

TOWN OF CORYDON, INDIANA
ORDINANCE PREVENTING THE USE OF BICYCLES &
MOTORIZED VEHICLES ON TOWN SIDEWALKS AND THE
PARKING/STORAGE OF SUCH MODES OF TRANSPORTATION
AND OTHER ITEMS

ORDINANCE NO. 2021- 10

AN ORDINANCE CONTROLLING THE USE OF BICYCLES AND MOTORIZED VEHICLES ON THE SIDEWALKS AND THE PARKING OR ATTACHMENT OF SUCH MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AND OTHER ITEMS WITHIN THE TOWN OF CORYDON AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF SUCH ORDINANCE

WHEREAS, the Town Council is the legislative governing body of the Town of Corydon in the State of Indiana, and

WHEREAS, in accordance with I.C. 36-1-3-6, a municipality may adopt an ordinance prescribing a specific manner for exercising a power, and

WHEREAS, the use and storage of bicycles and motorized vehicles on the sidewalks within the Town of Corydon can be a dangerous activity to pedestrians, and

WHEREAS, it has been determined that it is in the best interest of public safety that the Town of Corydon adopt some provisions regulating the use and storage of bicycles, motorized vehicles and other items on the use of sidewalks within the Town of Corydon, and

WHEREAS, it is the duty of the Town Council for the Town of Corydon, Indiana to provide for the public safety of all citizens and visitors of the Town.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, that the Town Council for the Town of Corydon adopt the following language in regulating bicycle and motorized vehicle activity and storage of such modes of transportation and storage of other items on sidewalks within the Town of Corydon.

Section 1. Definitions.

- a. Bicycle is defined as a device propelled by human power upon which any person may ride, having two (2) tandem wheels, either of which is more than fourteen (14) inches in diameter.
- b. Motorized Vehicle is defined as any self-propelled vehicle, whether by electric or use of an internal combustion engine and shall not include wheelchairs and other mobility aides.

Section 2. Prohibitions.

- a. The riding of bicycles or use of any motorized vehicle is prohibited on all sidewalks within the Town of Corydon, except as may be specifically authorized by the appropriate governmental entity.
- b. The parking of any motorized vehicle is prohibited on all sidewalks within the Town of Corydon, except as may be specifically authorized by the appropriate governmental entity.
- c. No item shall be chained or secured by any other method to light posts or signposts located on and around the sidewalks within the Town of Corydon.

Section 3. Penalties.

Any violation of this Ordinance is deemed an infraction, punishable by a fine in the amount of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00). A second and all subsequent violations of this Ordinance shall be punishable by a fine of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00).

EFFECTIVE DATE: This Ordinance shall become effective after passage by the Corydon Town Council and publication of this Ordinance as required by law.

ADOPTED by the Town Council for the Town of Corydon, Indiana, this 7th day of December, 2021.

TOWN COUNCIL FOR THE TOWN OF CORYDON, INDIANA

 _____ Lester Rhoads, President

 _____ Paul Hamann, Vice President

 _____ Hope Schneider, Ward 1

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ATTEST:

 _____ Treggie M. King, Clerk-Treasurer

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