

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LEAGUE CITY, TEXAS, PROHIBITING THE PARKING OF COMMERCIAL VEHICLES ALONG CONSTELLATION BLVD NORTH OF MARINA BAY DRIVE BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 10PM AND 6AM; PROVIDING FOR THE POSTING OF SIGNS; PROVIDING A PENALTY; AND PROVIDING SEVERABILITY AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of League City, Texas (the “City”) finds that the parking of commercial vehicles along Constellation Blvd north of Marina Bay Drive during nighttime hours creates safety hazards and interferes with the free movement of traffic; and

WHEREAS, the City has jurisdiction to enact and enforce this ordinance within its corporate limits as authorized by the Texas Constitution and state law include Section 545.302 of the Texas Transportation Code.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEAGUE CITY, TEXAS, as follows:

Section 1. Prohibition. A person may not park a commercial motor vehicle or leave the vehicle parked on Constellation Blvd north of Marina Bay Drive between the hours of 10pm and 6am. "Commercial motor vehicle" has the meaning assigned by Section 545.307 of the Texas Transportation Code.

Section 2. Posting of Signs.

- (a) The City shall post signs along Constellation Blvd north of Marina Bay Drive indicating the prohibition of parking commercial motor vehicles between the hours of 10pm and 6am.
- (b) The signs must: (1) be posted in the public right-of-way facing the roadway; (2) include a statement, in letters at least two inches in height, that parking of a commercial motor vehicle is prohibited from 10pm to 6am; and (3) include arrows clearly indicating the area of the public right-of-way subject to the parking restriction.

Section 3. Penalty. Any person who violates this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be fined an amount not to exceed \$500 for each offense.

Section 4. Savings. All rights and remedies which have accrued in favor of the City under this Ordinance and amendments thereto shall be and are preserved for the benefit of the City.

Section 5. Severability. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this

Ordinance is for any reason held invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

Section 6. Repealer. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed but only to the extent of such conflict.

Section 7. Publication and Effective Date. The City Secretary shall cause this Ordinance, or its caption, to be published in the official newspaper of the City of League City, upon passage of such Ordinance. This Ordinance shall become effective upon passage.

PASSED first reading the ____ day of _____, 2025.

PASSED AND ADOPTED the ____ day of _____, 2025.

NICK LONG
Mayor

ATTEST:

DIANA M. STAPP
City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

MICHELLE L. VILLARREAL
City Attorney