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4 ORDINANCE NO. 18649

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6 AN ORDINANCE introduced by City Manager Norton N. Bonaparte, Jr., amending City
7 of Topeka Code § 142-679 and specifically repealing said original
8 section.
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10 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS:

11 Section 1. That City of Topeka Code § 142-679, Fees, is hereby amended to read
12 as follows:

13 **Fees.**

14 (a) ~~The following fees shall be collected by the issuer of the license for the~~
15 ~~various types of licenses provided under this division: The license fee to be paid for each~~
16 ~~bicycle shall be \$2.00 for the period for which such license shall be issued under this~~
17 ~~division, and it shall expire no less than two years after issuance. If a transfer of bicycle~~
18 ~~ownership is made in the manner prescribed in this division, the fee for the transfer of the~~
19 ~~license shall be the sum of \$2.00.~~

20 (b) ~~All fees received for the licensing of bicycles shall be deposited to be used for~~
21 ~~defraying the~~
22 ~~costs of the license program and projects designed to benefit bicycle riders by increasing~~
23 ~~safety and convenience. A monthly accounting shall be made on these funds by the parks~~
24 ~~and recreation department to the bicycle advisory board.~~

25 (c) ~~The bicycle advisory board with the approval of the council shall determine~~
26 ~~the distribution and uses of the funds collected under this division. Such uses may be for~~
27 ~~projects designed to benefit bicycle riders by increasing the safety, convenience and~~
28 ~~recreational uses of bicycling within the city.~~

29 (d) ~~The city council may, upon receipt of a written application, waive bicycle~~
30 ~~license fees which are imposed by subsection (a) for a specific time period, provided the~~
31 ~~following criteria are met:~~

32 (1) ~~The request is made by a nonprofit organization or, in the case of an~~
33 ~~individual, the waiver of the fee will not promote or aid a profitmaking~~
34 ~~venture.~~

35 (2) ~~The waiver of such license fee will result in furthering public health,~~
36 ~~safety or welfare.~~

37 (3) ~~The duration of the requested fee waiver is short and limited to a~~
38 ~~specific time frame.~~

39 ~~Upon the finding that the fee waiver request meets the criteria set forth in this~~
40 ~~section, the city council shall grant the waiver by adoption of a resolution. There shall be~~
41 ~~no fee assessed for issuing a bicycle license.~~

42 Section 2. That City of Topeka Code § 142-679 is hereby specifically repealed.

43 Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force after its passage,
44 approval and publication in the official city newspaper.

45 PASSED and APPROVED by the City Council June 6, 2006.

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ATTEST:

William W. Bunten, Mayor

Iris E. Walker, City Clerk

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