

ORDINANCE NO. 1443

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND AND RE-ENACT SECTIONS 15-26, 15-26.1 AND 15-26.3  
OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF JAMESTOWN, NORTH DAKOTA,  
PERTAINING TO FIRE CODE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JAMESTOWN, NORTH DAKOTA, that Section 15-26, 15-26.1 and 15-26.3 of the Code of the City of Jamestown, North Dakota, is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

**SECTION 15-26. Establishment of limits—Of districts in which storage of flammable and combustible liquids in outside aboveground storage tanks and flammable or combustible liquids in underground tanks is to be prohibited.**

- (a) The limits referred to in Section 3404.2.9.6.1 and 3406.2.4.4 of the International Fire Code, as adopted by section 15-22, in which the storage of flammable or combustible liquids in outside aboveground storage tanks is prohibited, are established as follows:

The storage of flammable and combustible liquids in outside aboveground storage tanks within the corporate city limits and the unincorporated territory located within one (1) mile of the city limits in any direction is hereby prohibited except in those areas zoned M-1 or M-2. But in no way shall be less than six hundred (600) feet from any residential area, school, hospital, or institutional type occupancy, nor more than eight hundred (800) feet from an adequate water supply for firefighting.

- (b) The bulk storage of flammable or combustible liquids in underground storage tanks referred to in Section 3404.2.11 of the International Fire Code as adopted by section 15-22, is hereby prohibited except as follows:

The bulk storage of flammable and combustible liquids in underground storage tanks within the corporate city limits and the unincorporated territory located within one (1) mile of the city limits in any direction is hereby prohibited except in those areas zoned M-1 or M-2. But in no way shall be less than six hundred (600) feet from any residential area, school, hospital, or institutional type occupancy, nor more than eight hundred (800) feet from an adequate water supply for firefighting.

- (c) Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit approved underground flammable or combustible liquids storage tanks for use at vehicle service stations or for building service equipment.

**SECTION 15-26.1. Establishment of limits-Of districts in which the storage of explosives and blasting agents is to be prohibited.**

The storage of explosives and blasting agents shall be prohibited within the corporate city limits and the unincorporated territory located within one (1) mile of the city limits in any direction except in those areas zoned M-2. But in no way shall be less than six hundred (600) feet from inhabited buildings, flammable or combustible liquids bulk storage areas, liquefied petroleum gas bulk plants, and occupancies classed as hazardous locations, nor more than eight hundred (800) feet from an adequate water supply for firefighting. Such storage, if allowed, shall comply with Chapter 33 of the International Fire Code as adopted by Section 15-22.

**SECTION 15-26.3. Establishment of limits-In which bulk storage of liquefied petroleum gases and compressed natural gas is to be prohibited.**

The bulk storage of liquefied petroleum gases and compressed natural gas within the corporate city limits and the unincorporated territory located within one (1) mile of the city limits in any direction, is hereby prohibited except in those areas zoned M-2. But in no way shall be less than six hundred (600) feet from any residential area, school, hospital, or institutional type occupancy, nor more than eight hundred (800) feet from an adequate water supply for firefighting.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Jeff Fuchs, City Administrator

Katie Andersen, Mayor

Introduced by Council Member Kourajian

Seconded by Council Member Gumke

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Second Reading: July 7, 2014

Final Passage: July 7, 2014

Roll Call No. 8 showed: 5 ayes, 0 nays, 0 absent.