## ORDINANCE NO. 16-02

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF HURLEY, SD, AMENDING THE REVISED MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES OF THE CITY BY AMENDING CHAPTER 3.0104, VEGETATION NUISANCE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF HURLEY, SD:

That Chapter 3.0104C of the Revised Municipal Ordinances of Hurley, SD, is hereby amended as follows:

Notice to Abate and Abatement by City. The Finance Officer shall annually on C. or before May 1<sup>st</sup> of each year publish once a week for two consecutive weeks a Notice to Property Owners generally setting forth the duty to control weeds and other vegetation which might be a nuisance in violation of this Section. The Finance Officer or his or her designee may cause a Notice to Abate Nuisance to be served, by posting of notice on such property within view of the public, upon any property owner who fails to comply with the published notice or any person who at any other time has weeds or other vegetation. mailing such notice to the property owner. Notice pursuant to this ordinance shall be served by first class mail addressed to the property owner at the owner's last known address, and shall be deemed served as of date of mailing. Upon failure, neglect or refusal of any owner, agent or occupant so notified to comply with said notice within five days, thereof the Finance Officer or his or her designee is hereby authorized and empowered to provide for the cutting, destroying or removal of the weeds, grass or other noxious matter and stabilize the soil if necessary. The City may defray the cost of the work, including administrative costs, by special assessment against the property as set out in Section 3.0104 (D).

Adopted this 11<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2016.

ATTEST.

Finance Office

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