

ORDINANCE NO. 97

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF RIDGECREST  
ADOPTING STREET ADDRESS NUMBERING SYSTEM

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIDGECREST DOES ORDAIN  
AS FOLLOWS:

1. The following system of numbering street addresses in the City of Ridgecrest is hereby adopted: Starting at the intersection of Ridgecrest Boulevard and China Lake Boulevard, all numbers shall proceed North, South, East and West.

2. All numbers on the North and East sides of any street shall be even, and all numbers on the South and West sides of any street shall be odd.

3. The standard for the system shall be a 660 foot square block or square grid system, with each new square being assigned a new series of numbers. From the starting point set forth above, the numbers will start in the 100 series for the first square, 200 series for the next square, and continue on seriatim.

4. It shall be the duty of every person owning, occupying or controlling any building or structure fronting on a public street in the City of Ridgecrest to cause the same to be numbered correctly in accordance with this ordinance and the rules and regulations adopted pursuant hereto.

5. All buildings or structures shall be numbered at the expense of the owner, occupant or person in control thereof.

6. All numbers affixed pursuant to this ordinance shall be of a size not less than three (3) inches in height, and shall be placed upon or immediately above the entrance to said building or structure.

7. All street address numbering shall be done under the supervision of the Planning Department.

8. If any building or structure is unnumbered or incorrectly numbered, or the number thereof has become defaced or illegible, it shall be the duty of the owner, occupant and person in control to cause the same to be numbered correctly within ten (10) days after notification to do so by the appropriate city official. Such notice may be given by serving or leaving a copy thereof at the building with any person in charge or possession thereof, or by mailing same to the owner of the property as shown by the last property tax roll, or by

posting such notice on the door or at the entrance way to said building or structure. Any such notice shall specify the correct number of the building or structure.

9. No person shall deface, remove or destroy any notice so posted until the building or structure on which it has been posted is correctly numbered.

10. The street address numbering system set forth herein shall be carried out pursuant to the rules and regulations and maps heretofore approved by the Planning Commission.

11. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding \$25.00.

12. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this ordinance and cause the same to be published as required by law.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 6th day of March, 1969, by the following vote:

AYES: Mayor Smith, Councilmen Edwards, Fox, Kessler, and Shacklett

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

*Kenneth M. Smith*  
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KENNETH M. SMITH  
Mayor

ATTEST:

*James R. Heck*  
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JAMES R. HECK  
City Clerk

I hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Ridgecrest at a regular meeting thereof held on the 6th day of March, 1969.

*James R. Heck*  
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JAMES R. HECK, City Clerk