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ORDINANCE NO. 574

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS, AMENDING CHAPTER 29 OF THE ABILENE CITY CODE BY REPEALING THE EXISTING SUB-SECTION (a) OF SECTION 29-23 THEREOF AND ENACTING A NEW SUB-SECTION (a) OF SECTION 29-23 PROVIDING THAT THE RATE OF FARE OF TAXICAB PASSENGERS SHALL BE FIFTY CENTS (50¢) FOR THE FIRST ONE-HALF (1/2) MILE OR FRACTION THEREOF AND TEN CENTS (10¢) FOR EACH ADDITIONAL ONE-FIFTH (1/5) MILE OR FRACTION THEREOF AND THAT THE CHARGE FOR EACH ADDITIONAL TAXICAB PASSENGER SHALL BE TWENTY CENTS (20¢); CALLING A PUBLIC HEARING AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ORDINANCE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

SECTION 1: Chapter 29 of the Abilene City Code is hereby amended by repealing the existing Sub-Section (a) of Section 29-23 thereof and enacting in lieu of said Sub-Section (a) the following:

- (a) The rate of fare for one person shall be fifty cents (50¢) for the first one-half (1/2) mile or fraction thereof traveled by the passenger and ten cents (10¢) for each additional one-fifth (1/5) mile or fraction thereof traveled by him. For each additional passenger transported on the same trip, the charge shall be twenty cents (20¢) regardless of the distance traveled.

SECTION 2: Upon passage of this Ordinance on the first reading, the City Secretary shall be, and she is hereby authorized and directed to have published in the Abilene Reporter News, a daily newspaper of general circulation of the City of Abilene, a notice that a public hearing will be held in the Council Room of the City Hall in Abilene, Taylor County, Texas, at 9:00 A. M. on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1972, to permit the public to be heard prior to consideration of this Ordinance for second and final reading, said publication to be at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to the time of such public hearing.

SECTION 3: This Ordinance shall become effective the 10th day of March, A. D. 1972, if passed on first and final reading.

PASSED ON FIRST READING this 10th day of February, A. D. 1972.  
PASSED ON SECOND AND FINAL READING this 9th day of March

A. D. 1972.

