

ORDINANCE NO. 16,528

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Municipal Code of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, 2000, adopted by Ordinance No. 13,827, passed June 5, 2000, as heretofore amended, by amending Section 30-162, relating to the elimination of a maximum fee chargeable for painting a house number on a curb.

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Des Moines, Iowa:

Section 1. That the Municipal Code of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, 2000, adopted by Ordinance No. 13,827, passed June 5, 2000, as heretofore amended, by amending Section 30-162, relating to the elimination of a maximum fee chargeable for painting a house number on a curb, as follows:

**Sec. 30-162. Conditions of license.**

The license issued pursuant to this article shall have the following conditions:

- (1) A painter must enter into a verbal agreement with the owner or a representative of the owner of the driveway, which abuts the curb to be painted, before painting is commenced.
- (2) The painter must exhibit a current license to such owner or the owner's representative before negotiating such verbal agreement.
- (3) Employees of the painter must be licensed pursuant to this article.
- (4) Employees of the painter must work under the direct supervision of the painter when painting house numbers on curbs.
- (5) Advertising used, if any, by the painter to promote the curb painting service shall not directly or indirectly state that the City of Des Moines recommends, promotes, requires or sponsors any curb painting. A reference that the painter has a curb painting license is allowed.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication as provided by law.

FORM APPROVED: Chas M. Cahill, Assistant City Attorney

Connie Boesen, Mayor

Attest: I, Laura Baumgartner, City Clerk of the City of Des Moines, Iowa, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true copy of an Ordinance (Roll Call No. 25-1723), passed by the City Council of said City at the meeting held on December 22, 2025 and signed by the Mayor on December 22, 2025 and published and provided by law in the Business Record on January 16, 2026. Authorized by Publication Order No. 13211.

Laura Baumgartner, City Clerk