

ORDINANCE NO. 3176

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF CHULA VISTA ADDING SECTION 10.52.465 TO CHAPTER 10.52 OF THE CHULA VISTA MUNICIPAL CODE TO PROHIBIT PARKING CARS FOR SALE ON PUBLIC STREETS ONLY IN AREAS WHERE SIGNS ARE POSTED

WHEREAS, the Chula Vista Municipal Code does not contain a regulation forbidding persons from parking their vehicles and listing them for sale on public streets; and

WHEREAS, Chula Vista citizens have complained to the City Council about persons parking cars and listing them for sale on specific public streets; and

WHEREAS, the Chula Vista Police Department has identified public safety traffic concerns when persons park their vehicles with signs listing them for sale causing other vehicles to slow down and disregard traffic laws; and

WHEREAS, City staff and the City Council are concerned about the aesthetics of certain public streets becoming areas where vehicles are commonly being parked and listed for sale; and

WHEREAS, the Chula Vista Municipal Code needs to be amended to prohibit the parking of vehicles with signs visibly listing them for sale on public streets where signs are posted forbidding this activity; and

WHEREAS, Chula Vista citizens may still list their vehicles for sale and park them in their driveways or in areas where there are no signs posted forbidding this activity; and

WHEREAS, other than the addition of Section 10.52.465, the remainder of Chapter 10.52 will remain the same.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Chula Vista does, hereby, ordain as follows:

SECTION I. That section 10.52.465 be added to the Chula Vista Municipal Code Chapter 10.52 to read as follows:

10.52.465 Parking Vehicles Listed For Sale on Public Streets

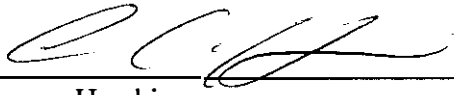
It is unlawful for any person to park a vehicle that visibly contains a “for sale” sign on it that offers the vehicle for sale where there are signs posted forbidding this activity.

SECTION II. EFFECTIVE DATE.

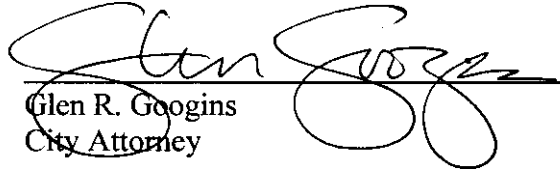
This ordinance will take effect and be in force thirty days after final passage.

Presented by

Approved as to form by



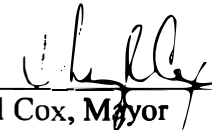
Chance Hawkins
Deputy City Attorney



Glen R. Googins
City Attorney

PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Chula Vista, California, this 7th day of December 2010, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers: Aguilar, Bensoussan, Castaneda, Ramirez and Cox
NAYS: Councilmembers: None
ABSENT: Councilmembers: None



Cheryl Cox, Mayor

ATTEST:



Donna R. Norris, CMC, City Clerk

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO)
CITY OF CHULA VISTA)

I, Donna R. Norris, City Clerk of Chula Vista, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance No. 3176 had its first reading at a regular meeting held on the 23rd day of November 2010 and its second reading and adoption at a regular meeting of said City Council held on the 7th day of December 2010; and was duly published in summary form in accordance with the requirements of state law and the City Charter.

Dated January 11, 2011



Donna R. Norris, CMC, City Clerk