ORDINANCE No. 1124

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF OKANOGAN, WASHINGTON, REPEALING SECTION 10.45.090(B) OF THE OKANOGAN MUNICIPAL CODE WHICH EFFECT SHALL BE TO DESIGNATE ALL CITY OF OKANOGAN CITY STREETS AND ROADS AS OPEN TO ORV USE UNLESS POSTED CLOSED.

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Okanogan desires to repeal Section 10.45.090(B) of the Okanogan Municipal Code, which effect shall be to designate all City of Okanogan city streets and roads as open to ORV use unless posted closed; and

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Okanogan desires to adopt by Ordinance a revised set of regulations for Section 10.45.90 Street Designations; and

WHEREAS, The City of Okanogan recognizes that the expanding popularity of off-road vehicles may provide opportunities for a wide variety of uses and outdoor recreational activities and the commerce that is derived there from; and

WHEREAS, RCW 46.09.360 authorizes the legislative body of a City with a population of less than 3,000 persons, may by Ordinance, designate a street or highway within its boundaries to be suitable for use by off-road vehicles.

NOW THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Okanogan, do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Repealer.

Section 10.45.090(B) is hereby repealed.

Section 2. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall become effective from and after its passage by the City Council, approval by the Mayor and five days after publication of this ordinance, or a summary, as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OKANOGAN this day of FBRUARY, 2012.

APPROVED:

Michael Blake, Mayor

W Scott Detro, City Attorney

Craig Atwood, City Clerk-Treasurer