

SUBJECT MATTER: AN ORDINANCE AMENDING PEDESTRIANS' RIGHTS IN RIGHT-OF-WAY CROSSWALKS AND THE DUTIES OF TRAFFIC AT FLASHING SIGNALS, AND TO ESTABLISH THE EFFECTIVE DATE THEREOF.

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the governing board of the City of Versailles to amend the ordinances providing for the pedestrians' rights in the right-of-way crosswalks and the duties of traffic at flashing signals and to establish the effective date thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF VERSAILLES, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: Section 345.020(A) shall be amended to read as follows:

- A. When traffic control signals are not in place or not in operation, the driver of a vehicle shall yield the right-of-way, stopping to a pedestrian within, approaching or waiting within three feet of a crosswalk when the pedestrian is upon the half of the roadway upon which the vehicle is traveling or when the pedestrian is within the opposite half of the roadway and approaching the roadway upon which the vehicle is traveling.

SECTION 2: Section 315.080 (2) shall be amended to read as follows and Section 315.080 (3) shall be added to read as follows:

2. *Flashing yellow (caution signal at a three light (green, yellow, and red) traffic-controlled intersection).* When a yellow lens is illuminated with rapid intermittent flashes, drivers of vehicles may proceed through the intersection or past such signal only with caution.

3. *Flashing yellow (at pedestrian crosswalk).* The driver of a vehicle shall stop no less than three feet from the pedestrian crosswalk while flashing yellow light is illuminated with rapid intermittent flashes and remain stopped until yellow light is no longer illuminated with rapid intermittent flashes.

SECTION 3: This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

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Dated this 14 day of May, 2024

Jamie Morrow
Mayor Jamie Morrow

ATTEST: [Signature]
City Clerk

