

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR ORDINANCE NO. 080402

Authorizing the Director of Public Works to execute a contract with American Traffic Solutions, LLC (“ATS”) for the purposes of providing automated red light photo enforcement services throughout the City; authorizing the Director of Public Works to execute, in conjunction therewith, a contract with the Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission for the purpose of allowing the City to cause ATS to install and operate the equipment in state-owned right-of-way; and amending Chapter 70, Code of Ordinances, by repealing subsection (j) of Section 70-961 and enacting in lieu thereof a new subsection of like letter and subject matter for the purpose of setting the fee for a violation at \$100.00.

WHEREAS, the Council has reviewed the contract with American Traffic Solutions, LLC regarding the use of red light cameras; and

WHEREAS, the Council expresses its intent that the contract cover the use of only rear vehicle photographs; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KANSAS CITY:

Section 1. That the Director of Public Works is hereby authorized to execute, on behalf of the City, a contract with American Traffic Solutions, LLC for the purpose of providing automated red light photo enforcement services (“red light cameras”) throughout the City. The contract shall be in a form substantially similar to that attached hereto.

Section 2. That the Director of Public Works is hereby authorized to execute, on behalf of the City, a contract with the Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission for the purpose of allowing the City to cause ATS to install and operate the red light cameras in state owned right-of-way. The contract shall be in a form substantially similar to that attached hereto.

Section 3. That Chapter 70, Code of Ordinances, is hereby amended by repealing subsection (j) of Section 70-961 and enacting in lieu thereof a new subsection of like letter and subject matter, to read as follows:

Section 70-961. Automated traffic control systems.

(j) *Penalty.* Upon conviction of a violation of this section, the owner of the vehicle, or the driver of the vehicle if it is established that a person other than the owner is the driver, shall pay a fine of \$100.00.

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Section 4. That all other subsections of Section 70-961 not specifically repealed and reenacted above shall remain in effect.

Approved as to form and legality:

Brian T. Rabineau
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