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10.16.010 Following or parking near fire apparatus prohibited.

It is unlawful for any driver of any vehicle other than one on official business to follow any fire apparatus traveling in response to a fire alarm closer than five hundred feet, or drive or park such vehicle within the block where fire apparatus has stopped in answer to a fire alarm. (Prior code §10-2-7(A)).

10.16.020 Driving over fire hose prohibited when.

It is unlawful for any person to drive or permit any vehicle to be driven over any unprotected hose of the fire department when laid down on any street or private driveway to be used at any fire alarm of fire without consent of the fire department official in command. (Prior code §10-2-7(n)),

10.16.030 Driving or parking on sidewalk prohibited when.

It is unlawful for the driver of a vehicle to drive within any sidewalk area except at a permanent or temporary driveway. No vehicle shall be parked within any sidewalk area. (Prior code §10-2-7(G)).

10.16.040 Backing vehicle prohibited when.

It is unlawful for any driver of a vehicle to back the same unless such movement can be made with reasonable safety and without interfering with other traffic. (Prior code §10-2-7(H)).

10.16.050 Motorcycle operation restrictions.

A person operating a motorcycle shall ride only upon a permanent and regular seat attached thereto, and such operator shall not carry any other person nor shall any other person ride on a motorcycle unless such motorcycle is designed to carry more than one person. (Prior code §10-2-7(I)).

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10.16.060 Clinging to vehicles prohibited.

It is unlawful for any person riding upon a bicycle, coaster, roller skates, sled or toy vehicle to attach the same or himself to any vehicle upon a roadway. (Prior code §10-2-7(J)).

10.16.070 Boarding or alighting from moving vehicle prohibited.

It is unlawful for any person to board or alight from any vehicle while such vehicle is in notion. (Prior code §10-2-8(A))

10.16.080 Riding on certain portions of vehicles prohibited when.

It is unlawful for any person to ride any vehicle upon any portion thereof not designated or intended for the use of passengers. This provision shall not apply to an employee engaged in the necessary discharge of a duty or to persons riding within truck bodies in space intended for merchandise. (Prior code §10-2-8(B)).

10.16.090 Noisy vehicles and vehicles without mufflers prohibited.

It is unlawful for any person to operate a motor vehicle which shall not at all times be equipped with a muffler upon the exhaust thereof in good working order and in constant operation to prevent excessive or unusual noise and it is unlawful for any person operating any motor vehicle to use a cut-out, by-pass or similar muffler elimination appliance. (Prior code §6-1-33).

10.16.100 Displaying or selling merchandise on certain highways prohibited.

The use of any part of a U.S. highway within the boundaries of the limits of the city for the purpose of displaying, selling or dispensing any merchandise or goods is hereby prohibited. (Ord. 1-1962 §2, 1962).

10.16.110 Railroad trains not to block streets.

It is unlawful for the directing officer or the operator of any railroad train to direct the operation of or to operate the same in such manner as to prevent the use of any street for purposes of travel for a period of time longer than ten minutes except that this provision shall not apply to trains or cars in motion other than those engaged in switching. (Ord. 10-2-8(C) (1))

10.16.120 Parking on airport runway prohibited.

Any person, or persons, who shall operate or park a motor vehicle on the runway of the Arco City Airport, shall be deemed a trespasser thereon and shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. (Ord. C-303 §1, 1965).

10.16.130 Obstructing runway and endangering aircraft prohibited.

Any person, or persons, who shall place, or cause to be placed, any obstruction upon the runway of the Arco City Airport, or who shall in any way obstruct, interfere with, or endanger the landing and takeout of aircraft on and from the Arco City Airport shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. (Ord. C-303 §2, 1965).

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10.16.140 Maximum speed limit in residence district.

Where no special hazard exists that requires lower speed for the safety of life and property, the
maximum lawful speed in residence districts is fifteen miles per hour and no person, except as provided by
this code, shall drive a vehicle at a speed in excess of fifteen miles per hour in a residence district. (Ord.
1979-1 ~1, 1979: Ord. 10.16.140, 1995)

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(1)For statutory provisions regulating mufflers, see Idaho Code 49-835. For provisions allowing a city to regulate railroad crossings within their limits, see Idaho Code 50-306.