ORDINANCE NO 521

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO burning within the city limits; to repeal conflicting ordinances and sections; and to provide an effective date.

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

Section 1. Section 92.01 of the Municipal Code of Chappell, Nebraska, is amended to read as follows:

92.01 OPEN BURNING BAN.

It shall be unlawful to conduct any burning of waste materials, wood, paper, cardboard, rakings, leaves, grass, weeds, litter, sweepings, either on private property within the city limits of the City of Chappell except as provided in this Section.

Provisions of this Section shall not apply to fires contained in portable or permanent grills or fire pits which shall be equipped with a metal screen or lid covering or fires conducted for the purpose of Fire Department training, or fires totally contained in incinerators or incinerators that are an integral part of a building and installed to meet all applicable national and local codes and standards.

It shall be unlawful to keep, store, or maintain in any building or on any premises, any waste, refuse, debris, rubbish, garbage, or other loose combustible material, except recognized fuels, in such manner as will enhance the danger of fire on said premises when located with the city limits of Chappell.

Section 2. Any other ordinance or section passed and approved prior to passage, approval, and publication or posting of this ordinance and in conflict with its provisions is repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force, following its passage, approval, and publication or posting as required by law.

Passed and approved this 3rd day of December, 2012.

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Terry Akeson, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Ashlea Jepsen
City Administrator/Clerk