

ORDINANCE NO. 229

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the numbering of buildings within the Town of Stayton; to provide for penalties for violations; and declaring an emergency.

THE TOWN OF STAYTON DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. There is hereby established a uniform system of numbering all houses, stores, establishments and other buildings, excepting minor sheds and outbuildings, now situated or which may hereafter be erected within the town limits of the Town of Stayton, Oregon, which for convenience are hereafter designated as structures. Pursuant to such system the numbers shall be placed near the main entrance of each structure, and in accordance with the map and plan now on file in the office of the Town Recorder, which shall be known as the "Official numbering Map of the Town of Stayton."

Section 2. Numbers on all structures on the north side of streets extending east and west, and on all structures on the west side of streets extending north and south, shall be odd numbers commencing with the numbers 101; and numbers on all structures on the south side of streets extending east and west, and on all structures on the east side of streets extending north and south, shall be even numbers commencing with the numbers 100.

Section 3. First Street in the Town of Stayton shall be the BASE LINE for commencing to number all streets extending east and west; and Water Street shall be the BASE LINE for commencing to number all streets extending north and south.

All numbering east or west of First Street shall be designated "East" or "West" as the case may be. All numbering south of Water Street shall be designated "South", and all numbering north of Water Street shall bear no directional designation.

Section 4. The numbering shall be fixed by blocks, and in cases where the properties are not platted in blocks, the confines of a block shall be fixed by the Council. Each block shall be allowed 100 numbers, with 50 to each side of a street in the block. The numbers shall be assigned to structures on a frontage basis proportionate to the length of the block, and in the event a question arises as to the proper number for a particular structure, the question shall be decided by the Recorder.

Section 5. It shall be the duty of every person (which term shall be construed to include persons, firms and corporations) owning, occupying or controlling any structure within the Town of Stayton, to obtain from the Recorder the correct number for such structure and to number the same in accordance with provisions hereof, the same to be done within thirty (30) days after the passage of this ordinance, or within 30 days after the erection of any structure which may be constructed after passage of this ordinance.

Section 6. All numbers shall be placed on the front of each structure as near the main entrance as possible, in such manner as to be easily seen and read from the public way.

All numbers shall be not less than 2½ inches in height for the number proper, and shall be distinctly legible. For the purpose of securing uniformity of numbers, there is hereby adopted a type of numbers known as the "Everetts Tile House Number", the same being white tile blocks with black numbers, set in special metal frames.

The numbers shall be attached to all structures by a competent person or persons selected by the Council.

Section 7. It shall be unlawful for any person to fail or refuse to obtain a number or to place the same on any structure owned, occupied or controlled by such person, in the manner in this ordinance provided; and it shall likewise be unlawful for any person to remove, alter, or deface any number, or to substitute any other number therefor; and any person violating any provision of this section or of this Ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof in the Recorder's Court for said Town, be punished by a fine of not more than \$10.00, or by imprisonment in the Town jail for not more than 5 days.

Section 8. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 9. Inasmuch as the Town of Stayton now has no provisions for house number in an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage by the Council and approval by the Mayor.

Passed by the Council April 3, 1939.

Attest: Geo. R. Duncan, Recorder.

Approved by the Mayor April 3, 1939.

W. A. Weddle, Mayor of the Town of Stayton, Oregon.