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**ORDINANCE NO. 1282**

An Ordinance regulating public offenses within the corporate limits of the City of Columbus, Kansas; incorporating by reference the "Uniform Public Offense Code for Kansas Cities," Edition of 2010; providing certain penalties and repealing Ordinance No. 1265

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF  
THE CITY OF COLUMBUS, KANSAS:

**SECTION 1. INCORPORATING UNIFORM PUBLIC OFFENSE CODE.** There is hereby incorporated by reference for the purpose of regulating public offenses within the Corporate limits of the City of Columbus, Kansas, that certain code known as the "Uniform Public Offense Code," Edition of 2010, prepared and published in book form by the League of Kansas Municipalities, Topeka, Kansas. No fewer than three copies of said Uniform Public Offense Code shall be marked or stamped "official copy as adopted by Ordinance No. 1282," and to which shall be attached a copy of this Ordinance, and filed with the City Clerk to be open to inspection available to the public at all reasonable hours. The Police Department, Municipal Judge and all administrative departments charged with enforcement of the order shall be supplied, at the cost of the City such number of official copies of the Uniform Public Offense Code similarly marked as may be deemed expedient.

**SECTION 2. PENALTY FOR SCHEDULED FINES.** The fine for violation of a Uniform Public Offense code infraction or any other public offense for which the Municipal Judge establishes a fine in a fine schedule shall not be less than \$50.00 nor more than \$2500.00. A person tried and convicted for violation of an ordinance traffic infraction or other traffic offense for which a fine has been established in a schedule of fines shall pay a fine fixed by the court not to exceed \$2500.00.

**SECTION 3. REPEAL.** Ordinance numbered 1265 is hereby repealed.

**SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Official City Newspaper.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 16<sup>th</sup> day of August 2010.

APPROVED:

Marie Nepple  
Marie Nepple, Mayor

ATTEST:

Juanice Blauvelt  
City Clerk

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