

ORIGINAL ORDINANCE NO.: 2027  
ENROLLED ORDINANCE NO.: \_\_\_\_\_

INTRODUCED BY:

AN AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE 10.24.005 OF THE LARAMIE MUNICIPAL  
CODE TO CONFORM THE DEFINITION OF 'CONVICTION' IN CITY CODE TO  
WYOMING STATE STATUTE

WHEREAS, Laramie Municipal Code at 10.24.005 provides a definition of 'conviction';

WHEREAS, Laramie Municipal Code 10.24.005 defines 'conviction' as "a final conviction and includes an unvacated forfeiture of bail or collateral deposited to secure a defendant's appearance in court, a plea of nolo contendere accepted by the court, the payment of a fine, a plea of guilty or a finding of guilt";

WHEREAS, the definition of 'conviction' in Laramie Municipal Code does not conform to the definition in Wyoming state statutes found at Wyo. Stat. Ann. § 31-7-102(a)(xi)(A)-(E);

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it is necessary to conform the definition contained in Laramie Municipal Code to the same definition as contained in Wyoming state statute:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LARAMIE:

**Section 1.** Section 10.24.005 of the Laramie Municipal Code be amended, in relevant part, as follows:

**10.24.005 - Definitions.**

'Conviction' means a final conviction and shall include:

- (A) An unvacated adjudication of guilt or a determination of a violation in a court of original jurisdiction or an administrative proceeding;
- (B) An unvacated forfeiture of bail or collateral deposited to secure the person's appearance in court;
- (C) A plea of guilty or nolo contendere accepted by the court;
- (D) The payment of a fine or court cost; or
- (E) Violation of a condition of release without bail, regardless of whether the penalty is rebated, suspended or probated.

**Section 2.** That this ordinance shall become effective upon passage and publication.

Passed and approved this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

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Mayor and President of the  
City Council

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Nancy Bartholomew, City Clerk

First Reading: May 18, 2021

Public Hearing: June 1, 2021

Second Reading: June 1, 2021

Third Reading and Final Action: June 15, 2021

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