ORDINANCE NO. _ 758_

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING BICYCLES AND SIMILAR DEVICES IN CERTAIN LOCATIONS AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF OBERLIN, KANSAS:

Section 1:

A) No person shall operate or ride any bicycle, scooter, skateboard, coaster, roller skates or similar devices upon the sidewalks of the City in the following locations:

On Penn Avenue from Oak Street to Victoria Street;

On the East side of Rodehaver Avenue from Maple Street to Hall Street;

On Commercial Street from Rodehaver Avenue to Griffith Avenue;

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- B) A law enforcement officer detaining a person for violating this ordinance may impound the device. In the case of the violation of this ordinance by a person who is 18 years or older, the device shall be released by the City Police Department if the violator appears at the City Police Department and provides self-identification. Persons under the age of 18 years must appear at the City Police Department with a parent or guardian to obtain the release of the device; however, if no such parent or guardian resides in the City, the device can be released if its owner provides a letter from a parent or guardian requesting that it be released.
- C) Violation of this ordinance is a municipal offense punishable by a fine of up to One Hundred Dollars (\$100).

Section 2: Oberlin City Code Section 16-204 is hereby repealed.

Section 3: This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after August 1, 2001, and shall be published in the official city newspaper.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY the Governing Body of the City of Oberlin, Kansas, on this 5th day of July, 2001.

Gary J Walter, Mayor

ATTEST:

Martha Nemeth, City Clerk

PREPARED BY: Steven W. Hirsch, Oberlin City Attorney

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