

**CITY OF KETCHUM
ORDINANCE 1262**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF KETCHUM, BLAINE COUNTY, IDAHO, AMENDING CHAPTER 10.12 OF TITLE 10 UPDATING CERTAIN REGULATIONS ON THE USAGE OF E-BIKES AND ELECTRIC MOTORED VEHICLES; ADDING REGULATIONS AGAINST RECKLESS OPERATION; PROVIDING FOR VIOLATIONS AS MISDEMEANORS OR INFRACTIONS; PROVIDING PENALTIES, AND ENFORCEMENT; PROVIDING A REPEALER CLAUSE; PROVIDING A SAVINGS AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Recitals:

- A. The City is authorized to exercise its powers to “maintain the peace, good environment and welfare.” Idaho Code §§50-301 and 50-302(a).
- B. The City is authorized to “implement such reasonable regulations as it deems necessary to safeguard the public health, safety and general welfare in order to protect the integrity of residential neighborhoods in which short-term rentals or vacation rentals operate.” Idaho Code §67-6539.
- C. The significant growth in usage of e-bikes and alternative electric motored vehicles has created the need for updates and revisions to City regulations on such to protect public health, safety, and welfare.
- D. The City desires to update its regulations on such to accompany a renewed educational and public relations effort to educate the public on safe usage of public pathways and electric motored vehicles.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Ketchum, Blaine County, Idaho:

SECTION 1: That a Chapter 10.12 of Title 10 of the Ketchum City Code is amended to read as identified on the attached Exhibit A:

SECTION 2: REPEALER. All previous ordinances, resolutions, orders, or parts thereof, that are in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

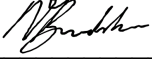
SECTION 3: SAVINGS AND SEVERABILITY. It is hereby declared to be the legislative intent that the provisions and parts of this ordinance shall be severable. If any paragraph, part, section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance.

SECTION 4: EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its passage, approval and publication, according to law.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL of Ketchum, Idaho this 16th day of June 2025.

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR of Ketchum, Idaho this 16th day of June 2025.

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Neil Bradshaw, Mayor

Signed by:

ATTEST:

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Trent Donat, City Clerk

