

City of Scottsbluff, Nebraska

Monday, December 19, 2022

Regular Meeting

Item Resolut.3

Council to consider action on the first reading of the Ordinance revising residency requirements for the Police Department.

Staff Contact: Kevin Spencer, Police Chief

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SCOTTSBLUFF, NEBRASKA AMENDING CHAPTER 16, ARTICLE 1, SECTION 1 OF THE SCOTTSBLUFF MUNICIPAL CODE IN DEALING WITH THE POLICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES, REVISING THE RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT, PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION IN PAMPHLET FORM.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SCOTTSBLUFF, NEBRASKA:

Section 1. §16-1-1 of the Scottsbluff Municipal Code is amended as follows:

"16-1-1. EMPLOYEES; RESIDENCE.

All employees, except the Police Chief, of the Police Department shall reside not to exceed 30 miles from the city limits but, regardless, not to exceed 45 minutes' response time to the Public Safety Building from the time of notification by the Police Department as determined by the Police Chief." (Ord. 378 passed – 1994); (Ord. ____ passed 2023)

Section 2. All other ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed. Provided, however, this Ordinance shall not be construed to effect any rights or duties existing at the time this Ordinance becomes effective and shall not effect the current residency of any employees of the Police Department but shall be interpreted according to regulations as adopted by the Police Chief and the Police Department of the City of Scottsbluff.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall become effective upon its passage and approval and publication shall be in pamphlet form.

PASSED AND APPROVED on _____, 2023.

Attest: Mayor _____

City Clerk (Seal)

Approved as to form:

City Attorney