

# **Bountiful**

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### Bountiful City Ordinance No. 2024-02

An Ordinance adding section 10-1-123. Graffiti Removal within Private Property to the Bountiful City Code.

#### It is the finding of the Bountiful City Council that:

- 1. The Bountiful City Council is empowered to adopt and amend Ordinances pursuant to Utah State law and under corresponding sections of the Bountiful City Code.
- 2. The Bountiful City Council reviewed the proposed ordinance on April 23, 2024.

## NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City Council of Bountiful, Utah:

Section 1. Section 10-1-123 is hereby added as follows:

#### 10-1-123. Graffiti Removal

- (a) As used in this Section:
  - (1) "Graffiti" means any form of unauthorized printing, writing, drawing, spraying, scratching, affixing, etching, or inscribing on a surface.
  - (2) "Remove or Cover" means washing, sandblasting, chemically treating, painting or otherwise eliminating the graffiti to blend the affected area with the surrounding structure or property such that the affected area is virtually indistinguishable from the remainder of the structure or property. When using paint to cover graffiti on a painted surface the paint used to cover the graffiti shall match the color of the painted surface.
- (b) It shall be unlawful for any person owning or occupying real property within Bountiful City, after receiving written notice from the City, to fail to Remove or Cover any Graffiti from or on any structure located upon any real property within the City, when the Graffiti is visible from the street or other public property.

- (c) Subsection (b) applies to both the owner of the real property and the person occupying the property.
- (d) A violation of this section is an infraction.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon first publication. Adopted by the City Council of Bountiful, Utah, this  $23^{rd}$  day of April 2024.

Kendalyn Harris, Mayor

ATTEST:

Shawna Andrus, City Recorder

