

AN ORDINANCE OF THE VILLAGE OF ALVO, CASS COUNTY, NEBRASKA, TO PROVIDE EXCEPTIONS TO AT THE PLACES OR PREMISES A PERSON WITH A PERMIT TO CARRY A CONCEALED WEAPON, PURSUANT TO NEBRASKA STATE LAW, MAY CARRY SUCH WEAPON; TO PROVIDE THAT THE CHAIR AND THE APPROPRIATE DEPARTMENT, WHETHER ONE OR MORE, OF THE VILLAGE OF ALVO, NEBRASKA, ARE AUTHORIZED AND DIRECTED TO IMPLEMENT THIS ORDINANCE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE SEVERABILITY OF ANY SECTION, CLAUSE, PROVISION OR PORTION FOUND UNCONSTITUTIONAL OR INVALID; TO REPEAL ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HERewith; TO PROVIDE THAT THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE PUBLISHED ACCORDING TO LAW, AND SHALL BE IN FULL FORCE AND TAKE EFFECT FROM AND AFTER ITS PASSAGE AND APPROVAL, AS PROVIDED BY LAW AND AS PROVIDED HEREIN; AND TO PROVIDE THAT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE MADE A PART OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE VILLAGE OF ALVO, NEBRASKA.

WHEREAS, the Nebraska State Legislature has enacted the Nebraska Concealed Handgun Permit Act, Neb. Rev. Stat. §§69-6427 through 69-2447, which went into operation January 1, 2007; and

WHEREAS, this Act permits persons with valid Handgun Permits, issued in the State of Nebraska, to carry concealed weapons. However, the Act provides certain exceptions, which include among them those places or premises prohibited by law or rule or regulation; and

WHEREAS, in the interest of safety of children and others in the community and employees of the Village, the Board of Trustees desires to control the presence of concealed weapons on certain public places and premises under the control of the Board within the corporate limits of the Village of Alvo,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CHAIRMAN AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF ALVO, NEBRASKA:

Section 1. That Chapter 6 of the Municipal Code of the Village of Alvo be amended to add the following provisions and language:

**§6-307. CONCEALED HANDGUN PERMIT: PROHIBITED PLACES AND PREMISES.**

A. The Nebraska Concealed Handgun Permit Act (Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 69-2427 – 69-2447) provides that persons may carry concealed handguns pursuant to the provisions contained therein. The Municipality recognizes such rules, as they may be amended from time to time. However, the Municipality sets forth the following places and premises as locations prohibited from carrying a concealed handgun, even with a valid permit:

1. Village Hall, Offices and Fire Department including the grounds surrounding the same;
2. Village Park and Playground; and
3. Village water tower and well sites.

B. Any person in violation of this section shall be guilty of a Misdemeanor and subject to the penalties set forth in this chapter.

Section 2. That the Chair and the appropriate Department, whether one or more, of the Village of Alvo, Nebraska, are hereby authorized and directed to implement this Ordinance. That any signage required by the Act set forth above, shall be posted.

Section 3. That should any section, paragraph, sentence or word of this Ordinance hereby adopted be declared for any reason be invalid, it is the intent of the Chair and Board of Trustees of the Village of Alvo, Nebraska, that it would have passed all other portions of this Ordinance independent of the elimination herefrom of any such portion as may be declared invalid.

Section 4. That all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances passed and approved prior to the passage, approval and publication of this Ordinance and in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

Section 5. That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, adoption and publication as required by law.

Section 6. That the provisions of this Ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Municipal Code of the Village of Alvo, Nebraska.

Section 7. That the Municipal Clerk is hereby directed to secure the publication of this ordinance in the Alvo Municipal Code.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 6<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF AUG, 2007.

VILLAGE OF ALVO, NEBRASKA

Doris Baethner  
VILLAGE Chairman, Board of Trustees

ATTEST:

Angela Lauhart  
Village Clerk mme

