

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 10.12.060 OF THE SARATOGA MUNICIPAL CODE TO MAKE OPERATING A MOTOR VEHICLE WITHOUT A VALID DRIVER'S LICENSE A VIOLATION OF MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE TOWN OF SARATOGA, WYOMING:

Section 1. Section 10.12.060 is repealed and reenacted, with amendments, as follows:

10.12060 Possession of a driver's license.

A. No person, unless exempt under this act shall drive, steer or exercise any degree of physical control of any motor vehicle or a vehicle being towed by a motor vehicle upon a highway in the Town unless the person has been issued a driver's license for the class and type and applicable endorsements valid for the motor vehicle being driven.

B. Every person who drives or is in actual physical control of a motor vehicle, shall have his or her driver's license in his or her immediate possession at all times when driving a motor vehicle and shall display the license upon demand of any judicial officer, municipal court judge or any police officer. However, no person charged with violating this section shall be convicted if he or she produces in court a driver's license previously issued to him or her and valid at the time of his or her arrest. For the purposes of this section, "display" means the surrender of his or her license to the demanding officer. After examination, the officer shall immediately return the license to the person, except as state law requires immediate surrender of the license, whether issued in Wyoming or any other jurisdiction.

C. Any person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a misdemeanor and may be punished by a fine of not more than seven hundred fifty dollars, by imprisonment for not more than ninety days, or both. On conviction for a second or subsequent violation, the person may be fined not more than seven hundred fifty dollars, imprisoned for not to exceed six months, or both.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE TOWN OF SARATOGA, COUNTY OF CARBON, STATE OF WYOMING, THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT FROM AND AFTER ITS APPROVAL, PASSAGE AND ADOPTION.

Passed on FIRST READING dated this 3rd day of December, 2024.

_____ on SECOND READING dated this ____ day of _____ 2024.

_____ on THIRD READING dated this ____ day of _____ 2025.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS _____ DAY OF _____ 2025.

Town of Saratoga

Chuck Davis, Mayor

ATTEST:

Clerk

ATTESTATION

I, Jenn Anderson, the Town Clerk for the Town of Saratoga, Wyoming, do hereby certify that the above ordinance shall be adopted in its entirety after passage and publication, and posted in the manner required by law.

TOWN CLERK