

113. Section 3. Any corporation, person or persons who shall violate the provisions of section one of this ordinance, or who shall be found to be the author of a nuisance, or suffer the same to exist or continue, as specified in section two of this ordinance, shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined in any sum not less than twenty-five dollars, nor more than three hundred dollars, and each day's continuance of any such obstruction shall be deemed a separate offense.

#### CHAPTER VI.

#### Relating to the Use, Handling, Storage and Sale of Inflammable Articles.

#### ORDINANCE NO. 60

(Passed February 6, 1920.)

114. Section 1. This ordinance shall apply to all new plants, stores, equipments and installations and, except as otherwise specified, to existing plants, stores, equipment, installations, and other conditions which constitute a distinct hazard to adjoining property, in so far as the intent of the section can be reasonably fulfilled. All persons and businesses not specifically named in this ordinance, storing, handling or using inflammable liquids shall be governed by this ordinance where it is applicable to that storing, handling or using.

115. Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation either as principal or agent to keep or have in excess of five (5) gallons of gasoline, naphtha or other inflammable liquids on any premises within the corporate limits of the City of Golden without first obtaining a permit from the fire warden, except as hereinafter provided. The fee for permit to install any tank, pump, or apparatus for the storage or handling of gasoline or other inflammable liquids shall be five (5) dollars for each permit.

116. Section 3. All applications for permits to sell, or store, inflammable liquids must be made in writing to the fire warden on special printed forms and accompanied with required fee as provided in Section 2. The fire warden shall forthwith make an inspection of the premises proposed to be used for such sale or storage, and the means of distribution, and if the conditions, surroundings and arrangements are such that the intent of this ordinance can be observed, then he shall issue a permit for the installation of the system or equipment, subject to his final inspection.

117. Section 4. Before any installation is covered from sight, a notification in writing shall be given the fire warden, who shall within 48 hours after the receipt of such notification inspect the installation and give his written approval or disapproval. Upon failure of the fire warden to inspect within the specified time, the installation may be covered, but shall be subject to inspection by the fire warden at the expense of the city.

118. Section 5. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation either as principal or agent to have or keep more than five gallons of gasoline, naphtha or other inflammable liquids on his premises at any one time unless the same is contained in an approved underground storage tank constructed, installed and maintained in accordance with the following rules and requirements. All such tanks and pumps used in connection therewith shall be constructed under the supervision of some authorized concern, and each tank and pump shall bear the label of approval of such concern showing that the device has been tested and approved.

119. Section 6. The drawing of gasoline or other inflammable liquids from tank cars shall not be permitted at any location where such tank cars

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are within fifty (50) feet of any building or where in the judgment of the fire warden such operations would be unsafe to life or property. The piping, pumps or other equipment used for emptying of such tank cars must be of sufficient size and so arranged to permit the emptying or withdrawing of the gasoline or other inflammable liquids within a period of twelve hours. The person or firm to whom such tank cars are consigned will be required to complete the emptying of same within a period of twenty-four (24) hours from the time the tank car is placed in position for unloading.

120. Section 7. This ordinance shall not be construed as applying to gasoline contained in the reservoir of motor vehicles and not to exceed one (1) gallon in approved measuring pumps used for filling purposes or to portable wheeled tanks for use in garages when not exceeding sixty gallon capacity, and when constructed and used in accordance with requirements of Section 16 of this ordinance.

121. Section 8. By special permission granted by the City Council and fire warden, above ground storage tanks may be permitted in sparsely built up sections of the city, if located entirely outside of the mercantile or other congested districts and at least 300 feet to line of adjoining property which may be built upon.

122. Section 9. This ordinance shall not be construed as applying to gasoline, naphtha, or other inflammable liquids while contained in washers used in connection with dry cleaning establishments; provided the building used for dry cleaning purposes and all the equipment thereof shall be constructed, maintained and kept in such safe condition as required by the intent of this ordinance in regard to the handling and use of inflammable liquids; and provided further, that permit therefor must first be obtained from the fire warden and a fee of \$2.00 paid for same.

123. Section 10. Tanks must be constructed of galvanized steel, basic open steel or wrought iron of a minimum gauge depending upon the capacity as indicated by the following table:

| Capacity (Gallons)  | Min. Thickness of Metal |
|---------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 to 500 .....      | 14 gauge                |
| 501 to 1100 .....   | 12 gauge                |
| 1101 to 4000 .....  | 7 gauge                 |
| 4001 to 10500 ..... | ¼ inch                  |

Tanks constructed of No. 12 and 14 gauge metal must be well galvanized; tanks constructed of No. 7 gauge or heavier metal must be galvanized or thoroughly coated on the outside with tar, asphaltum or other suitable rust resisting material.

124. Section 11. Tanks shall have top of tank at least three feet below the surface of the ground, and below the level of the lowest pipe in the building to be supplied. Tanks may be permitted underneath a building if buried at least three feet below the lowest floor. Tanks shall be set on a firm foundation and surrounded with soft earth or sand, well tamped into place, or encased in concrete. Tank may have a test well, provided test well extends to near bottom of tank, and top end shall be hermetically sealed and locked except when necessarily open. When tank is located underneath a building the test well shall extend at least twelve feet above source of supply. The maximum limit of storage permit shall be 10,500 gallons, and shall depend upon the location of tanks with respect to the buildings to be supplied and adjacent buildings and property as follows:

(a) 10,500 gallons total capacity if over 30 feet from any property line and if lower than any floor, basement, cellar or pit in any building within a thirty foot radius,

(b) 4,000 gallons total capacity if over 20 feet from any property line and if lower than any floor, basement, cellar or pit in any building within a twenty foot radius,

(c) 1,000 gallons total capacity if over 10 feet from any property line, and if lower than any floor, basement, cellar or pit in any building within a ten foot radius,

(d) 560 gallons if within 10 feet of any property line, and if not lower than every floor, basement, cellar or pit in any building within ten feet, in which case it must be entirely encased in six inches of concrete.

The above provisions and requirements shall be construed as prohibiting the installation of any storage tanks in the public streets, avenues or alleys of the City of Golden, except by special permission of the City Council.

125. Section 12. All underground storage systems which may contain inflammable gases shall have at least a 1 inch vent pipe, run from top of tank to a point outside of the building and acceptable to the fire warden, but which shall end at least 12 feet above level of source of apply and in a location remote from fire escapes and never nearer than three feet, measured horizontally and vertically, from any window or other opening; the tank vent pipe shall terminate in a goose-neck protected in the outer end by a 30x30 mesh or equivalent brass wire screen. The vent pipes from two, or more tanks may be connected to one upright, provided they be connected at a point at least one foot above level of source of supply.

126. Section 13. The end of filling pipe for all underground storage tanks shall be carried to an approved location outside of any building, but not within five (5) feet of any entrance door, or cellar opening, and shall be set in an approved metal box with cover which shall be kept locked except during filling operations; this filling pipe shall be closed by a screw cap. A 30x30 mesh or equivalent brass screen strainer shall be placed in the supply end of filling pipe. The piping of gasoline or other inflammable liquids in streets or alleys of the City of Golden for any distance exceeding fifty (50) feet shall not be permitted excepting in outlying districts where such piping can be properly buried below frost line, kept clear of other piping and sewers and where in the judgment of the fire warden such piping can be properly maintained and would in no way create a hazard to life and property.

127. Section 14. In all rooms or parts of buildings which contain inflammable liquids in open containers or in which the vapors from inflammable liquids are present, or in which inflammable liquids are used in manufacturing, or dry cleaning purposes, the carrying of matches is prohibited, and smoking shall be a misdemeanor. Suitable signs lettered **SMOKING PROHIBITED BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL** or fire warden shall be displayed in plain open view.

128. Section 15. It is hereby expressly prohibited to open or fill any gasoline tank of an automobile or motorcycle while the engine or motor is running. No inflammable liquids shall be drawn or handled in the presence of open flame or fire, but may be drawn and handled when lighting is by incandescent electric lamps installed in compliance with the rules and regulations of the "National Electrical Code"; said rules and regulations are hereby made a part of the requirements of this ordinance as affecting all electrical equipment.

129. Section 16. No portable wheeled tank for the handling of inflammable liquids inside buildings shall exceed sixty gallons capacity. Tank must be of iron or steel, 3-16 inch thick, with all openings at the top and screened with 30x30 mesh, or equivalent, brass wire screen. Wheels must be rubber tired and tanks so hung as not to be tipped over in ordinary usage. Liquids must be drawn from tank by means of a tight fitting pump, and the device must bear the Underwriters' Laboratories, or other proper, label of approval.

130. Section 17. The handling or storing of any inflammable liquid within dangerous proximity to open flame or fire is expressly prohibited.

131. Section 18. All tank wagons, and wagons containing tank faucets, when used for distribution of inflammable liquids, shall be of substantial workmanlike construction and shall be subject to the approval of the fire warden, who shall inspect and keep record of such wagons or vehicles, which shall be plainly marked with their record number. All faucets connected to such tank wagons shall be kept locked or have handle removed when not in use, such handle to be so constructed that it may not be removed except when the faucet is tightly closed, and all measures and faucets shall be covered or otherwise protected.

132. Section 19. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to keep or store in any magazine, building or other place within the corporate limits of the City of Golden, at one time or place, blasting powder, giant powder or dynamite exceeding in quantity 50 pounds, and the same shall be kept in a covered and safe receptacle, secure and at a safe distance from fire, lighted lamps or candles, and in a situation where the same may be easily removed in case of fire. The storage of nitro-glycerine in this city is absolutely prohibited.

133. Section 20. Not more than 10 pounds of gunpowder may be kept in closed metal canister in a store or ware room away from artificial heat or light; provided, that not more than fifty pounds of gunpowder may be kept in a magazine made of fireproof material or of wood covered with sheet iron and mounted on wheels, and kept securely locked except when necessarily opened for use by authorized persons, and not more than 1,000 blasting caps in a similar, but separate, magazine. Said magazine shall be conspicuously labeled in red letters at least four inches high "EXPLOSIVES" and located within the building on the floor nearest the street level and within ten feet of the street entrance.

134. Section 21. Any and all persons, firms or corporations who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance or fail to comply therewith, or who shall violate or fail to comply with any order or regulation made thereunder within ten days, or who shall build in violation of any detailed statement of specifications or plans, submitted and approved thereunder, or any certificate or permit issued thereunder, shall severally for each and every such violation and non-compliance, respectively, forfeit and pay a penalty in any sum not less than \$25.00 nor more than \$100.00, each day constituting a separate offense. The imposition of one penalty for any violation of this ordinance shall not excuse the violation or permit it to continue and all such persons shall be required to correct or remedy such violation or defects within a reasonable time.

## CHAPTER VII.

### Relating to Contracts.

#### ORDINANCE NO. 9

(Town Ordinance 1877, Chapter XIV, General Section 93,  
Compiled Ordinances of 1900.)

135. Section 1. That all labor on bridges, cuts, fillings, etc., when the probable cost shall exceed fifty dollars (if the nature of the labor to be performed will admit of the same), shall be by contract, and when any such labor is required the City Council or chairman of committee on streets and alleys shall give notice of same by posting up notice, or by advertising in the county paper or papers that sealed bids will be received on said labor to be performed, the City Council reserving the right to reject all bids.