

ORDINANCE NO. 2023 - 49

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE DEFINITIONS OF VEHICLE REPAIR MAJOR AND VEHICLE REPAIR MINOR TO CLARIFY THAT REPAIR ACTIVITIES MUST OCCUR WITHIN A BUILDING, THEREBY AMENDING CHAPTER 19 OF THE CITY CODE.

The City Council of the City of Bloomington, Minnesota ordains:

Section 1. That Chapter 19 of the City Code is hereby amended by deleting those words that are contained in brackets and ~~[stricken through]~~ and adding those words that are underlined, to read as follows:

CHAPTER 19: ZONING

ARTICLE I: GENERAL PROVISIONS

DIVISION B: DEFINITIONS

§ 19.03 DEFINITIONS.

VEHICLE REPAIR, MAJOR. An establishment engaged in ~~[performing]~~major repairs and service to passenger automobiles, trucks, vans and motorcycles performed inside a building except for temporary limited outdoor repair approved by the issuing authority. **MAJOR REPAIR** may include all activities of repair or servicing allowed in a minor automobile repair establishment as well as major engine and transmission repair and replacement and paintless dent repair (pdr). The rebuilding or reconditioning of passenger automobiles, body, frame, painting, rust-proofing or other similar activity is not considered **MAJOR VEHICLE REPAIR** and is defined separately.

VEHICLE REPAIR, MINOR. An establishment engaged in ~~[performing]~~minor repairs and service to passenger automobiles, trucks, vans and motorcycles performed inside a building except for temporary limited outdoor repair approved by the issuing authority. **MINOR REPAIR** may include muffler replacement, oil and fluid changing and lubrication, tire repair and replacement except tire recapping, wheel alignment, brake repair, suspension repair, minor engine and transmission repair, flushing of radiators, servicing of air conditioners, any minor maintenance, repair or replacement of motor vehicle components such as audio system installation, window tinting, wheel rim upgrades, engine tune-ups, vehicle diagnostic analysis and other vehicle inspections, lubrications, remote car starts, engine or exhaust add-ons and other after market parts, and similar minor repairs and service.

Passed and adopted this 18th day of December, 2023.

/s/ Tim Busse
Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

/s/ Matt Brillhart
Secretary to the Council

/s/ Melissa J. Manderschied
City Attorney