

AN ORDINANCE RESTRICTING THE USE OF CELLULAR PHONES AND OTHER COMMUNICATION DEVICES IN DESIGNATED SCHOOL ZONES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROGERS, ARKANSAS:

Section 1: That the use of cellular phones and other communication devices in designated school zones on public rights of way is hereby prohibited during times when school zone warning lights are flashing and school zone speed limits are applicable. This provision shall not apply to parked vehicles.

Section 2: That the prohibitions contained in this Ordinance shall not apply to "hands free" cellular phones and other "hands free" communications devices.

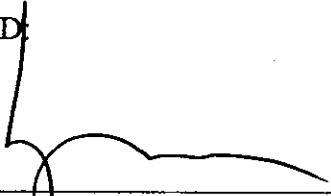
Section 3: That school bus drivers are specifically exempted from provisions of this Ordinance while operating a school bus in the course of their duties.

Section 4: That violations of this Ordinance are punishable by a fine not to exceed \$100 and/or the performance of community service not to exceed ten (10) days.

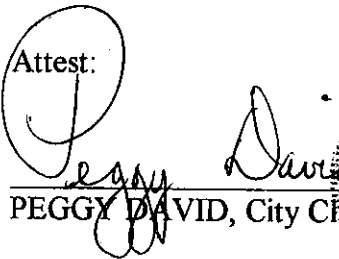
Section 5: That this Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after its passage and approval.

PASSED this 24th day of November, 2009.

APPROVED:

  
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STEVE WOMACK,  
Mayor

Attest:

  
PEGGY DAVID, City Clerk



Requested by: Mayor Womack  
Prepared by: Ben Lipscomb, City Attorney