

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.

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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