

Existing MVCC Chapter 19 Article VI Proposed for Repeal

ARTICLE VI. - BICYCLES, ROLLER SKATES, COASTERS AND ELECTRIC PERSONAL ASSISTIVE MOBILITY DEVICES (EPAMDs)

SEC. 19.51. - Riding bicycles on sidewalks prohibited.

No person shall ride a bicycle upon any sidewalk in the business district.

(Ord. No. 175.587, 1/25/60.)

SEC. 19.52. - Method of riding upon roadways.

The rider of any bicycle on the roadway shall ride as nearly as practicable to the right-hand curb or edge of the roadway.

(Ord. No. 175.587, 1/25/60.)

SEC. 19.53. - Number of persons allowed to ride upon bicycles.

It shall be unlawful for the operator of a bicycle, when upon a public right-of-way, to carry another person upon such bicycle; provided, however, that this prohibition shall not apply to bicycles which are built for two persons to ride and propel the same.

(Ord. No. 175.587, 1/25/60.)

SEC. 19.54. - Use of roller skates, in-line skates, skateboards, bicycles, and coasters in business districts or any city-owned parking structures.

No person shall skate with roller skates or in-line roller skates, or propel any coaster-brake wagons or vehicles or skateboards or ride bicycles upon and along any sidewalk in any business district or in any city-owned parking structure, except riding a bicycle is allowed in city-owned parking structures for the limited purpose of accessing bicycle parking.

(Ord. No. 175.587, 1/25/60; Ord No. 12.92, 5/12/92.)

SEC. 19.55. - Use of coasters, roller skates, etc., on roadways prohibited.

No person upon roller skates, or riding in or by means of any coaster, toy vehicle, or similar device shall go upon any roadway.

(Ord. No. 175.587, 1/25/60.)

SEC. 19.55A. - Electric personal assistive mobility devices.

- (1) No person shall use or operate an electric personal assistive mobility device (EPAMD) as defined in Chapter 38, Section 38.1 of this code, upon and along any sidewalk in the city.
- (2) Any use of public roadways or thoroughfares for commercial purposes, such as tours or other similar events, shall obtain a temporary use permit (TUP) in accordance with Article 36. The use of EPAMDs in city parks and facilities is governed by Chapter 38, Section 38.13.

(Ord. No. 14.08, § 2, 12/9/08.)

SEC. 19.56. - Authority to seize and hold bicycles, etc.

A police officer may seize and hold any bicycle, tricycle, roller skates, coasters, or similar devices belonging to any person violating the provisions of this article for a period of thirty (30) days.

(Ord. No. 175.587, 1/25/60.)

SEC. 19.57. - Bicycle parking spaces.

- a. The city traffic engineer is hereby authorized to designate and establish bicycle parking spaces for use at such places and during such times as he may deem suitable and necessary. The city traffic engineer may also authorize the placing of bicycle parking racks in the spaces so designated.
- b. When official signs or markings restricting parking to bicycles only are in place, bicycles shall be parked only in such places, and no person shall park or stand any vehicle other than a bicycle or other two-wheeled vehicle in such a space. It shall further be unlawful to park any bicycle on any sidewalk except as hereinabove specified.

(Ord. No. 175.587, 1/25/60.)