

ORDINANCE NO. 650 -O

AN ORDINANCE SPECIFYING PROHIBITED DISCHARGES TO THE CITY STORM SEWER SYSTEM AND AMENDING SECTION 12.06.020 OF THE TROUTDALE MUNICIPAL CODE.

WHEREAS, the current ordinance does not identify specific prohibited storm sewer discharges; and

WHEREAS, the proposed ordinance includes specific prohibited storm sewer discharges; and

WHEREAS, the proposed language was derived from Oregon State Law and the City of Portland's Industrial Stormwater Chapter; and

WHEREAS, the proposed language will serve to strengthen this section of the Troutdale Municipal Code in the event of future harmful discharges to the City's storm sewer system.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TROUTDALE

Troutdale Municipal Code Section 12.06.020, Paragraph C, is amended to read as follows:

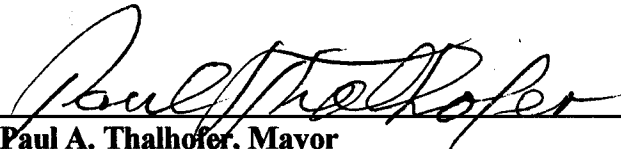
Prohibited Activities:

No person shall cause pollution of any waters of the City's storm sewer system or place or cause to be placed any wastes in a location where such wastes are likely to escape or be carried into the waters of the City's storm sewer system by any means. Wastes which are unlawful to discharge or cause to be discharged directly or indirectly into the City storm sewer system shall include, but not be limited to, the following:

1. Any discharge having a visible sheen such as, but not limited to, petroleum based products;
2. Any discharge having a pH of less than 6.0 Standard Units (S.U.) or greater than 9.0 S.U.;
3. Any discharge that contains toxic chemicals in toxic concentrations;
4. Any discharge that contains visible floating solids;
5. Any discharge which causes or may cause visible discoloration (including, but not limited to, dyes and inks) of the receiving waters;
6. Any discharge which causes or may cause damage to the City's storm sewer system;
7. Any discharge which causes interference in the City's storm sewer system;

8. Any discharge which causes or may cause a nuisance or a hazard to the City's storm sewer system, City personnel or the receiving waters;
9. Any discharge with a temperature greater than 150°F;
10. Any discharge (other than non-contact cooling water) from commercial or industrial operations such as, but not limited to, concrete waste, rug and carpet cleaning waste, or paint clean-up waste.

YEAS: 7
NAYS: 0
ABSTAINED: 0



Paul A. Thalhofer, Mayor
Dated: 1-16-97

George Martinez, City Recorder

Adopted: George Martinez 1-14-97

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