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ORDINANCE NO. B-469

AN ORDINANCE WHICH REGULATES STORAGE AND PARKING OF SEMI-TRACTORS, SEMI-TRACTOR TRAILERS, TRUCKS AND COMMERCIAL VEHICLES WITHIN THE CITY OF VICTORIA, ELLIS COUNTY, KANSAS, AND PROVIDING FOR THE ENFORCEMENT THEREOF AND THE PENALTY FOR VIOLATION THEREOF AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. B-352.

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

The purpose of this Ordinance is to minimize adverse aesthetic impacts that large vehicles have in residential zoning districts by limiting the type of such vehicles and their payload.

SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful to park a semi-tractor and semi-tractor trailer, regardless of weight, within the City of Victoria, Kansas, for a period longer than two hours except as hereinafter provided:

- a. Parking will be permitted only when it is necessary for the loading or unloading of merchandise or goods.
- b. If a semi-tractor or semi-tractor trailer is loading or unloading furniture or other material from or to a house, it may be parked in the street adjoining the house for as long as necessary for such purpose.
- c. Semi-tractors and semi-tractor trailers may be parked anywhere within the City of Victoria zoned as Industrial (I-1).
- d. Semi-tractors and semi-tractor trailers may be parked upon private property within the City of Victoria in areas zoned as Commercial (C-1).
- e. Semi-tractors may be parked upon private property anywhere within the City of Victoria.

SECTION 2. It shall be unlawful to park a truck or commercial vehicle used for hauling explosives, gasoline, liquified petroleum products, petroleum products, reclaimed oil, toxic or hazardous materials and other products detrimental to the environment in or adjacent to a residential district or upon public streets within a commercial district.

SECTION 3. Any person, firm, partnership, association, corporation or company violating any of the terms and provisions of this Ordinance shall be punishable by a penalty in an amount not less than those amounts set forth below:

<u>Type of Vehicle</u>	<u>Minimum Amount</u>
Commercial vehicle - overtime parking - first offense	\$150.00
Commercial vehicle - overtime parking - second offense	200.00
Commercial Vehicles - overtime parking - third and additional offenses	300.00

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall be placed on file in the office of the City Clerk of Victoria, Kansas, and shall take effect and be in full force upon its publication once in the official City newspaper.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AND APPROVED BY THE MAYOR THIS 17th day of may, 2004.

Curtis B. Unrein
Curtis B. Unrein, Mayor

ATTEST:

Mary Pfeifer
Mary Pfeifer, City Clerk

