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AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BRONTE, TEXAS, ESTABLISHING PARKING RESTRICTIONS IN RESIDENTIAL AREAS WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF BRONTE AS SET OUT IN THIS ORDINANCE; AND PROVIDING A PENALTY OF A FINE NOT TO EXCEED \$500.00 FOR VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE.

Whereas, the City of Bronte finds that it is in the best interest of the City and citizens of the city to establish parking restrictions within residential areas.

Now, therefore, be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Bronte, restricted parking in residential areas become effective as herein provided.

SECTION I.

This ordinance shall govern the parking of vehicles on public streets, alleys or public places in the City of Bronte (hereinafter the "City").

SECTION 2.

It shall be unlawful for any person or any owner to leave, park or stand any truck tractor, road tractor, truck trailer, semi-trailer, farm tractor, any other motor vehicle with a rated capacity in excess of one ton according to the manufacturer's classification, or any vehicles exceeding twenty five (25') in length, upon any public street or public right of way within any part of the city. This section shall not prevent the parking or standing of the above-described vehicles for the purpose of loading and unloading passengers, freight, or merchandise.

SECTION 3.

It shall be unlawful for any person or any owner to leave, park, or stand any mobile home, motor home, travel trailer, boat trailer, stock trailer, or any other type of trailer upon any public street or public right of way in the city within any area where the primary use is residential, except a recreational vehicle owned by an out-of-town guest of a residential property owner may be parked on the street in front of the property owned by such person for a period not to exceed five (5) days providing such parking does not impair the regular flow of traffic. A property owner may park a trailer (not a semi-trailer in front of property owned by such person for a period not to exceed twenty four (24) hours, for a maximum of seventy two (72) hours in a year, providing that such parking does not impair the regular flow of traffic.

SECTION 4.

This section shall not apply to street construction, maintenance and repair equipment used by public service utility companies engaged in repairing or extending public service utilities.

SECTION 5.

Any person violating a Parking rule or regulation set herein, may also be issued a citation for such violation for a Class C Misdemeanor. Upon conviction for violating such rule or regulation such person shall pay a fine of not less than \$50.00 and not more than \$500.00.

SECTION 5.

This ordinance shall become effective September 15, 2009.

ADOPTED THIS <u>13th DAY</u> OF AUGUST, 2009.