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WHEREAS, the Beaverton Code currently does not distinguish between trespass to dwellings and nondwellings; and

WHEREAS, trespass to dwellings represents a greater intrusion and threat than trespass to nondwellings; and

WHEREAS, the state law recognizes the distinction and punishes trespass to dwellings as a Class A Misdemeanor and nondwellings as a Class C Misdemeanor; now, therefore,

THE CITY OF BEAVERTON DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Beaverton Code is hereby amended to add a section entitled "5.08.406 Trespass in the First Degree" to read as follows:

"5.08.406 Trespass in the First Degree. No person knowingly shall enter or remain unlawfully in a dwelling. Dwelling means a building which regularly or intermittently is occupied by a person lodging therein at night, whether or not a person is actually present at the time of entry or remaining."

Section 2. BC 5.08.800 A, Penalties, is hereby amended to include Trespass in the First Degree.

First reading this 6th day of June, 1983.
Passed by the Council this 13th day of June, 1983.
Approved by the Mayor this 13th day of June, 1983.

ATTEST:


MARY E. CARDER, City Recorder

APPROVED:


JACK R. NELSON, Mayor

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