

CITY OF HOMER  
HOMER, ALASKA

ORDINANCE 84-11S

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE TAKEOFF AND LANDING OF FIXED WING AIRCRAFT ON CERTAIN AREAS WITHIN THE CITY AND ESTABLISHING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS.

WHEREAS, a potentially dangerous condition exists as the result of landings and takeoffs by fixed wing aircraft on lands and beaches located on the West Side of the Homer Spit and other areas which are not designated for such use, and

WHEREAS, the ever increasing use of the Spit for recreational purposes has resulted in a lack of space available for such landings and takeoffs, and

WHEREAS, there is no way to determine in advance whether individual pilots and their aircraft have the special skills and flight characteristics that are necessary to insure safe operation on the above described areas,

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY OF HOMER ORDAINS:

Section 1. The following Chapter shall be added to Title 5, HEALTH AND PUBLIC SAFETY, of the Homer Municipal Code:

Chapter 5.34

AIRCRAFT LANDING AND TAKEOFF

Sections:

- 5.34.010 Landings and takeoffs prohibited
- 5.34.020 Seasonal application
- 5.34.030 Penalty

5.34.010 Landings and takeoffs prohibited. It shall be unlawful for any person to land upon or takeoff in a fixed wing aircraft including all types of hand gliders and ultra light aircraft from those lands and beaches lying West of the Homer Spit Road from its southern terminus to the base of the Beluga Slough outlet.

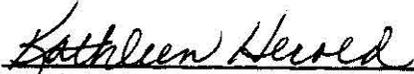
5.34.020. Seasonal Application. This ordinance shall be in effect from May through September of each year.

5.34.030. Penalty. The violation of any provision contained in this chapter shall be punished by a fine not to exceed three hundred dollars and/or impoundment of violator's aircraft.

CITY OF HOMER

  
Erle Cooper, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Kathleen Herold, City Clerk

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Public Hearing: April 23, 1984

Second Reading: April 23, 1984 (Tabled)

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