ORDINANCE NO: 492

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TERRYTOWN, NEBRASKA, AMENDING THE TERRYTOWN MUNICIPAL CODE AT SECTION 1-304(A) BY DEFINING REASONABLE ADVANCE PUBLICIZED NOTICE OF MEETINGS AND SECTION 1-306(A) BY SETTING FORTH THE LOCATION OF THE REGULAR MONTHLY Council MEETINGS, REPEALING PRIOR SECTIONS AND ORDINANCE NO. 468 AND ALL FORMER SECTIONS, PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION IN PAMPHLET FORM AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TERRYTOWN, NEBRASKA.

Section 1. Section1-304(A) of the Terrytown Municipal Code is amended to provide as follows:

"1-304: NOTICE; AGENDA

A. The City Council shall give reasonable advance publicized notice of the time and place of each meeting by a method designated by the council and recorded in its minutes. Reasonable advance public notice shall be defined as publication in the Scottsbluff Star-Herald, its website and nepublicnotices.com and/or by posting in the three conspicuous places around the City, specifically, the front doors of the following: the Carpenter Center at 116 Terry Boulevard, Western Nebraska Housing Authority at 89A Woodley Park Road, and Bluffview Estates Mobile Home Park at 120 Terry Boulevard at least three days in advance of any non-emergency meeting. Such notice shall be transmitted to all council members and to the public via Terrytown.org and the City's Facebook page. Such notice shall contain an agenda of subjects known at the time of the publicized notice or a statement that the agenda, which shall be kept continually current, shall be readily available for public inspection at the city office during normal business hours. Agenda items shall be sufficiently descriptive to the public reasonable notice of the matters to be considered at the meeting."

Section2: Section 1-306(A) of the Terrytown Municipal Code is amended to provide as follows:

"1-306. Place, Day, Time; Quorum

A. Regular meetings of the City Council shall be held on the second Thursday of each month at the hour of 6:30 p.m. unless the City Council, by majority vote

taken at a regular meeting, determines to hold the meeting at another date during the month. Additionally, should the second Thursday of the month fall on a federal or state holiday, the meeting shall occur on the third Thursday of the month. All meetings shall be held at 116 Terry Blvd in the Community Room. However, the mayor or council may determine that an emergency, public convenience or necessity requires that a meeting be held at another location as follows:

1. The meeting may be held at any other location accessible to the public within the city.
2. The meeting may be held outside the corporate limits of the city in the designated meeting place of another political subdivision located in Nebraska for the purpose of acting jointly or concurrently with the governing body of the other political subdivision.

Any determination to hold a meeting at another location shall be made by the City Council at a meeting held at least three days prior to the meeting."

Section 3. Prior sections 1-304(A) and 1-306(A) of the Terrytown Municipal Code are hereby repealed and are hereby amended, provided this Ordinance shall not be construed to affect any causes of action, civil or criminal, existing as actions pending, at the time this Ordinance becomes effective.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall become effective upon its passage, approval as provided by law, and publication shall be in pamphlet form.

PASSED AND APPROVED ON May 8th, 2025

Mayor

Attest:

Jenny Mattern
City Clerk

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