Ordinance #0.16.12

An Ordinance AMENDING CHAPTER 97.14, "CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR OF SIDEWALKS AND DRIVEWAYS", OF THE GALENA CODE OF ORDINANCES.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Galena this 8th Day of August 2016.

Published in pamphlet form by authority of the City Council of the City of Galena, Jo Daviess County, Illinois, this 8th Day of August 2016.

STATE OF ILLINOIS )
     ) City of Galena
COUNTY OF JO DAVIESS )

CERTIFICATE

I, Mary Beth Hyde, certify that I am the duly elected municipal clerk of the City of Galena, Jo Daviess County, Illinois.

I further certify that on the 8th Day of August 2016, the Corporate Authorities of said municipality passed and approved Ordinance No. O.16.12 entitled AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 97.14, "CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR OF SIDEWALKS AND DRIVEWAYS", OF THE GALENA CODE OF ORDINANCES, which provided by its terms that it should be published in pamphlet form.

The pamphlet form of Ordinance No. O.16.12 including the Ordinance and a cover sheet thereof, was prepared, and a copy of such Ordinance was posted in the municipal building, commencing the 9th Day of August 2016 and commencing for at least ten (10) days thereafter.

Dated at Galena, Illinois, this 9th Day of August 2016.

Mary Beth Hyde
City Clerk

(Seal)
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WHEREAS, Chapter 97.14 of the Galena Code of Ordinances sets forth standards for sidewalk construction in certain areas of the Galena National Register Historic District; and

WHEREAS, subsection (D) of Chapter 97.14 requires sidewalks in certain areas of the National Register Historic District, including those in downtown Galena, be constructed with an exposed aggregate finish; and

WHEREAS, exposed aggregate can be more prone to damage from freezing, thawing, and deicers than broomed finished concrete; and

WHEREAS, in recent years the City of Galena has experienced premature degradation of sidewalks in the downtown constructed with an exposed aggregate finish; and

WHEREAS, the use of deicers to clear snow and ice from the streets and sidewalks in the downtown is necessary for the public safety, but is also believed to be a factor in the degradation of the sidewalks; and

WHEREAS, the City seeks to modify the specifications for concrete sidewalks in the downtown to achieve the improved durability, a safe surface for pedestrians, and aesthetic appeal appropriate to the historic district.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Galena, Jo Daviess County, Illinois, as follows:

SECTION I: Chapter 97.14 (D) of the Galena Code of Ordinances shall be amended as follows:

(D) Notwithstanding any other provisions contained herein, sidewalks constructed within the following areas of the city shall be constructed with a concrete which has an exposed aggregate finish, the specifications for which shall be included in the general specifications for the construction of sidewalks on file at City Hall, Galena, Illinois:

- Main Street (from Meeker Street to Floodgate)
- Commerce Street (from Franklin Street to Warren Street)
- Green Street (from Bench Street to Commerce Street)
--- Washington Street (from Bench Street to Commerce Street)
--- Hill Street (from Bench Street to Commerce Street)
--- Perry Street (from Bench Street to Commerce Street)
--- Franklin Street (from Bench Street to Commerce Street)
--- Diagonal Street (from Bench Street to Main Street)
--- Park Avenue (from Benton Street to Adams Street)
--- Bouthillier Street (from railroad tracks to Fourth Street)
--- Prospect Street (from Elk Street to Gear Street)
--- Warren Street (from Commerce Street to Bench Street)
--- Bench Street (from Meeker Street to Gear Street)

**SECTION II:** Chapter 97.14 (E) of the Galena Code of Ordinances shall be renumbered to Chapter 97.14 (F) and the following shall be inserted as Chapter 97.14 (E):

Notwithstanding any other provisions contained herein, sidewalks constructed within the following areas of the city shall be constructed with a concrete which has a broomed and colored finish, the specifications for which shall be included in the general specifications for the construction of sidewalks on file at City Hall, Galena, Illinois:

Main Street (from Meeker Street to Floodgate)
Commerce Street (from Franklin Street to Warren Street)
Green Street (from Bench Street to Commerce Street)
Washington Street (from Bench Street to Commerce Street)
Hill Street (from Bench Street to Commerce Street)
Perry Street (from Bench Street to Commerce Street)
Franklin Street (from Bench Street to Commerce Street)
Diagonal Street (from Bench Street to Main Street)
Warren Street (from Commerce Street to Bench Street)

**SECTION 3:** All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 4** Passed on this 8th day of August, 2016, in open session of the Galena City Council.

**AYES:** Hahn, Kieffer, Lincoln, Westemeier, Bernstein, Fach, Renner

**NAYS:** None
TERRY RENNER, MAYOR

ATTEST:

MARY BETH HYDE, CITY CLERK