

[Amending the Traffic Code to establish a single consolidated list of weight-restricted streets]

Ordinance amending the Traffic Code by repealing Sections 28.4 and 28.5, amending Sections 28.1 and 28.1.19, renumbering Sections 28.5.1 through 28.5.59 as 28.1.110 through 28.1.165, and adding new Sections 28.1.166 through 28.1.170 to: correct obsolete references to Army Street; establish a consolidated list of weight-restricted streets on which vehicles with a gross vehicle weight of 6000 pounds or more are, with specified exceptions, prohibited; add Ledyard Street between Silver Avenue and Thornton Avenue, Vesta Street between Thornton Avenue and Williams Avenue, Scotia Avenue between Silver Avenue and Thornton Avenue and Thornton Avenue between Bayshore Boulevard and 3rd Street the list of restricted streets; and clarify the exceptions applicable to weight restricted-street requirements.

Note: Additions are single-underline italics Times New Roman; deletions are ~~strikethrough italics Times New Roman~~. Board amendment additions are double underlined. Board amendment deletions are ~~strikethrough normal~~.

Be it ordained by the People of the City and County of San Francisco:

Section 1. The San Francisco Traffic Code is hereby amended by amending Section 28.1, to read as follows:

SEC. 28.1. RESTRICTED TRAFFIC STREETS.

It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a vehicle with gross weight in excess of 6,000 pounds upon the streets designated in Sections 28.1.1 et seq. of this Code.

The term "vehicle" as used herein means a device by which any person or property may be propelled, moved or drawn upon a street.

The Department of Parking and Traffic shall place and maintain, or cause to be placed and maintained, appropriate signs at such places on the restricted streets and on such streets

1 leading thereto as will, in its judgment, best serve to give notice of the prohibition contained  
2 herein.

3 The provisions hereof shall not be applicable to:

4 (a) Any vehicle which is subject to the provisions of Sections 1031 to 1036,  
5 inclusive, of the Public Utilities Code of the State of California and which has received a  
6 certificate from the Public Utilities Commission of the State pursuant to those Sections declaring that  
7 the public necessity and convenience require the operation of the vehicle, provided that the certificate  
8 authorizes that vehicle to be operated in the City and County of San Francisco, and the vehicle is being  
9 operated for the purpose authorized in the certificate. This exemption shall not apply to vehicles  
10 operated as round-trip sight-seeing tour service as defined by the Public Utilities Commission;

11 (b) Any commercial vehicle coming from an unrestricted street having ingress and  
12 egress by direct route to and from that portion of the restricted streets set forth below, when  
13 necessary for the purpose of making pickups of refuse, pickups or deliveries of passengers,  
14 goods, wares and merchandise from or to any building or structure located on such restricted  
15 street, or for the purpose of delivering materials or equipment to be used in the actual and  
16 bona fide repairs, alteration, remodeling or construction of such restricted street, or for any  
17 building or structure upon such restricted street for which a building permit has previously  
18 been obtained;

19 (c) Any vehicle owned by a public utility while in use in the construction, installation  
20 or repair of any public utility;

21 (d) Transit vehicles operated by the Municipal Railway along a regularly scheduled  
22 route;

23 (e) School buses when operated for the transportation of school pupils;

24 (f) Any vehicle owned by the City and County of San Francisco while being used in  
25 the course of official business;

1           (g) Emergency vehicles.

2           Section 2. The San Francisco Traffic Code is hereby amended by amending Section  
3 28.1.19, to read as follows

4           SEC. 28.1.19.

5           Guerrero Street between Eighteenth and ~~Army~~ Cesar Chavez Streets.

6           Section 3. The San Francisco Traffic Code is hereby amended by amending Section  
7 28.1.43, to read as follows:

8           SEC. 28.1.43.

9           ~~Army~~ Cesar Chavez Street between Church and Noe Streets.

10          Section 4. The San Francisco Traffic Code is hereby amended by repealing Sections  
11 28.4 and 28.5:

12          ~~SEC. 28.4. RESTRICTION OF TRAFFIC.~~

13          ~~—It shall be unlawful for any person to operate a vehicle with gross weight in excess of 6,000~~  
14 ~~pounds upon Thorp Lane.~~

15          ~~—The term “vehicle” as used herein means a device by which any person or property may be~~  
16 ~~propelled, moved, or drawn upon a street.~~

17          ~~—The Department of Parking and Traffic shall place and maintain, or cause to be placed and~~  
18 ~~maintained, appropriate signs at such places on the restricted street herein affected and on such streets~~  
19 ~~leading thereto as will, in its judgment, best serve to give notice of the prohibition contained in this~~  
20 ~~Section.~~

21          ~~—This ordinance shall not apply to:~~

22          ~~—(a) Any vehicle which is subject to the provisions of the Public Utilities Act of the State of~~  
23 ~~California;~~

24          ~~—(b) Any commercial vehicles coming from an unrestricted street having ingress and egress~~  
25 ~~by direct route to and from the restricted street when necessary for the purpose of delivering materials~~

1 ~~or equipment to be used in the actual and bona fide repairs, alteration, remodeling or construction of~~  
2 ~~such restricted street, or of any building or structure upon such restricted street for which a building~~  
3 ~~permit has previously been obtained;~~

4 ~~—(c)—Any vehicle owned by a public utility while in use in the construction, installation, or~~  
5 ~~repair of any public utility;~~

6 ~~—(d)—Any vehicle owned by the City and County of San Francisco while being used in the~~  
7 ~~course of official business.~~

8 ~~SEC. 28.5. RESTRICTED TRAFFIC STREET REGULATED.~~

9 ~~—Except for those vehicles described in Subsections (b), (c) and (f) of Section 28.1 of this~~  
10 ~~Code, it shall be unlawful for the operator of any vehicle designed or used for the transportation of~~  
11 ~~property and weighing more than 6,000 pounds or of any vehicle used for the transportation of persons~~  
12 ~~for hire, compensation or profit when such vehicle is not in service transporting persons to operate said~~  
13 ~~vehicle upon streets designated in Sections 28.5.1 et seq. of this Code, after erection thereon of~~  
14 ~~appropriate signs giving notice of the prohibition contained in this Section and the Department of~~  
15 ~~Parking and Traffic is hereby authorized to erect or cause to be erected appropriate signs giving such~~  
16 ~~notice.~~

17 Section 5. The San Francisco Traffic Code is hereby amended by renumbering  
18 Sections 28.5.1 through 28.5.59 as Sections 28.1.110 through 28.1.165, and adding Sections  
19 28.1.166 through 28.1.168 to read as follows:

20 ~~SEC. 28.5.1.~~ SEC. 28.1.110.

21 Alabama Street, between Ripley Street and South Precita Avenue.

22 ~~SEC. 28.5.2.~~ SEC. 28.1.111.

23 Alhambra Street, between Scott Street and Cervantes Boulevard.

24 ~~SEC. 28.5.3.~~ SEC. 28.1.112.

25 Baker Street, between Union Street Avenue and Marina Boulevard.

- 1           ~~SEC. 28.5.4.~~   SEC. 28.1.113.  
2           Beaumont Avenue, between Turk and Anza Streets.  
3           ~~SEC. 28.5.6.~~   SEC. 28.1.114.  
4           Cedro Avenue, between Mercedes Way and Ocean Avenue.  
5           ~~SEC. 28.5.7.~~   SEC. 28.1.115.  
6           Cerritos Avenue, between Mercedes Way and Ocean Avenue.  
7           ~~SEC. 28.5.8.~~   SEC. 28.1.116.  
8           Chestnut Street, between Laguna Street and Van Ness Avenue.  
9           ~~SEC. 28.5.9.~~   SEC. 28.1.117.  
10          Chestnut Street, between Lyon Street and Broderick Street.  
11          ~~SEC. 28.5.10.~~ SEC. 28.1.118.  
12          College Avenue, between Genebern Way and Mission Street.  
13          ~~SEC. 28.5.11.~~ SEC. 28.1.119.  
14          Corbett Avenue, between Clayton and Seventeenth Streets.  
15          ~~SEC. 28.5.12.~~ SEC. 28.1.120.  
16          Folsom Street, between Precita Avenue and Bernal Heights Boulevard; and Bernal  
17          Heights Boulevard, between Folsom Street and Bernal Heights Park (approximately 350 feet).  
18          ~~SEC. 28.5.13.~~ SEC. 28.1.121.  
19          Francisco Street, between Laguna Street and Van Ness Avenue.  
20          ~~SEC. 28.5.14.~~ SEC. 28.1.122.  
21          Francisco Street, between Baker and Scott Streets.  
22          ~~SEC. 28.5.15.~~ SEC. 28.1.123.  
23          Franklin Street, between California and Lombard Streets.  
24          ~~SEC. 28.5.16.~~ SEC. 28.1.124.  
25          Genebern Way, between Alemany Boulevard and College Avenue.

- 1           ~~SEC. 28.5.17.~~ SEC. 28.1.125.  
2           Gilman Avenue, between Third and Fitch Streets.  
3           ~~SEC. 28.5.18.~~ SEC. 28.1.126.  
4           Gough Street, between Jackson and Union Streets.  
5           ~~SEC. 28.5.19.~~ SEC. 28.1.127.  
6           Great Highway, between Lincoln Way and Sloat Boulevard.  
7           ~~SEC. 28.5.20.~~ SEC. 28.1.128.  
8           Jamestown Avenue, between Third Street and Harney Way.  
9           ~~SEC. 28.5.21.~~ SEC. 28.1.129.  
10          Kansas Street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third Streets.  
11          ~~SEC. 28.5.22.~~ SEC. 28.1.130.  
12          Lathrop Avenue, between Tunnel and Tocoloma Avenues.  
13          ~~SEC. 28.5.23.~~ SEC. 28.1.131.  
14          Lombard Street, between Polk and Leavenworth Streets.  
15          ~~SEC. 28.5.24.~~ SEC. 28.1.132.  
16          Lyon Street, between Green and Lombard Streets.  
17          ~~SEC. 28.5.25.~~ SEC. 28.1.133.  
18          Marina Boulevard, between Lyon and Laguna Streets.  
19          ~~SEC. 28.5.26.~~ SEC. 28.1.134.  
20          Pacheco Street, between Dewey Boulevard and Ninth Avenue.  
21          ~~SEC. 28.5.27.~~ SEC. 28.1.135.  
22          Parker Avenue, between Turk and Anza Streets.  
23          ~~SEC. 28.5.28.~~ SEC. 28.1.136.  
24          Pennsylvania Street, between Mariposa and Twenty-second Streets.  
25          ~~SEC. 28.5.29.~~ SEC. 28.1.137.

- 1 Rossi Avenue, between Turk and Anza Streets.  
2 ~~SEC. 28.5.30.~~ SEC. 28.1.138.
- 3 Santa Clara Avenue, between Monterey Boulevard and Portola Drive.  
4 ~~SEC. 28.5.31.~~ SEC. 28.1.139.
- 5 St. Francis Boulevard, between Portola Drive and San Anselmo Avenue.  
6 ~~SEC. 28.5.32.~~ SEC. 28.1.140.
- 7 Stanyan Street, between Turk and Anza Streets.  
8 ~~SEC. 28.5.33.~~ SEC. 28.1.141.
- 9 Union Street, between Lyon and Steiner Streets.  
10 ~~SEC. 28.5.34.~~ SEC. 28.1.142.
- 11 Vermont Street, between Twentieth and Twenty-second Streets.  
12 ~~SEC. 28.5.35.~~ SEC. 28.1.143.
- 13 Webster Street, between Bay Street and Marina Boulevard.  
14 ~~SEC. 28.5.36.~~ SEC. 28.1.144.
- 15 Yerba Buena Avenue, between Santa Clara Avenue and Miraloma Avenue.  
16 ~~SEC. 28.5.37.~~ SEC. 28.1.145.
- 17 Francisco Street, between Polk Street and Columbus Avenue.  
18 ~~SEC. 28.5.38.~~ SEC. 28.1.146.
- 19 Chestnut Street, between Polk Street and Columbus Avenue.  
20 ~~SEC. 28.5.39.~~ SEC. 28.1.147.
- 21 Greenwich Street, between Polk and Taylor Streets.  
22 ~~SEC. 28.5.40.~~ SEC. 28.1.148.
- 23 Filbert Street, between Polk and Taylor Streets  
24 ~~SEC. 28.5.41.~~ SEC. 28.1.149.
- 25 Larkin Street, between Bay Street and Pacific Avenue.

- 1           ~~SEC. 28.5.42.~~ SEC. 28.1.150.  
2           Leavenworth Street, between Bay Street and Pacific Avenue.  
3           ~~SEC. 28.5.43.~~ SEC. 28.1.151.  
4           Jones Street, between Columbus and Pacific Avenues.  
5           ~~SEC. 28.5.44.~~ SEC. 28.1.152.  
6           Taylor Street, between Columbus and Pacific Avenues.  
7           ~~SEC. 28.5.45.~~ SEC. 28.1.153.  
8           Chattanooga Street, between Twenty-first and Jersey Streets.  
9           ~~SEC. 28.5.46.~~ SEC. 28.1.154.  
10          Scott Street, between California and Bush Streets.  
11          ~~SEC. 28.5.49.~~ SEC. 28.1.155.  
12          Green Street, between Polk and Mason Streets.  
13          ~~SEC. 28.5.50.~~ SEC. 28.1.156.  
14          Vallejo Street, between Polk and Mason Streets.  
15          ~~SEC. 28.5.51.~~ SEC. 28.1.157.  
16          Twenty-Sixth Street, between Church and Sanchez Streets.  
17          ~~SEC. 28.5.52.~~ SEC. 28.1.158.  
18          Mendell Street, between Galvez and Hudson Avenues.  
19          ~~SEC. 28.5.53.~~ SEC. 28.1.159.  
20          Pond Street, between 16th and 17th Streets.  
21          ~~SEC. 28.5.54.~~ SEC. 28.1.160.  
22          Mariposa Street, between Mississippi and Connecticut Streets.  
23          ~~SEC. 28.5.55.~~ SEC. 28.1.161.  
24          Middle Point Road, between Evans and Innes Avenues.  
25          ~~SEC. 28.5.56.~~ SEC. 28.1.162.



1 Innes Avenue, between Middle Point Road and Hunters Point Boulevard.

2 ~~SEC. 28.5.57.~~ SEC. 28.1.163.

3 Greenwich Street between Divisadero and Lyon Streets.

4 ~~SEC. 28.5.58.~~ SEC. 28.1.164.

5 Broderick Street between Richardson Avenue and Union Street.

6 ~~SEC. 28.5.59.~~ SEC. 28.1.165.

7 Filbert Street between Divisadero and Lyon Streets.

8 SEC. 28.1.166.

9 Thorp Lane.

10 SEC.28.1.167

11 Ledyard Street, between Silver Avenue and Thornton Avenue.

12 SEC. 28.1.168.

13 Vesta Street, between Thornton Avenue and Williams Avenue.

14 SEC. 28.1.169.


15 Scotia Avenue, between Silver Avenue and Thornton Avenue.

16 SEC. 28.1.170

17 Sec. 28.1.170. Thornton Avenue, between Bayshore Boulevard and 3rd Street.

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## Tails Ordinance

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May 9, 2006 Board of Supervisors — PASSED ON FIRST READING

Ayes: 11 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Ma, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Mirkarimi, Peskin, Sandoval

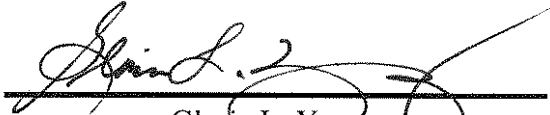
May 16, 2006 Board of Supervisors — FINALLY PASSED

Ayes: 10 - Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Ma, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Mirkarimi, Peskin, Sandoval

Absent: 1 - Alioto-Pier

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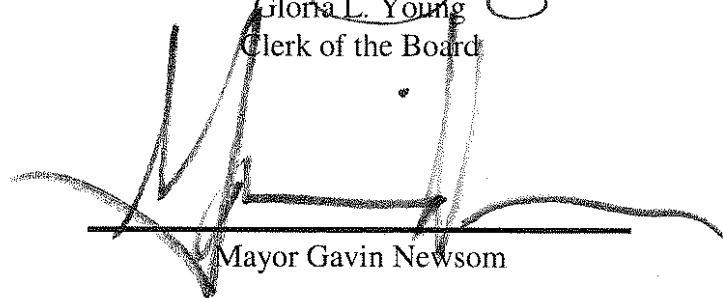
I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance  
was FINALLY PASSED on May 16, 2006 by  
the Board of Supervisors of the City and  
County of San Francisco.



Gloria L. Young  
Clerk of the Board

5/19/06

Date Approved



Mayor Gavin Newsom