

ORDINANCE NO. 2018-4216

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY CODE OF ORDINANCE, CHAPTER 13 – HARBORS AND WATERWAYS, SECTION 13-12, DISCHARGING OF OILS, WASTE, BALLAST, RUBBISH INTO TURNING BASIN, CHANNEL OR HARBOR; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ARANSAS PASS, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. The following section is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 13-12. Discharging of oils, waste, ballast, rubbish into turning basin, channel or harbor.

No vessel, ~~or~~ business or individual within the water jurisdiction of the city shall throw, or allow to be thrown overboard, any scraps, refuse or debris of any sort which might pollute, defile or clog the waters of the turning basin or ship channel. This especially applies to oil, and the masters of all vessels are warned of the severe penalties provided by the federal laws in such cases, and to this end it is recommended that all vessels when pumping diesel oil or gasoline from one tank to another, have all scuppers securely stopped so that overflow will not find its way into the harbor or ship channel. No oily bilges shall be pumped within the harbor.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage and approval.

FINALLY ENACTED THIS ____ day of _____, 2018, at a regular meeting of the Elective Council of the City of Aransas Pass, Texas at which a quorum was present and which was held in accordance with TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE, TITLE 5, SUBTITLE 1, CHAPTER 551.

CITY OF ARANSAS PASS, TEXAS

Ramiro Gomez, Mayor

ATTEST;

Mary Juarez, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:

Roxann Pais Cotroneo, City Attorney

