

29 transportation of persons, used in ride or shared ride, on demand, or for hire transportation of
30 passengers or baggage over public highways.

31 (ii) "Ground transportation vehicle" includes a:

32 (A) shared ride vehicle;

33 (B) bus;

34 (C) courtesy vehicle;

35 (D) hotel vehicle;

36 (E) limousine;

37 (F) minibus;

38 (G) special transportation vehicle;

39 (H) specialty vehicle;

40 (I) taxicab;

41 (J) van; or

42 (K) trailer being towed by a ground transportation vehicle.

43 (b) "Idle" means the operation of a vehicle engine while the vehicle is stationary or not
44 in the act of performing work or its normal function.

45 (2) The provisions of this chapter do not prevent a local highway authority for a
46 highway under its jurisdiction and within the reasonable exercise of police power, from:

47 (a) regulating or prohibiting stopping, standing, or parking;

48 (b) regulating traffic by means of a peace officer or a traffic-control device;

49 (c) regulating or prohibiting processions or assemblages on a highway;

50 (d) designating particular highways or roadways for use by traffic moving in one
51 direction under Section [41-6a-709](#);

52 (e) establishing speed limits for vehicles in public parks, which supersede Section
53 [41-6a-603](#) regarding speed limits;

54 (f) designating any highway as a through highway or designating any intersection or
55 junction of roadways as a stop or yield intersection or junction;

- 56 (g) restricting the use of a highway under Section 72-7-408;
- 57 (h) requiring the registration and inspection of bicycles, including requiring a
- 58 registration fee;
- 59 (i) regulating or prohibiting:
- 60 (i) certain turn movements of a vehicle; or
- 61 (ii) specified types of vehicles;
- 62 (j) altering or establishing speed limits under Section 41-6a-603;
- 63 (k) requiring written accident reports under Section 41-6a-403;
- 64 (l) designating no-passing zones under Section 41-6a-708;
- 65 (m) prohibiting or regulating the use of controlled-access highways by any class or
- 66 kind of traffic under Section 41-6a-715;
- 67 (n) prohibiting or regulating the use of heavily traveled streets by any class or kind of
- 68 traffic found to be incompatible with the normal and safe movement of traffic;
- 69 (o) establishing minimum speed limits under Subsection 41-6a-605(3);
- 70 (p) prohibiting pedestrians from crossing a highway in a business district or any
- 71 designated highway except in a crosswalk under Section 41-6a-1001;
- 72 (q) restricting pedestrian crossings at unmarked crosswalks under Section 41-6a-1010;
- 73 (r) regulating persons upon skates, coasters, sleds, skateboards, and other toy vehicles;
- 74 (s) adopting and enforcing temporary or experimental ordinances as necessary to cover
- 75 emergencies or special conditions;
- 76 (t) prohibiting drivers of ambulances from exceeding maximum speed limits;
- 77 (u) adopting other traffic ordinances as specifically authorized by this chapter; or
- 78 (v) adopting an ordinance that requires a ground transportation vehicle to conform to
- 79 state safety standards and reasonable annual appearance requirements, in consultation with a
- 80 transportation advisory board of the local highway authority.
- 81 (3) A local highway authority may not:
- 82 (a) in accordance with Title 72, Chapter 3, Part 1, Highways in General, erect or

83 maintain any official traffic-control device at any location which regulates the traffic on a
84 highway not under the local highway authority's jurisdiction, unless written approval is
85 obtained from the highway authority having jurisdiction over the highway;

86 (b) prohibit or restrict the use of a cellular phone by the operator or passenger of a
87 motor vehicle;

88 (c) enact an ordinance that prohibits or restricts an owner or operator of a vehicle from
89 causing or permitting the vehicle's engine to idle unless the ordinance:

90 (i) is primarily educational;

91 (ii) provides that a person must be issued at least [~~three warning citations~~] one warning
92 citation before imposing a fine;

93 (iii) has the same fine structure as a parking violation;

94 (iv) provides for the safety of law enforcement personnel who enforce the ordinance;

95 and

96 (v) provides that the ordinance may be enforced on:

97 (A) public property; or

98 (B) private property that is open to the general public unless the private property
99 owner:

100 (I) has a private business that has a drive-through service as a component of the private
101 property owner's business operations and posts a sign provided by or acceptable to the local
102 highway authority informing its customers and the public of the local highway authority's time
103 limit for idling vehicle engines; or

104 (II) adopts an idle reduction education policy approved by the local highway authority;

105 (d) enact an ordinance that prohibits a vehicle from being licensed as a ground
106 transportation vehicle:

107 (i) if the vehicle to be licensed otherwise passes all state safety inspection requirements
108 established by the Utah Highway Patrol Division in accordance with Section 53-8-204; and

109 (ii) (A) based on the manufacture date of the vehicle; or

- 110 (B) based on the number of miles the vehicle has accumulated;
- 111 (e) enact an ordinance, regulation, rule, fee, or criminal or civil fine pertaining to a
- 112 registration violation under Section 41-1a-201 or a registration decal issued under Section
- 113 41-1a-402 that conflicts with or is more stringent than the registration requirements under Title
- 114 41, Motor Vehicles;
- 115 (f) enact an ordinance that:
- 116 (i) is inconsistent with the provisions of this chapter; or
- 117 (ii) prohibits the use of a bicycle on any public street or highway, except as allowed by
- 118 Section 41-6a-714, unless the local highway authority has:
- 119 (A) documented that the local highway authority has reviewed the safety history of the
- 120 highway and considered other reasonable alternatives, including signage and routes; and
- 121 (B) clearly marked a safe alternative route for the prohibited section of highway; or
- 122 (g) enact an ordinance, regulation, or rule that requires the owner or driver of a ground
- 123 transportation vehicle to maintain liability insurance coverage in an amount that is greater than
- 124 the minimum amount of liability coverage a transportation network company or transportation
- 125 network driver is required to maintain under Subsection 13-51-108(1)(b).
- 126 (4) An ordinance enacted under Subsection (2)(d), (e), (f), (g), (i), (j), (l), (m), (n), or
- 127 (q) is not effective until official traffic-control devices giving notice of the local traffic
- 128 ordinances are erected upon or at the entrances to the highway or part of it affected as is
- 129 appropriate.
- 130 (5) An ordinance enacted by a local highway authority that violates Subsection (3) is
- 131 not effective.