ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Street-Legal All-Terrain Vehicles and Off-Highway Vehicles**

AN ORDINANCE OF PAYSON CITY AMENDING TITLE 16 TRAFFIC OF THE PAYSON CITY MUNICIPAL CODE TO ALLOW FOR STREET-LEGAL ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES AND OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLES TO OPERATE UPON PAYSON CITY STREETS.

WHEREAS, the Payson City Council desires to allow Street-Legal All-Terrain Vehicles and Off-Highway Vehicles to operate upon the Streets of Payson City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF PAYSON CITY,

STATE OF UTAH:

1. **Definitions**. The definitions of street-legal all-terrain vehicle, off-highway vehicle, all-terrain Type I vehicle, all-terrain Type II vehicle and utility-type vehicle as found in Sections 41-6a-102 and 41-22-2, Utah Code Annotated, are incorporated herein.
2. **Adoption of the Utah off-highway vehicle Code, Rules and Regulations.**

The Rules and Regulations contained in Utah Code Annotated Title 41, Chapter 22, as amended, are hereby adopted as the off-highway vehicle code of Payson City to the same extent and effect as though said Title, Chapters, Sections and Rules were set forth in full. Any provisions of Title 41 Chapter 22 providing a penalty greater than a Class B misdemeanor, or not relating to criminal or administrative sanctions, are not incorporated as part of this ordinance.

1. **Amendments.**

In order to assure continuing uniformity between the Utah off-highway vehicles Rules and Regulations and the Payson City off-highway vehicles Rules and Regulations, as required by UCA 41-22-18, this Ordinance will include any and all periodic amendments to the State Rules and Regulations, Title 41 Chapter 22 after the effective date of this title, made by the Utah State Legislature or by the Utah Department of Natural Resources.

1. **Street-Legal All-Terrain Vehicles.** Street-legal utility-type vehicles are authorized to be used on all Payson City streets in accordance with this Section and with Utah law as set forth in Section 41-22-10.5, Utah Code Annotated. Street-legal all-terrain vehicles are not to be driven upon any Federal highways, State highways, or City streets which have more than one (1) lane in the same direction. These include, but are not limited to:
   1. Interstate 15, State Roads 147, 198, and 178.
   2. In order to be street legal utility-type vehicles must meet all of the criteria as set forth in Section 41-6a-1509, Utah Code Annotated.
   3. Except for street legal utility-type vehicles, all other street legal all-terrain vehicles and off-highway vehicles are not permitted to be used on City streets.
2. **Driver’s License.** All operators of street-legal all-terrain vehicles or off-highway vehicles must have in their possession a valid driver’s license, with appropriate endorsements.
3. **Traffic Rules and Regulations.** All traffic rules and regulations shall be followed by any operator of a street-legal all-terrain vehicle or an off-highway vehicle.
4. **Snow Removal Exception.** All-terrain Type I and Type II vehicles are permitted on City streets when such vehicles are being used for snow removal within twenty-four (24) hours of snow falling.
5. **Effective Date.** This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon adoption, posting and publication as provided in Section 10-3-711, Utah Code annotated.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF PAYSON CITY, STATE OF UTAH,

ON THIS \_\_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2013.

PAYSON CITY

Mayor Richard D. Moore

Attest:

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Jeanette Wineteer, City Recorder

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