

ORDINANCE 38

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS ON MUNICIPAL PROPERTIES, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF

Whereas, it has been determined that smoking and the use of other tobacco products is dangerous and detrimental to the health of the users and those in proximity to such use; and

Whereas, the City Council has determined that prohibiting the use of tobacco products within and about municipal properties would protect the health, safety and well being of the citizens of Pleasant Valley;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PLEASANT VALLEY:

SECTION ONE. Smoking or the use of any tobacco product is prohibited in or about any city-owned buildings or other facilities, either incise of any city-owned building or upon the grounds of any city-owned building, park, recreation facility, or other city-owned property within the City of Pleasant Valley.

SECTION TWO. Tobacco products within the meaning of this ordinance shall include smokeless tobacco, any lighted or heated tobacco product of any kind, including the use of an electronic cigarette which creates a vapor, or any oral smoking device.

SECTION THREE. Violation of this ordinance shall be a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, a person shall be fined not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) nor more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for each offense under this ordinance.

SECTION FOUR. This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage.

Passed by the City Council this 17th day of June, 2014.

signed by Barbara Metcalfe
Mayor

ATTEST:

signed by Rebecca Rennie Teets
City Clerk