

**ORDINANCE 782**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CAMANCHE, IOWA MUNICIPAL CODE BY AMENDING CHAPTER 3-1-4 SUBSECTION 2, CHAPTER 3-1-6 SUBSECTION 1, and CHAPTER 3-1-6 SUBSECTION 9 OF THE CAMANCHE CODE OF ORDINANCES.**

Section 1. **Purpose.** The purpose of this ordinance is to amend the Camanche Municipal Code by modifying the Community Protection Offenses Ordinance to align with other City of Camanche codes and organizational needs.

Section 2. **Facts Found.** The City Council of the City of Camanche, Iowa hereby makes the following findings of fact:-

1. The City of Camanche, Iowa Code of Ordinances was codified in 2019
2. Chapter 3-1-4 Subsection 2, 3-1-6 Subsection 1 and 3-1-6 Subsection 9 directs the certain actions be approve by the mayor which is in conflict with Ordinance 2-3-3 Subsection 3.
3. Chapter 2-17 of the Camanche Code of Ordinances appoints managerial duties of the City to the City Administrator

Section 3. **Amendment.** Chapter 3-1-4 Subsection 2 is amended and the following language is inserted in lieu thereof:

2. Obstructing or defacing streets. No person shall obstruct, deface, or injure any public road in any manner by breaking up, plowing or digging within the boundary lines thereof, without permission from the City Administrator or appropriate appointed designee.

Chapter 3-1-6 Subsection 1 is amended and the following language is inserted in lieu thereof:

1. Defacing public grounds. No person shall cut, break or deface any tree or shrub in a public park or on any avenue thereto by willfully defacing, cutting, breaking or injuring, except by the authority of the City Administrator or the appropriately appointed designee.

Chapter 3-1-6 Subsection 9 is amended and the following language is inserted in lieu thereof:

9. Obstructing or defacing roads. No person shall obstruct, deface or injure any public road by breaking up, plowing or digging within the boundary lines thereof, except by written authorization of the City Administrator or the appropriately appointed designee.

Section 4. **Repealer.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with any provision of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 5. **Severability Clause.** If any section, provision, or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect this ordinance as a whole, or any section, provision, or part thereof not adjudicated invalid or unconstitutional.

Section 6. **When Effective.** This ordinance shall be in full effect from and after its final passage, approval, and publication as required by law.

Passed by the Camanche City Council this 19<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2022 and approved this 19<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2022.

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Paul E. Varner, Mayor Pro Tem

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Attest: Toni L. Schneider, City Clerk

### **Certification of Posting**

I, Toni L. Schneider, City Clerk, do hereby certify that a copy of this ordinance was posted at the Camanche City Hall, the Camanche Public Library, and the Clinton National Bank in Camanche on the 19th day of April, 2022 as required by law.

Toni Schneider  
Name

04/19/2022  
Date