

ORDINANCE NO. 188

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 5 and 9 OF ORDINANCE NO. 185, ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE CONSTRUCTION AND USE OF BUILDINGS TO BE USED AS AUTOMOBILE SUPPLY STATIONS: REGULATING AND PROVIDING FOR THE STORAGE AND USE OF GASOLINE AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF", APPROVED May 18<sup>th</sup>, 1925.

The Board of Trustees of the Town of San Anselmo do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Section 5 of Ordinance No. 185, entitled "AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE CONSTRUCTION AND USE OF BUILDINGS TO BE USED AS AUTOMOBILE SUPPLY STATIONS: REGULATING AND PROVIDING FOR THE STORAGE AND USE OF GASOLINE AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF", approved May 18<sup>th</sup>, 1925, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 5. Except as hereinafter provided in this Ordinance, all gasoline or petroleum products shall be stored in underground tanks, not to exceed the following capacity and amounts: No gasoline or any other petroleum product or hydro-carbon liquid that will flash or emit an inflammable vapor below the temperature of one hundred and ten (110) degrees Fahrenheit shall be allowed inside the building of any automobile supply station; provided, however, that gasoline may be kept above ground inside or outside of the building of any automobile supply station in visible gasoline filling tanks of not to exceed 10 gallons capacity, or in approved portable filling wheel tanks. No one approved portable filling wheel tank shall have a capacity of more than fifty (50) gallons. Not more than two (2) approved filling wheel tanks shall be allowed for any

one automobile supply station. All said approved portable filling wheel tanks shall be mounted on all metal wheels with rubber tires, each to be equipped with an approved pump, fitted with hose attachment not to exceed eight (8) feet in length, fitted with a ground shut-off nozzle. All portable filling wheel tanks when not in use shall be kept near the entrance of the automobile supply station so that in case of fire they can be readily removed from the building. Not more than three thousand (3000) gallons of gasoline shall be stored in any underground tank or tanks, nor shall there be more than six underground tanks, on or in connection with any one automobile supply station."

Section 2. Section 9 of said Ordinance No. 185 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 9. The owner, lessee, manager or superintendent of an automobile supply station, and the person, firm or corporation to whom any permit shall be issued, as herein provided, shall be responsible for any violations of the following regulations:

A. No automobile shall be allowed to be stored or remain upon the premises of an automobile supply station, except while filling.

B. No automobile shall be allowed to be repaired or cleaned upon the premises of an automobile supply station.

C. No gasoline shall be allowed to remain above ground, except as is provided for in Section 5 of this Ordinance.

D. Smoking shall not be allowed inside of an automobile supply station, or near an automobile which is being filled with gasoline. A notice "NO SMOKING" in letters of not less than three (3) inches shall be displayed in a conspicuous place and manner.

E. All waste, rags and rubbish of any kind shall be kept at all times in metal receptacles, fitted with a tight cover and shall be removed every day.

F. No gasoline shall be put in or taken out of the reservoir of an automobile where there is an open light. All lamps on automobiles must be extinguished before filling automobile reservoirs with gasoline.

G. No open light shall be allowed in any automobile supply station. Electricity only shall be used for illuminating purposes in any automobile supply station.

H. No stove, forge, torch or other furnace, flame or fire shall be allowed in, upon or about an automobile supply station.

I. The floor and premises of an automobile supply station must be kept clean and free from oil or rubbish.

J. All machinery of an automobile must be shut off and the automobile dead, while gasoline is being poured into the reservoir or container of the automobile."

Section 3. This Ordinance shall be published once in the San Anselmo Herald, a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in said Town.

AND WHEREAS there are now in said Town several automobile supply stations and other automobile supply stations are about to be installed or erected therein, and the use and storage of gasoline and petroleum products in said automobile supply stations is and will be of great danger to the said Town, and should be for the protection of said Town controlled and regulated, it is hereby declared by the Board of Trustees of said Town that said facts constitute an urgency and said Ordinance is hereby passed for the immediate preservation of the peace, health and safety of the inhabitants thereof and shall go into effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

I hereby approve the foregoing Ordinance  
this 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1925.

*John P. Carl*  
Acting President of the Board of Trustees  
of the Town of San Anselmo.

(SEAL)

ATTEST:


*L. Brown*  
Clerk of the Town of San Anselmo.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance No. 188 was introduced at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of said Town of San Anselmo held on Monday, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November, 1925, and that at a regular meeting of said Board of Trustees held on Monday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1925, it was passed and adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Trustees Peyton, Carl, Pinkham & Neysler  
Noes:  
Absent: Trustee Clark

I further certify that after said Ordinance was duly passed and adopted by said Board of Trustees the same was approved and signed on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1925, by <sup>William Carl acting</sup> ~~Joseph T. Clark~~, the President of said Board of Trustees in the said Town of San Anselmo.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the said Town of San Anselmo, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1925.

  
Clerk of the Town of San Anselmo.

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