.
- ~~10.04.420~~ Equipment on snowmobiles and other off-highway vehicles—Other equipment.

**~~10.04.001 Scope and effect of regulations—Standards and inspections—Scope and effect of regulations.~~**

- A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.001.
- B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.001.
- C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 04.001. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

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~~**10.04.002 Scope and effect of regulations—Standards and inspections—  
Unlawful to drive unsafe vehicle or violate chapter.**~~

~~The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 04.002 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~**10.04.003 Scope and effect of regulations—Standards and inspections—  
Minimum equipment required on vehicle for sale, rent, lease or loan.**~~

~~The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 04.003 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~**10.04.004 Scope and effect of regulation—Standards and inspections—Sale  
or use of equipment.**~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.004.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.004.~~

~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.004. [Ord. 93-07  
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~~**10.04.005 Scope and effect of regulations—Standards and inspections—  
Disconnections or alterations of equipment.**~~

~~The city adopts 13 AAC 04.005 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~**10.04.006 Scope and effect of regulations—Standards and inspections—  
When inspection required—Roadside inspection.**~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.006.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.006.~~

~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.006. [Ord. 93-07  
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~~**10.04.007 Scope and effect of regulations—Standards and inspections—  
Unsafe or defectively equipped vehicle.**~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.007.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.007.~~

~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.007.~~

~~D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 04.007. [Ord. 93-07  
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~~**10.04.008 Scope and effect of regulations—Standards and inspections—  
Disposition of equipment citation.**~~

~~The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 04.008 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

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**~~10.04.009 Scope and effect of regulations—Standards and inspections—  
Prohibited practices.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.009.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.009.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.009. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.010 Lighting equipment—When lights are required.~~**

~~The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 04.010 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.015 Lighting equipment—Visibility, distance and mounted height of  
lights.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.015.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.015. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.020 Lighting equipment—Headlights.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.020.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) of 13 AAC 04.020.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 04.020.~~
- ~~D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (g) of 13 AAC 04.020. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.025 Lighting equipment—Taillights.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.025.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.025. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.030 Lighting equipment—Reflectors.~~**

~~The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.030. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.035 Lighting equipment—Stop lights.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.035.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.035. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.037 Lighting equipment—Turn lights.~~**

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- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.037.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.037.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.037. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.040 Lighting equipment—Additional lighting requirements.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.040.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.040.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 04.040.~~
- ~~D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) of 13 AAC 04.040.~~
- ~~E. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 04.040.~~
- ~~F. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (g) of 13 AAC 04.040.~~
- ~~G. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (h) of 13 AAC 04.040.~~
- ~~H. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (i) of 13 AAC 04.040.~~
- ~~I. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (j) of 13 AAC 04.040.~~
- ~~J. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (k) of 13 AAC 04.040.~~
- ~~K. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (l) of 13 AAC 04.040.~~
- ~~L. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (m) of 13 AAC 04.040.~~
- ~~M. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (n) of 13 AAC 04.040.~~
- ~~N. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (o) of 13 AAC 04.040.~~
- ~~O. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (p) of 13 AAC 04.040.~~
- ~~P. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (q) of 13 AAC 04.040. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.070 Lighting equipment—Parking lights.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.070.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.070.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.070.~~
- ~~D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 04.070. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.090 Lighting equipment—Authorized emergency vehicles.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.090.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.090.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (g) of 13 AAC 04.090. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

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**~~10.04.095 Lighting equipment—Flashing yellow vehicular hazard and warning lights.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.095.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 04.095.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) of 13 AAC 04.095.~~
- ~~D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 04.095.~~
- ~~E. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (g) of 13 AAC 04.095.~~
- ~~F. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (h) of 13 AAC 04.095.~~
- ~~G. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (i) of 13 AAC 04.095. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.097 Lighting equipment—Special school bus lighting equipment.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.097.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.097.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.097. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.100 Lighting equipment—Flashing blue lights on vehicles.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.100.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) 13 AAC 04.100.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 04.100.~~
- ~~D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (g) of 13 AAC 04.100.~~
- ~~E. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (h) of 13 AAC 04.100. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.145 Lighting equipment—Restrictions on lighting equipment.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.145.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.145.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 04.145.~~
- ~~D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) of 13 AAC 04.145. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.205 Brakes and other equipment—Brakes.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.205.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.205.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.205. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

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**~~10.04.210 Brakes and other equipment — Horns and warning devices.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.210.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.210.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.210.~~
- ~~D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 04.210. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.215 Brakes and other equipment — Noise prevention — Mufflers.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.215.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.215. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.225 Brakes and other equipment — Windshields and wipers.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.225.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.225.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.225.~~
- ~~D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 04.225.~~
- ~~E. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 04.225.~~
- ~~F. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (g) of 13 AAC 04.225. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.227 Brakes and other equipment — Steering assembly, wheel alignment and body condition.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.227.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.227. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.230 Brakes and other equipment — Tires.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.230.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.230.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.230.~~
- ~~D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 04.230.~~
- ~~E. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) of 13 AAC 04.230.~~
- ~~F. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 04.230. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

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**~~10.04.247 Brakes and other equipment—Color and special equipment on school buses.~~**

- A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.247.
- B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.247.
- C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.247.
- D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 04.247. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

**~~10.04.252 Brakes and other equipment—Slow-moving vehicle emblem.~~**

- A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.252.
- B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.252.
- C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.252. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

**~~10.04.255 Brakes and other equipment—Air conditioning equipment.~~**

- A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.255.
- B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.255.
- C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.255.
- D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 04.255. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

**~~10.04.257 Brakes and other equipment—Emission control systems.~~**

The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 04.257 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

**~~10.04.260 Brakes and other equipment—Television receivers and headsets.~~**

- A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.260.
- B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.260.
- C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.260. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

**~~10.04.265 Brakes and other equipment—Anti-spray device.~~**

- A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.265.
- B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.265. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

**~~10.04.270 Brakes and other equipment—Safety belts.~~**

- A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.270.

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~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.270.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.270. [Ord. 93-07  
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~~**10.04.272 Brakes and other equipment — Energy absorption systems.**~~

~~The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 04.272 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~**10.04.275 Brakes and other equipment — Towed vehicles — Connections and safety devices.**~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.275.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.275.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.275.  
D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 04.275.  
E. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (e) of 13 AAC 04.275.  
F. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 04.275. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

~~**10.04.320 Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles — Headlights.**~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.320.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.320.  
C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.320.  
D. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (d) of 13 AAC 04.320. [Ord. 93-07  
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~~**10.04.325 Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles — Taillights.**~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.325.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.325. [Ord. 93-07  
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~~**10.04.330 Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles — Stop and turn lights.**~~

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.330.  
B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.330. [Ord. 93-07  
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~~**10.04.335 Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles — Reflectors.**~~



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- A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.335.
- B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.335. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

**~~10.04.340 Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles—  
Brakes.~~**

- A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.340.
- B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.340. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

**~~10.04.345 Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles—  
Hand grips, foot rests and handle bars.~~**

- A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.345.
- B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.345. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

**~~10.04.350 Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles—  
Equipment for riders.~~**

- A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.350.
- B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.350.
- C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 04.350. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

**~~10.04.355 Equipment on motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and bicycles—  
Other equipment.~~**

- A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.355.
- B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.355. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

**~~10.04.400 Equipment on snowmobiles and other off-highway vehicles—  
Lights and reflectors.~~**

- A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.400.
- B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.400. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

**~~10.04.405 Equipment on snowmobiles and other off-highway vehicles—  
Brakes.~~**

The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 04.405 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]

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**~~10.04.410 Equipment on snowmobiles and other off-highway vehicles—  
Throttle.~~**

~~The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 04.410 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.04.415 Equipment on snowmobiles and other off-highway vehicles—  
Mufflers and emission control systems.~~**

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.415.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.415. [Ord. 93-07  
§ 5.]~~

**~~10.04.420 Equipment on snowmobiles and other off-highway vehicles—  
Other equipment.~~**

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 04.420.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 04.420. [Ord. 93-07  
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**Chapter 10.06**

**INSPECTION OF VEHICLES**

Sections:

~~10.06.010 Unlawful to drive unsafe vehicle.~~

~~10.06.020 Owner or driver to comply with inspection requirements.~~

~~10.06.030 Inspection by officer.~~

~~10.06.040 Roadside inspection.~~

~~10.06.050 Notice and approval of repair or adjustment—Exception.~~

~~10.06.090 Prohibited practices.~~

**~~10.06.010 Unlawful to drive unsafe vehicle.~~**

~~The city adopts by reference 13 AAC 06.010 in its entirety. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.06.020 Owner or driver to comply with inspection requirements.~~**

~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 06.020.~~

~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 06.020.~~

~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 06.020. [Ord. 93-07  
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**~~10.06.030 Inspection by officer.~~**

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- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 06.030.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 06.030.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 06.030. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.06.040 Roadside inspection.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 06.040.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 06.040.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (c) of 13 AAC 06.040. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.06.050 Notice and approval of repair or adjustment — Exception.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 06.050.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 06.050. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**~~10.06.090 Prohibited practices.~~**

- ~~A. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (a) of 13 AAC 06.090.~~
- ~~B. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (b) of 13 AAC 06.090.~~
- ~~C. The city adopts by reference all of subsection (f) of 13 AAC 06.090. [Ord. 93-07 § 5.]~~

**Chapter 10.01**

**MOTOR VEHICLE AND DRIVING OFFENSES**

Sections:

10.01.010 Adoption of State Traffic Laws

10.01.020 Adoption of State Penalties

10.01.030 Violation – Infraction

10.01.040 Police Training Surcharge

10.01.050 Applicability of Traffic Regulations to Public Employees

10.01.060 Disposition of Citation

10.01.070 Failure to Respond or to Appear

10.01.080 Judgment, Costs, Fees and Relief from Default Judgment

10.01.090 Defendant Under Eighteen

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#### 10.01.100 Forfeiture

##### **10.01.010 Adoption of State Traffic Laws.**

The City adopts all statutes and regulations of the State of Alaska, as they presently exist and as they may be revised in the future, relating to motor vehicles offenses, as the traffic code for the City.

##### **10.01.020 Adoption of State Penalties**

The City adopts all applicable penalties, fines, bail and bail forfeiture schedules and procedures and other penalty related provisions of the statutes and regulations of the State of Alaska and the Alaska Rules of Court, as they presently exist and as they may be revised in the future, as the provisions applicable to the violation of any provisions adopted by Section 10.01.010.

Additionally, the City adopts all applicable penalties outlined in AS 28.90.030 regarding offenses committed within highway work zones and traffic safety corridors as they presently exist and as they may be revised in the future.

##### **10.01.030 Violation – Infraction**

A violation of the traffic code of the City is an infraction within the terms of AS 28.40.050, and is punishable by a fine not to exceed three hundred dollars (\$300).

##### **10.01.040 Police Training Surcharge**

The City adopts AS 12.55.039 which adds a surcharge of Ten (\$10) Dollars to the fine or other penalty for all offenses cited by the City under this chapter. The surcharge is not part of the fine. It must be assessed separately, listed separately on the citation and on the judgment, and receipted using a separate accounting code.

The surcharge is mandatory. It may not be waived, deferred or suspended. However, a judge may allow a defendant who is unable to pay the surcharge to perform community work service under AS 12.55.055(c) in lieu of the surcharge.

In imposing the fine, the court may not reduce the fine by the amount of the surcharge or otherwise consider the applicability of a surcharge to the offense. AS 12.55.035(f).

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### **10.01.050 Applicability of Traffic Regulations to Public Employees**

The provisions of this title shall apply to the drivers of all vehicles owned or operated by the United States, the State or any borough, town, district or any other political subdivision of the State, subject to the specific exemptions as are set forth in this title or the state Vehicle Code.

### **10.01.060 Disposition of Citation**

#### **A. Optional Court Appearance:**

1. A defendant charged with a minor offense for which a bail forfeiture amount has been established must within 30 days after the citation was issued:

(a) appear for arraignment at the time and place indicated on the citation. Arraignment must be conducted in accordance with District Court Criminal Rule 1; or

(b) enter a plea of not guilty and request trial by mailing or delivering a signed plea as directed on the citation; or

(c) enter a plea of no contest and submit payment of the citation, plus any surcharge established by statute, as directed on the citation; or

(d) provide proof of compliance to a law enforcement agency if a statute, regulation, or ordinance permits dismissal of the citation upon a showing of compliance, except that proof of compliance also may be made to the court for violation of AS 28.15.131 (failure to carry or exhibit license) or AS 28.22.019 (proof of insurance). The court or municipality shall dismiss the citation upon notification from the agency or proof of compliance.

2. A defendant who mails or delivers an unsigned copy of the citation with the defendant's payment will be deemed to have entered a plea of no contest unless the defendant designates otherwise.

**B. Mandatory Court Appearance.** A defendant charged with a minor offense for which no bail forfeiture amount has been must:

1. Appear for arraignment at the time and place indicated on the citation or summons. Arraignment must be conducted in accordance with District Court Criminal Rule 1; or

2. Provide proof of compliance to a law enforcement agency if a statute, regulation, or ordinance permits dismissal of the citation upon a showing of compliance. The court or municipality shall dismiss the citation upon notification from the agency.

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### **10.01.070 Failure to Respond or to Appear.**

#### **A. Failure to Respond to Citation.**

1. Default Judgment. If a defendant fails to respond as provided in 10.01.060, the court may, without finding probable cause to believe the defendant committed the offense, enter a default judgment of conviction as provided in 10.01.080.

2. Warning Notice Requirement. At least 15 days before default judgment is entered, a notice advising the defendant of the consequences of a failure to respond must be sent to the defendant at the address on record with the Division of Motor Vehicles or the address shown on the citation.

3. Citations Filed With Municipalities. If the citation is initially filed with the City, as authorized by Alaska Court System Administrative Bulletin 39, the City may request a default judgment by filing with the court the citation and an affidavit from a City employee stating that the City sent the defendant the warning notice required in 2. above and the defendant failed to respond. Requests for default judgment must be filed within six months after the citation was issued.

**B. Failure to Appear After Summons.** If a defendant who has been served a summons fails to appear, the court may enter a default judgment of conviction as provided in 10.01.080.

**C. Failure to Appear for Trial.** If a defendant has been sent notice of a trial date and then fails to appear on the scheduled date, the court may, without finding probable cause to believe the defendant committed the offense, enter a default judgment of conviction as provided in 10.01.080. The notice of a trial date must advise the defendant of the consequences if the defendant fails to appear.

### **10.01.080 Judgment, Costs, Fees, and Relief from Default Judgment.**

**A. Fine.** A judgment of conviction must order payment of the fine as follows:

1. After Plea or Trial.

(a) Pursuant to AS 12.25.230(c), the fine may not exceed the amount listed on the bail forfeiture or fine schedule.

(b) The City prohibits a reduction from the scheduled fine amount absent the City's express consent.

(c) For offenses that require a mandatory court appearance, the court may impose a fine up to the maximum authorized by statute or ordinance.

**B. Default Judgment.** A default judgment entered under 10.01.070 must require the defendant to pay the scheduled bail or fine amount if the offense is an optional court appearance offense or the maximum penalty if the offense is a mandatory court appearance offense.

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**10.01.090 Defendant under Eighteen**

A defendant under 18 years of age at the time of the offense must be accompanied by a parent, guardian, or legal custodian at any court appearance for a minor offense until the defendant reaches age 18.

**10.01.100 Forfeiture**

A. A default judgment or a judgment entered on a no contest plea must order forfeiture of any seized items listed on the citation or other charging document.

1. All other judgments of conviction must order forfeiture of:

(a) Any seized items listed on the citation or other charging document if a statute or ordinance requires the item to be forfeited upon conviction, and

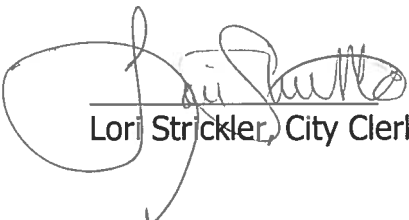
(b) Any other items ordered by the court to be forfeited when forfeiture is authorized by statute or ordinance.


B. Forfeited items shall be disposed of at the discretion of the prosecuting authority, unless otherwise ordered by the court.

**SECTION 3. Effective Date.** This section shall become effective immediately upon the passage by the City Council.

**ENACTED THIS 25th DAY OF June 2013 BY A VOTE OF 5 IN FAVOR AND 1 OPPOSED.**

ATTEST:

  
Lori Strickler, City Clerk

  
Joseph A. Klejka, Mayor