

ORDINANCES
MILES CITY, MONTANA

ORDINANCE NO. 1266

AN ORDINANCE REVISING SECTION 2-26 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF MILES CITY, MONTANA, SO AS TO ALLOW THE BYPASS OF COMMITTEE REVIEW UPON FIRST READING OF AN ORDINANCE SO LONG AS THE ORDINANCE WAS PREVIOUSLY REVIEWED BY THE COMMITTEE

BE IT ORDAINED, by the City Council of the City of Miles City, Montana, as follows:

Section 1. Section 2-26 shall be amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 2-26. – Introduction; reading; adoption upon first reading; referral to committee; public hearing, and final adoption.

All ordinances must be submitted in writing and upon motion of a member of the city council at any regular council meeting, or at any special council meeting duly called for such purpose. Upon second of the motion to adopt, the mayor shall then and there cause the proposed ordinance to be read and it shall be submitted to the city council for adoption upon first reading. If upon the first reading, the ordinance is adopted by a majority vote of the council members present at the meeting, the proposed ordinance shall be referred by the mayor to a suitable committee, which shall take the proposed ordinance under advisement and consideration until the next regular meeting of the city council, no earlier than 12 days after the date of the initial adoption upon first reading, at which time such committee shall report the proposed ordinance back to the council together with its report thereon. In the event an appropriate committee has already reviewed the ordinance and has recommended that the same be approved by council, the mayor may waive the referral and consideration requirements of this section so long as no issues are raised during discussion at the first reading which would warrant further committee review. After the first reading and adoption, the ordinance must be posted and copies must be made available to the public. A public hearing, after published notice, shall be held upon the adoption of the ordinance prior to the second reading of the ordinance. The public hearing and second reading may occur at the same council meeting. Following public hearing, the proposed ordinance shall then be read for the second time and shall thereupon be ready for final passage and adoption by a majority vote of the council members present at the meeting. An ordinance passed may not contain more than one comprehensive subject, which must be clearly expressed in its title, except ordinances for codification and revision of ordinances. Upon final passage and approval by the mayor, all ordinances must be signed by the mayor and filed with the city clerk.”

Section 2. This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after its final passage.

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Said Ordinance read and put on its passage this 22nd day of April,
2014.



C.A. Grenz, Mayor

ATTEST:



Lorrie Pearce, City Clerk

FINALLY PASSED AND ADOPTED this 13th day of May, 2014.



C.A. Grenz, Mayor

ATTEST:



Lorrie Pearce, City Clerk