

ORDINANCE #2022-11-03

Date: November 15, 2022

ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 13 CHAPTER 04 SECTION 200  
“CAMPING RESTRICTED TO DESIGNATED AREAS”

WHEREAS, Utah Code 10-3b-501 vests the powers of municipal government with the Metro Township Council (“Council”) and Mayor; and

WHEREAS, Emigration Canyon Metro Township (“ECMT”) Council has enacted ordinances to protect the public's health, safety, welfare, and quality of life within the Town, and

WHEREAS, ECMT has received reports and complaints about individuals camping in vehicles and otherwise along public streets which create health and safety concerns.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE EMIGRATION CANYON METRO TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF, UTAH, THAT:

**Section I:** Title 13 Chapter 04 Section 200 “Camping Restricted to Designated Areas” is amended as follows:

**13.04.200 Camping Restricted to Designated Areas**

- A. No person shall camp or lodge in any public street or public right of way, except in places specifically designated and set apart for that purpose.
- B. It is unlawful to park any motor vehicle, commercial vehicle, or recreational vehicle on a public road, street, or private property, for purposes of human habitation or for overnight camping from 1:00AM to 6:00AM. Any vehicle parked or left standing in violation of this subsection for a period exceeding six consecutive hours may be impounded or removed by a peace officer or other designated official, and the owner may be fined as provided in municipal code.
- C. It is unlawful for any person engaging in the above activities to fail to remove the vehicle or camping equipment for more than thirty (30) minutes after being requested to do so by any police officer.

**Section II:** Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect upon publication.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Emigration  
Canyon Metro Township Council, Utah, this 15  
day of November in the year  
2022.EMIGRATION CANYON METRO  
TOWNSHIP

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Joe Smolka, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Township Clerk