

PALMER LAKE, COLORADO

ORDINANCE NO. __-2023

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 16 OF TITLE 10 OF THE TOWN OF
PALMER LAKE MUNICIPAL CODE RELATING TO SNOW REMOVAL
WITHIN THE TOWN OF PALMER LAKE**

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Town of Palmer Lake, Colorado, pursuant to Colorado statute and the Town of Palmer Lake Municipal Code, is vested with the authority of administering the affairs of the Town of Palmer Lake, Colorado; and

WHEREAS, the Board desires to establish regulations relating to the removal of snow and ice within the Town of Palmer Lake to ensure snow and ice removed from private property do not create a nuisance; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees has determined that it is in the best interest of protecting the health, safety, and general welfare of the citizens of the Town of Palmer Lake to adopt such regulations.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
THE TOWN OF PALMER LAKE, COLORADO, THAT:**

Section 1.

Chapter 16 of Title 10 of the Palmer Lake Municipal Code shall be amended by creating a new Section, Section 10.16.045, with such new Section to read in its entirety as follows:

10.16.045 Placement of snow.

It shall be unlawful for any person to place snow or ice, or cause or direct the placement of snow or ice, from any portion of private property upon any sidewalk, street, roadway, alley, or any public property, including the non-traveled or undeveloped portion of any public right-of-way, in the Town of Palmer Lake.

It shall also be unlawful for any person to place snow or ice, or cause or direct the placement of snow or ice, from private property upon the private property of another without the express consent of the owner or lawful occupant of such private property on which the snow or ice is placed.

Section 2.

Severability. If any article, section, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is held to be unconstitutional or invalid for any reason such decision shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of the remaining portions of this Ordinance. The Town Board hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance and each part or parts thereof irrespective of the fact that any one part or parts be declared unconstitutional or invalid.

Section 3.

Repeal. Existing ordinances or parts of ordinances covering the same matters embraced in this ordinance are hereby repealed and all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed except that this repeal shall not affect or prevent the prosecution or punishment of any person for any act done or committed in violation of any ordinance hereby repealed prior to the effective date of this ordinance.

INTRODUCED, READ AND PASSED AT A FIRST READING AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF PALMER LAKE ON THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2023.

ATTEST:

TOWN OF PALMER LAKE, COLORADO

Dawn A. Collins
Town Administrator/Clerk

BY: _____
Glant Havenar
Mayor