

ORDINANCE NO. 115

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SHERIDAN, MONTANA. PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION BY REFERENCE OF THE MONTANA UNIFORM MOTOR VEHICLE CODE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA FOR REGULATING TRAFFIC UPON THE STREETS AND ALLEYS OF THE TOWN OF SHERIDAN AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Town Council of the Town of Sheridan, Montana, that:

Section 1. The Montana Uniform Vehicle Code of the State of Montana set forth in law at Chapter 8, Traffic Regulations, Title 61, Montana Code Annotated, is hereby adopted by reference as the traffic regulations applying to the operation of any motor vehicle upon the streets and alleys of the Town of Sheridan.

Section 2. A copy of Chapter 8, Title 61, M.C.A. is maintained in the Sheridan Town Hall for public inspection and examination.

Section 3. Any person violating the provisions of this ordinance is guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be fined not less than \$25 nor more than \$500.

Absolute Liability

Section 4. It is the legislative purpose of the Sheridan Town Council, pursuant to the provisions of 45-2-104, M.C.A., to impose absolute liability for the misdemeanor offenses(s) enacted by and set forth in this ordinance. Those offenses shall not require proof of the mental status described in 45-2-101, M.C.A.

Repealer

Section 5. All resolutions, ordinances and sections of the Sheridan Municipal Code and parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Severability

Section 6. If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the other provisions of this ordinance which may be given effect without the invalid provision or application and, to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

Effective Date

Section 7. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect thirty (30) days after passage on second reading.

References:

7-5-108, M.C.A. and 61-8-103, M.C.A.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Sheridan, Montana at a regular session thereof held on the 13th day of August, 2007.

ATTEST:

Dean Derryberry, Mayor

Gail Leary, Town Clerk

PASSED, ADOPTED AND FINALLY APPROVED by the Town Council of the Town of Sheridan, Montana at a regular session thereof held on the 27th day of August, 2007.

ATTEST:

Dean Derryberry, Mayor

Gail Leary, Town Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Douglas Smith, City Attorney