## ORDINANCE NO. 2014-402

## AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS AMENDING SECTION 5.08.030 OF THE LOS ALTOS MUNICIPAL CODE RELATED TO THE RIDING, HERDING AND LEADING OF ANIMALS WITHIN THE CITY

WHEREAS, the Los Altos Municipal Code restricts the riding, herding and leading of animals within the City of Los Altos; and

WHEREAS, animals are sometimes utilized during wedding celebrations; and

WHEREAS, weddings are often held on City property; and

WHEREAS, this Ordinance is exempt from environmental review pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3) of the State Guidelines implementing the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970, as amended.

**NOW THEREFORE**, the City Council of the City of Los Altos does hereby ordain as follows:

**SECTION 1. AMENDMENT OF CODE:** Section 5.08.030 repealed in its entirety and replaced with a new section to read as follows:

- A. The right-of-way of any major street may be traversed only for the purpose of entering the City in order to reach a permitted area.
- B. The Council may grant exceptions to the provisions of Section 5.08.020 of this Chapter for community activities, such as parades, special promotions, and the like, upon an application therefor.
- C. <u>The City Manager, or his/her designee, may grant exceptions to the provisions of</u> <u>Section 5.08.020 of this chapter for the use of horses for weddings, upon an</u> <u>application therefor.</u>
- D. Nothing in this Chapter shall be deemed to prohibit the transportation of any animal by any reasonable means to a veterinarian for medical treatment or examination.

**SECTION 2. CONSTITUTIONALITY**. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this code is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this code.

**SECTION 3. PUBLICATION.** This ordinance shall be published as provided in Government Code section 36933.

**SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This ordinance shall be effective upon the commencement of the thirty-first day following the adoption date.

1

The foregoing ordinance was duly and properly introduced at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Los Altos held on July 22, 2014 and was thereafter, at a regular meeting held on August 26, 2014 passed and adopted by the following vote:

AYES: BRUINS, CARPENTER, FISHPAW, PEPPER, SATTERLEE NOES: NONE ABSENT: NONE ABSTAIN: NONE

Megan Satterlee, MAYO

Attest:

Jon Maginot, CMC, CITY CLERK



STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA CITY OF LOS ALTOS )

) CERTIFIED COPY OF ORDINANCE SECOND READING/ADOPTION

I, Jon Maginot, City Clerk for the City of Los Altos in said County of Santa Clara, and State of California, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 2014-402, adopted by the Los Altos City Council on August 26, 2014 by the following vote:

AYES:	BRUINS, CARPENTER, FISHPAW, PEPPER, SATTERLEE
NOES:	NONE
ABSTAIN:	NONE
ABSENT:	NONE

I hereby further certify that a summary of the ordinance was published in accordance with Government Code Section 36933 on the following dates: <u>July 30</u>, 2014 and <u>Sectember 17</u>, 2014. Said ordinance shall be effective September 26, 2014

Dated this 24th day of September , 2014.

Jon Maginot, CMC City Clerk

Ordinance No. 2014-402