

## ORDINANCE NO. 2265

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF CRETE, NEBRASKA RELATING TO TRAFFIC, PARKING, AND VEHICLES; TO AMEND SECTION 5-402 OF THE CRETE MUNICIPAL CODE TO COLLECT FINES AT THE POLICE DEPARTMENT AND INCREASE FINE AFTER SEVENTY TWO HOURS.**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CRETE, NEBRASKA:**

**Section 1.** That Chapter 5, Article 4, Section 5-402 of the Crete Municipal Code shall be amended as follows:

**5-402 Parking; Bureau Of Violations, Created; Fines; Prosecution**

- (1) There is hereby created the Bureau of Violations within the powers and duties of the Municipal Police. A copy of each citation issued for nonmoving traffic violations shall be deposited with the Administrative Assistant at ~~City Hall~~ the police department, whose duty it shall be to collect all parking fines and to maintain appropriate and accurate records of all such fines.
- (2) Parking fines shall be payable at ~~City Hall~~ the police department. Such fines shall be in the amount of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for each violation if paid within seventy-two hours from the date of issuance. After seventy-two hours the fine shall be ~~thirty-five~~ fifty dollars (\$~~50.00~~35.00). Fines pertained to handicapped parking shall be one hundred dollars (\$100.00) if paid within seventy-two hours and two hundred dollars (\$200) after seventy-two hours.
- (3) Should such fines not be paid within thirty days from date of issuance, the Municipal Police shall forward all necessary information to the Municipal Attorney. The Municipal Attorney may file a complaint in the appropriate Court.
- (4) All money collected by the Municipal Police under this section shall be transferred to the Municipal Treasurer who shall, in turn, transfer said money to the school district in which the Municipality lies.

**Section 2.** That the changes specified in the above sections shall be codified as part of the Crete Municipal Code as stated herein.

**Section 3.** That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith shall be repealed and that any partial repeal shall not affect the other parts of ordinances or codified sections that can be given effect without the repealed parts.

**Section 4.** That if any section, part, or provision of this ordinance is for any reason held invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect the validity of any other section, part, or provision of this ordinance.

**Section 5.** That this ordinance shall be published in pamphlet or book form and shall take effect and be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval, and publication, as provided by law.

PASSED AND ENACTED the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2026.

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk

