

ORDINANCE NO. 14-_____

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 401 (SHOPLIFTING PROHIBITED) OF PART 4 (SHOPLIFTING) OF ARTICLE 6 (OFFENSES AFFECTING PROPERTY) OF CHAPTER 9 (PUBLIC OFFENSES) OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS 2001, AS AMENDED, PERTAINING TO THEFT

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS:

Section 1. Section 401 (Shoplifting Prohibited) of Part 4 (Shoplifting) of Article 6 (Offenses Affecting Property) of Chapter 9 (Public Offenses) of the Code of the City of Colorado Springs 2001, as amended, is amended to read as follows:

9.6.401: SHOPLIFTING PROHIBITED:

A. It is unlawful for any person, without authorization, whether by threat or deception, to knowingly obtain or in any manner exercise control over any goods, wares, merchandise or any other thing of value having a value of less than ~~one~~ **two** thousand dollars (~~\$1,000.00~~) (**\$2,000.00**) which is owned or held by and offered or displayed for sale by any stores or other mercantile establishment, and the person:

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9.6.404: THEFT:

It is unlawful for any person, without authorization, to knowingly obtain or exercise control over anything having a value of less than ~~one~~ **two** thousand dollars (~~\$1,000.00~~) (**\$2,000.00**), which is owned or lawfully possessed by another and the person:

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D. Demands any consideration to which he or she is not legally entitled as a condition of restoring the thing of value to the other person; or

E. Knowingly retains the thing of value more than seventy-two hours after the agreed upon time of return in any lease or hiring agreement.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its final adoption and publication as provided by charter.

Section 3. Council deems it appropriate that this ordinance be published by title and summary prepared by the City Clerk and that this ordinance shall be available for inspection and acquisition in the office of the City Clerk.

Introduced, read, passed on first reading and ordered published this ____ day of _____, 2014.

Finally passed: _____
Keith King, Council President

Delivered to Mayor on _____.

Mayor's Action:

- Approved on _____.
- Disapproved on _____, based on the following objections:

Steve Bach, Mayor

Council Action After Disapproval:

- Council did not act to override the Mayor's veto.
- Finally adopted on a vote of _____, on _____.
- Council action on _____ failed to override the Mayor's veto.

Keith King, Council President

ATTEST:

Sarah B. Johnson, City Clerk