

**TOWN OF SILT
ORDINANCE NO. 8
SERIES OF 2020**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF SILT, COLORADO (“TOWN”),
REPEALING AND REPLACING CHAPTER 12.04 OF THE SILT MUNICIPAL
CODE (“CODE”) REGARDING SNOW AND ICE REMOVAL**

WHEREAS, it is the Town's intent to lookout for the general safety of its citizens and visitors; and

WHEREAS, the Town finds it necessary to apply regulations to the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks; and

WHEREAS, the Town has concluded that the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks, that is placed into the street, creates a series of public safety issues, and unnecessary wear and tear on public motorist and Town equipment; and

WHEREAS, the board is authorized and empowered to enact this Ordinance under its general police powers and the powers of the Town's Home Rule Charter; and

WHEREAS, the Town gave proper and timely published and/or posted notice of the dates and times of the public hearings at which the Board considered this ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Board has determined that the adoption of this ordinance is necessary and proper to provide for the safety, health, prosperity and order of the Town.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
THE TOWN OF SILT THAT:**

SECTION 1

Chapter 12.04 is hereby repealed and replaced in its entirety with the following:

12.04.010 Removal of snow and ice from sidewalks

- A.** The owner or occupant of any lot, tract or parcel of ground within the Town having a sidewalk along or adjacent to any boundary thereof shall cause all snow and ice to be removed from the sidewalk within twenty-four hours from the time of the last accretion of snow or ice upon the sidewalk.
- B.** It shall be unlawful for any person to plow, shovel, blow or otherwise move snow or ice into any public street, sidewalk, alley or other public property within the Town in a manner which impairs the use of the street or sidewalk for vehicular or pedestrian traffic, increases hazards to vehicles

or pedestrians traveling upon the street or sidewalk, or interferes with the Town's maintenance of the public property; provided, however, nothing contained in this section shall be construed to prohibit or regulate the manner in which persons working on behalf of the Town clear or remove snow or ice from the public streets or other public places within the Town.

12.04.020 Violation---Penalty

The Town may issue a citation to a violator of Chapter 12.04 (snow and ice removal) in accordance with Chapter 1.12 of this code.

SECTION 2

All ordinances heretofore passed and adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Silt, Colorado are hereby repealed to the extent that said ordinances, or parts thereof, are in conflict herewith.

SECTION 3

If any section, subsection, clause, phrase or provision of this Ordinance, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance, shall to any extent, be held by a courts of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, void or unconstitutional, the remaining sections, subsections, clauses, phrases and provisions of this Ordinance, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance, shall remain in full force and shall in no way be affected, impaired or invalidated.

INTRODUCED, READ AND APPROVED ON FIRST READING this 24th day of February 2020, and a public hearing ordered upon second reading this 9th day of March 2020 at 7:00 PM in the municipal building of the Town of Silt, Colorado.

PASSED, APPROVED ON SECOND READING, ADOPTED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED BY TITLE following a public hearing this 9th day of March, 2020.

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ATTEST:



Mayor Keith B. Richel


Town Clerk Sheila M. McIntyre