

ORDINANCE NO. _____

CONSENT A M E N D M E N T S

1 AN ORDINANCE amending Chapter 10.12 of the Lincoln Municipal Code relating to
 2 Traffic Control Devices, Chapter 10.26 relating to Arterial Streets and Chapter 10.41 relating to
 3 Snow Removal Districts by amending Section 10.12.030 to clarify that pedestrians must obey
 4 pedestrian signals, remove obsolete provisions concerning traffic-control signals and add provisions
 5 concerning yellow flashing arrow signals; amending Section 10.26.415 to revise the boundaries of
 6 L55X as an arterial street; adding Section 10.26.437 to designate Pinnacle Arena Drive as an arterial
 7 street; and amending Section 10.41.020 to designate the boundaries of West Haymarket Snow
 8 District as a snow removal district; and repealing Sections 10.12.030, 10.26.415, and 10.41.020 of
 9 the Lincoln Municipal Code as hitherto existing.

10 BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Lincoln, Nebraska:

11 Section 1. That Section 10.12.030 of the Lincoln Municipal Code be amended to
 12 read as follows:

13 **10.12.030 Traffic-Control Signal Legend.**

14 Whenever traffic is controlled by an automatic traffic signal or other official traffic-control
 15 device exhibiting different colored lights or colored, lighted arrows successively, one at a time or
 16 in combination, only the colors green, red, and yellow shall be used, except for pedestrian signals,
 17 and said lights shall indicate and apply to drivers of vehicles and pedestrians as follows:

18 GREEN: Vehicular traffic facing a circular green signal may proceed straight through or
 19 turn right or left unless a sign at such place prohibits either such turn. Vehicular traffic facing a
 20 circular green signal, including vehicles turning right or left, shall yield the right-of-way to other
 21 vehicles and to pedestrians lawfully within the intersection or an adjacent crosswalk at the time such
 22 signal is exhibited. Unless otherwise directed by a pedestrian-control signal, pedestrians facing any
 23 green signal, except when the sole green signal is a turn arrow, may proceed across the roadway
 24 within any marked or unmarked crosswalk.

25 GREEN ARROW: Vehicular traffic facing a green arrow signal shown alone may enter the
 26 intersection only to make the movement indicated by such arrow or arrows. Such vehicular traffic
 27 shall yield the right-of-way to pedestrians lawfully using the intersection. Unless otherwise directed

1 by an automatic pedestrian-control signal, as hereinafter provided, pedestrians facing any green
2 signal, ~~except when the sole green signal is a turn arrow,~~ may not proceed across the roadway within
3 any marked or unmarked crosswalk.

4 ~~GREEN FLASHING: Upon the display of a flashing or intermittently lighted green light~~
5 ~~by such signal, vehicular traffic facing it is warned that the signal is about to change to yellow and~~
6 ~~shall enter such intersection only if such vehicle can proceed through the intersection safely; and~~
7 ~~pedestrians facing it shall not enter or cross the intersection unless such pedestrian started to cross~~
8 ~~before such flashing or intermittently lighted green signal was first displayed.~~

9 YELLOW: Upon the display of a yellow light by such signal, vehicular traffic facing it shall
10 stop before entering the crosswalk on the near side of the intersection unless such stop cannot be
11 made safely, in which event the vehicle may be driven cautiously through the intersection and be
12 given the right-of-way to clear the intersection. Pedestrians facing such signal shall not enter or
13 cross the roadway unless such pedestrian started to cross before such yellow light was first
14 displayed.

15 RED: Upon the display of a red light by such signal, vehicular traffic facing it shall stop
16 before entering the crosswalk on the near side of the intersection and remain stopped until a green
17 light is displayed, except as otherwise permitted in this title, and pedestrians facing such signal shall
18 not enter or cross the roadway except as otherwise provided at intersections controlled by automatic
19 pedestrian-control signals.

20 RED WITH GREEN ARROW: Upon the display of a red light in combination with a green
21 arrow, vehicular traffic facing it may cautiously enter the intersection only to make the movement
22 indicated by such arrow, but shall yield the right-of-way to pedestrians and to other traffic lawfully
23 within the intersection. Pedestrians facing such signal shall not start to cross the intersection.

24 RED FLASHING: Upon the display of the flashing or intermittently lighted red light by
25 such signal, vehicular traffic facing it shall come to a complete stop at such signal before entering
26 the nearest crosswalk, and regardless of the direction shall yield the right-of-way to vehicles and
27 pedestrians upon the street to be entered or crossed.

28 YELLOW FLASHING: Upon the display of a flashing or intermittently lighted yellow light
29 by such signal, vehicular traffic facing it may proceed through the intersection past such signal only
30 with caution.

31 YELLOW FLASHING ARROW: Upon the display of a flashing or intermittently lighted
32 yellow arrow light by such signal, vehicular traffic facing it may proceed through the intersection
33 past such signal only with caution and shall yield the right-of-way to pedestrians and other vehicles
34 lawfully using the intersection.

35 Section 2. That Section 10.26.415 of the Lincoln Municipal Code be amended to
36 read as follows:

1 **10.26.415 L55X.**

2 L55X, those portions included within the corporate limits of the city from the ~~south~~ north
3 line of ~~Bluff Road~~ Interstate 80 to the north line of Cornhusker Highway, is hereby designated and
4 declared to be an arterial street.

5 Section 3. That Chapter 10.26 of the Lincoln Municipal Code be amended by adding
6 a new Section 10.26.437 to read as follows:

7 **10.26.437 Pinnacle Arena Drive.**

8 Pinnacle Arena Drive, from the west line of 9th Street to the north line of N Street, is hereby
9 designated and declared to be an arterial street.

10 Section 4. That Section 10.41.020 of the Lincoln Municipal Code be amended to
11 read as follows:

12 **10.41.020 Downtown Snow Removal District.**

13 Downtown Snow Removal District shall include those portions of the city within the
14 following bounds: that portion of the city from the west line of 7th Street to the east line of 17th
15 Street and from the south line of J Street/Lincoln Mall to the north line of Q Street; that portion of
16 the city from the west line of 12th Street to the east line of 17th Street and from the south line of Q
17 Street to the north line of R Street; that portion of the city from the west line of 8th Street to the east
18 line of 10th Street and from the south line of Q Street to the north line of 8th Street Circle north of
19 S Street / T Street at 10th Street; that portion of the city from the west line of 7th Street to the east
20 line of 8th Street and from the south line of Q Street to the north line of R Street; that portion of the
21 city from the west line of 6th Street to the east line of 7th Street and from the south line of J Street
22 to the north line of L Street; that portion of the city from the west line of 9th Street to the east line
23 of 10th Street and from the south line of H Street to the north line of J Street/Lincoln Mall; that
24 portion of the city from the west line of 14th Street to the east line of 17th Street and from the south
25 line of H Street to the north line of J Street/Lincoln Mall; that portion of O Street lying between the
26 west line of 17th Street and the east line of 27th Street; that portion of N Street lying between the
27 west line of 17th Street and the east line of 27th Street; that portion of 18th Street lying between the
28 south line of O Street and the north line of Q Street.

29 West Haymarket Snow District shall include: N Street, 7th Street to Pinnacle Arena Drive;
30 8th Street, T Street to Pinnacle Arena Drive; Q Street, 7th Street to Pinnacle Arena Drive; R Street,
31 7th Street to Pinnacle Arena Drive; Pinnacle Arena Drive, N Street to R Street; Canopy Street, N
32 Street to R Street; and P Street, Canopy Street to Pinnacle Arena Drive.

1 Section 5. That Sections 10.12.030, 10.26.415, and 10.41.020 of the Lincoln
2 Municipal Code as hitherto existing be and the same are hereby repealed.

3 Section 6. Pursuant to Article VII, Section 7 of the City Charter, this ordinance shall
4 be posted on the official bulletin board of the City, located on the wall across from the City Clerk's
5 office at 555 S. 10th Street, in lieu of and in place of newspaper publication with notice of passage
6 and such posting to be given by publication one time in the official newspaper by the City Clerk.
7 This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication as herein
8 and in the City Charter provided.

Introduced by:

Approved as to Form & Legality:

City Attorney

Approved this ___ day of _____, 2013: _____ Mayor
