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ORDINANCE NO. 359

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING SECTION 16, ARTICLE IV OF ORDINANCE NO. 207, AND AMENDING SAID ORDINANCE BY ENACTING A NEW SECTION 16, ARTICLE IV AUTHORIZING THE CHIEF OF POLICE TO DESIGNATE NO LEFT-TURN AREAS, AND TO POST THE NECESSARY PROHIBITORY SIGNS

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SAN ANSELMO DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: Section 16 of Article IV of Ordinance No. 207 is hereby repealed.

Section 2: A new Section 16 of Article IV of Ordinance No. 207 is hereby added as follows:

Section 16: Left turns prohibited. The Chief of Police of the Town of San Anselmo is hereby authorized, in his discretion, to prohibit the operator of a vehicle from making left turns at any intersection regardless of the day of the week or the time of the day whenever in the judgment of the Chief of Police should left turns be prohibited for the best interest, health, safety, and welfare of the people of the Town of San Anselmo; Chief of Police after determining that such left turns should be prohibited shall erect and maintain appropriate signs prohibiting the left turn at the particular intersection; after a sign prohibiting a left turn has been erected it shall be unlawful for any operator of a vehicle to make a left turn in violation thereof.

Section 3: This Ordinance shall be deemed an emergency measure and one involving the public health, safety, and welfare, the reason for the emergency being the fact that due to the heavily increased traffic upon many of the streets of San Anselmo it becomes imperative that left turns at some intersections be prohibited, and that the Chief of Police should be invested with the authority to determine the time or times when such left turns should be prohibited, it being impractical to govern such left turns by specific Ordinance; that traffic is increasing in the Town of San Anselmo and that immediate regulation and control of left turns by vehicles is necessary to safeguard the life and limb of persons using the streets.

Section 4: This Ordinance shall be published at least once within fifteen (15) days after its final passage and approval in the SAN ANSELMO TIMES, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published in the Town of San Anselmo, which said newspaper is hereby designated for that purpose.

Section 5: This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Fraser H. Cudworth, as
MAYOR OF THE TOWN OF SAN ANSELMO

ATTEST:

Anita Gannon
CLERK OF THE TOWN OF SAN ANSELMO

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was duly and regularly passed as an emergency measure by the City Council of the Town of San Anselmo at a regular meeting thereof held on the 12th day of January, 1954.

AYES: Hannigan, Smith, Skinner, Anita Gannon
Wadlewski, Cudworth
CLERK OF THE TOWN OF SAN ANSELMO
NOES: none
ABSENT: none