

## OREGON

City (Pop.)	Ordinance
Ashland (20,078)	<p><b>11.32.010 Definitions</b> A. "Abandoned vehicle" means any vehicle that has been deserted or relinquished without claim of ownership. A vehicle shall be considered abandoned if it has remained in the same location for more than 72 hours and one or more of the following conditions exist: 1) The vehicle has an expired registration sticker or trip permit affixed to it; 2) The vehicle appears to be inoperative or disabled; or 3) The vehicle appears to be wrecked, partially dismantled or junked. C. "Discarded" vehicle means any vehicle or part thereof which is in one or more of the following conditions: 1) Inoperative; 2) Wrecked; 3) Dismantled; 4) Partially dismantled; 5) Junked. Discarded vehicles may be deemed to include major parts of vehicles including but not limited to bodies, engines, transmissions and rear ends. <b>11.32.030 Prohibited Action</b> It is unlawful to park, store, leave, or permit the parking or storing of an abandoned or discarded vehicle upon any public or private property within the city for a period of time in excess of seventy-two (72) hours unless the vehicle is (1) completely enclosed within a building; or (2) stored in connection with a business enterprise allowing outdoor storage and lawfully licensed by the City.</p>
Beaverton (89,803)	<p><b>5.05.015 Definitions.</b> For the purposes of this ordinance, the following mean: Discarded vehicle – A vehicle that is not operable on a public street, wrecked, dismantled, partially dismantled, abandoned or junked or major parts of discarded vehicles including, but not limited to, bodies, engines, transmissions and rear ends. <b>5.05.150 Discarded Vehicle.</b> A. The open accumulation and storage of a discarded vehicle is hereby found to create a condition tending to reduce the value of private property, to promote blight, deterioration and unsightliness, to invite plundering, to create fire hazards, to constitute an attractive nuisance creating a hazard to the health and safety of minors, to create a harborage for rodents and insects and to be injurious to the health, safety, and general welfare of the public. [BC 5.05.150A, amended by Ordinance No. 3872, 11/1/93] B. No person shall store or permit the storing of a discarded vehicle upon private property within the City unless the vehicle is completely enclosed within a building or unless it is in connection with a business enterprise dealing with junked vehicles lawfully conducted within the city. [BC 5.05.150, amended by Ordinance No. 3526, 7/29/86] C. The presence of a discarded vehicle on private or public property is hereby declared to constitute a public nuisance that may be abated in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance and result in the issuance of a civil infraction complaint. [BC 5.05.150C, added by Ordinance No. 3872, 11/1/93]</p>
Bend (76,639)	<p><b>13.25.005 Definitions</b> For the purposes of this Chapter, "discarded" means any vehicle that is in one or more of the following conditions: (1) Inoperable (2) Wrecked (3) Dismantled (4) Partially dismantled (5) Abandoned (6) Junked (7) Unlicensed <b>13.25.010 Discarded Vehicles</b> (1) Discarded vehicles may be considered to include major vehicle parts, including, but not limited to, bodies, engines, transmissions and rear ends. (2) No person shall store or permit the storing of a discarded vehicle on private property for more than 72 hours unless it is completely enclosed within a building or in a space entirely enclosed and hidden by a fence or screen.</p>
Corvallis (54,462)	<p><b>Section 5.02.030 Exceptions</b> Provisions herein shall not apply to: 1) A vehicle or part thereof which is completely enclosed within a building in a lawful manner where it is not visible from the street or other public or private property. 2) A vehicle or part thereof which is stored or parked in a lawful manner on a private property in connection with a business of a licensed dismantler, licensed vehicle dealer, a junk dealer or when such storage or parking is necessary to the operation of a lawfully conducted business or commercial enterprise. 3) The provisions of this Section shall not authorize the maintenance of a public or private nuisance as defined and pursuant to Chapter 5.04.</p>
Eugene (156,185)	<p><b>6.800 Junk and Used Vehicle Accumulations.</b> (2) No person shall store or permit to be stored for 48 hours a used motor vehicle or portion thereof without a license plate or with an expired license plate on any private or public property unless the vehicle is placed so as not to be exposed to view from a street or sidewalk adjoining the premises or unless it is stored on the premises of a business enterprise dealing in used vehicles lawfully conducted within the city. (3) In addition to being a violation, the conditions prohibited by this section are also nuisances and may be abated as provided in this code.</p>

<p>Forest Grove (21,083)</p>	<p><b>ABANDONED VEHICLES 6.505 Definitions.</b> For the purpose of Code Sections 6.510 to 6.585, the following words and terms mean: Abandoned vehicle. A vehicle left unoccupied and unclaimed or in such damaged, disabled or dismantled condition that it is inoperable. <b>6.615 Prohibited Action.</b> (1) No person shall store or permit the storing of a discarded vehicle upon private property within the City unless the vehicle is: (a) Completely enclosed within a building; or is (b) Kept in connection with a lawfully conducted business enterprise dealing in junked vehicles. (2) No person shall store or permit the storing of any discarded vehicles not within an enclosed building on property under their ownership or control within the City unless it is in connection with a lawfully conducted business enterprise dealing in junked vehicles.</p>
<p>Grants Pass (34,533)</p>	<p><b>5.20.030 Inoperable Vehicle on Private Property.</b> A. It is unlawful for any person who is the owner of or in charge of private real property within the City to keep, wreck, store, or allow to remain thereon any inoperable motor vehicle, or part thereof, unless the same is completely enclosed within a building or so located as not to be readily visible from any public place or from surrounding private property (e.g. in a closed garage or behind a completely sight obscuring fence 6 feet or more in height), or unless it is on such private real property in connection with a business enterprise, lawfully licensed by the City, and properly operated in the appropriate business zone, pursuant to the zoning laws of the City. An inoperable vehicle covered with a tarp or similar covering is readily visible as noted herein and is therefore in violation. B. For the purposes of this section, if an inoperable motor vehicle or part thereof is permitted to remain upon property 72 hours after the registered owner or owner of the property is notified of the violation, it shall be deemed to have been kept, stored, or allowed to remain thereon. After the expiration of the 72 hour period, each day during which the vehicle or part thereof remains on the property in violation of this chapter shall be punishable as a separate offense and may be abated as provided herein.</p>
<p>Gresham (105,594)</p>	<p><b>8.30.010 Abandoned Vehicles Prohibited.</b> (1) No vehicle that the manager, public safety officer, or law enforcement officer has reason to believe is abandoned, as defined in GRC 8.05.020, may be parked or left standing upon: (c) Private property for a period in excess of five days in any manner that exposes it to view from a street, sidewalk, or property adjoining the premises, but only if it is an abandoned vehicle as defined in GRC 8.05.020. (i) One vehicle per private property address/location may be permitted; provided, however, said vehicle must be covered by a manufactured vehicle cover designed specifically for that purpose; enclosed within a permitted structure; or behind a sight-obscuring fence.</p>
<p>Lake Oswego (36,619)</p>	<p><b>34.10.525 Maintaining Inoperable Vehicles on Private Property Prohibited.</b> It shall be unlawful for any person to maintain any inoperable vehicle on private property for a period of time in excess of one month. For the purposes of this chapter an inoperable vehicle is defined as any vehicle which does not display a current state vehicle license and/or tags or which cannot be moved without being either repaired or dismantled or which is no longer safely usable for the purposes for which it was manufactured. This definition shall not include any vehicle kept in a building when not in use or any vehicles kept on the premises of a business lawfully engaged in wrecking, junking or repair of vehicles. Any owner of an inoperable vehicle or any person maintaining such a vehicle on premises under his control for a period of time in excess of one month shall be liable to abatement proceedings by the City as maintaining a public nuisance. Repeated violation of this section is also declared to be a public nuisance. For purposes of this section, "repeated violation" means that an individual or corporate entity has been convicted of violating this section two or more times within a five year period. It is no defense to the "repeated violation" allegation that different vehicles or properties were involved. The City may seek an injunction pursuant to LOC 34.08.431 against repeated violators in order to permanently enjoin maintenance of inoperable vehicles in violation of this section. A violation of this section is a civil violation and a public nuisance.</p>

<p>Medford (74,907)</p>	<p><b>5.505 Unlawful Storage of Vehicles</b> (1) For purposes of this section, the following mean: "Vehicle." A device in, or by which a person or property is or may be transported or drawn upon a public highway, excluding a device moved by human power or used exclusively upon stationary rails or tracks, and including, but not limited to, a body, an engine, a transmission, a frame or other major part. "Neglected or discarded vehicle." A vehicle that is or appears to be inoperative, wrecked, dismantled or partially dismantled. "Wrecked, dismantled, or inoperative vehicle." A vehicle that is inoperative and cannot be made mechanically operative without the addition of vital parts or mechanisms and the application of a substantial amount of labor to effect repairs. (2) No person shall store or permit to be stored a neglected or discarded vehicle upon private or public property within the city for more than five days unless the vehicle is completely enclosed within a legally permitted building, or unless it is stored by a licensed business enterprise dealing in junked vehicles lawfully conducted within the city. (3) A violation of this section constitutes a violation. Every day the vehicle or part is stored or permitted to remain unlawfully constitutes a separate violation. (4) Storing vehicles in violation of this section is declared to be a public nuisance and may be abated in the manner provided in section 5.520. In addition to the notice to the property owner provided in section 5.520, if it is determined that the owner of the real property and the owner of the vehicle constituting the nuisance are not the same person and if any indication of vehicle ownership is available, notice of the City's intent to remove and dispose of the vehicle shall also be sent to the owner of the vehicle. (5) If the owner of property on which a discarded vehicle is located denies responsibility for the presence of the vehicle or vehicle part on the property, and the Council determines that the vehicle was placed on the property without the consent of the property owner and that he has not subsequently acquiesced in its presence, the Council shall not assess the cost of abatement and removal against the property or attempt to collect the cost of abatement and removal from the property owner. (6) If the Council determines that the owner of real property on which a neglected or discarded vehicle is located is not liable for the cost of removal and disposal, the cost, including costs of administration, shall be collected from the last registered owner of the vehicle unless the owner in the transfer of ownership has complied with ORS 481.405.</p>
<p>Milwaukie (20,291)</p>	<p><b>8.12.020 WRECKING OR DISMANTLING BUSINESS—LICENSE REQUIRED</b> It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation, not being duly licensed by the State, to engage in the business of wrecking, dismantling, permanently disassembling, or substantially altering the form of any motor vehicle within the City. <b>8.12.030 ABANDONING WRECKED OR DISMANTLED VEHICLE PROHIBITED—EXCEPTION</b> A. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to dismantle or wreck, in whole or in part, any motor vehicle with the intention of allowing such dismantled motor vehicle body, or portions thereof, to remain upon any public or private property within the City, and the leaving of such dismantled motor vehicle body upon any public or private property within the City for a period of more than thirty (30) days shall be conclusive evidence of such intention for the purposes of this chapter. B. This section shall not apply to licensed motor vehicle wreckers who are not otherwise in violation of this chapter or the Zoning Ordinance of the City; and this section shall also not apply to motor vehicle bodies which are stored or kept in a garage or other substantial enclosure so that such bodies cannot collect water, cannot be accessible to children, and cannot otherwise become a public nuisance.</p>
<p>Newberg (22,068)</p>	<p><b>8.05.040 Prohibited action.</b> It shall be unlawful to store or permit the storing of a discarded vehicle upon any public property within the city. It shall be unlawful to store or permit the storing of a discarded vehicle upon any private property within the city for more than 72 hours, unless the vehicle is completely enclosed within a building, or unless it is in connection with a business enterprise dealing in junked vehicles lawfully conducted within the city.</p>
<p>Oregon City (31,859)</p>	<p><b>8.08.040 - Nuisances affecting peace and safety.</b> The following are declared to be nuisances affecting public peace and safety: [...]P. All vehicles, or parts thereof, which are inoperable due to lack of legal requirements, have no currently valid license or registration, safety equipment or the like, or are not capable of being safely operated or driven in the manner for which they were designed and have been on the same parcel of private property for thirty days or longer. This section shall not apply to vehicles enclosed within a building with walls and a roof.</p>

Redmond (26,215)	<b>9.44.020 Unlawful to keep or store junk.</b> It is unlawful for any person to accumulate, keep or store or to permit any other person to accumulate, keep or store any junk on any privately-owned property within the city, or to accumulate, keep or store any junk in a building that is not wholly enclosed, except for doors for ingress and egress.
Roseburg (21,181)	<b>7.04.170 - Inoperative, wrecked, dismantled or abandoned vehicles.</b> A. Storage. No person shall cause or allow a neglected or discarded vehicle to remain upon public or private property within the City for more than five days unless the vehicle is completely enclosed within a legally permitted building, or unless it is stored by a licensed business enterprise dealing in junked vehicles lawfully conducted within the City. B. Abandoned Vehicles. No person shall cause or allow a vehicle to be abandoned upon public or private property within the City. This Section shall not apply to a vehicle that has been abandoned as defined by state law nor to a vehicle that constitutes a hazard as defined by state law. A vehicle that is abandoned or that constitutes a hazard shall be dealt with pursuant to the provisions of state law.
Springfield (59,403)	<b>5.002 Nuisances Prohibited.</b> No person shall cause or permit a nuisance on public or private property and causing or permitting a nuisance constitutes an offense under this code. This section is intended to not only prohibit the nuisances set forth herein, but also intended to encourage civil enforcement of these community objectives in accordance with the legal doctrines of statutory tort and negligence per se. The following are declared to be nuisances to be abated and/or cited as a civil infraction as provided in this code: [...] (10) <u>Stored Vehicle.</u> Parking, storing, leaving or permitting the parking or storing of any licensed or unlicensed motor vehicle that is in a rusted, wrecked, partially dismantled, inoperative or abandoned condition, whether attended or not, or any destruction derby vehicles or race cars of any kind, upon any public or private property within the city, unless completely enclosed within a legally permitted building that is wholly or entirely enclosed except for doors for use for ingress and egress or unless it is in connection with a business enterprise, lawfully licensed by the city, and properly operated in the appropriate business zone, pursuant to the zoning laws of the city. Nothing herein shall prohibit the storage of one vehicle not in violation of other provisions of this code, where it is screened from public view within a legally permitted building or behind a six foot solid fence. Nothing herein shall prohibit the parking or storing of a licensed, operable, legally parked, recreational vehicle.
Tigard (48,035)	<b>7.40.100 Open Storage Of Junk.</b> No person or responsible party shall deposit, store, maintain or keep on any real property, except in a fully enclosed storage facility, building or garbage receptacle, any of the following: [...] B. Inoperable, partially dismantled automobiles, trucks, bus, trailer or other vehicle equipment or parts thereof in a state of disrepair, for more than ten days as to any one automobile, truck, bus, trailer or piece of vehicular equipment.
Tualatin (26,054)	<b>6-4-150 Junk.</b> (1) No person shall keep any junk out-doors on any street, lot or premises, or in a building that is not wholly or entirely en-closed, except doors used for ingress and egress. (2) The term "junk" as used in this section includes all old motor vehicles, old mo-tor vehicle parts, abandoned auto-mobiles, old machinery, old machinery parts, old appliances or parts thereof, old iron or other metal, glass, paper or discarded material. (3) This section shall not apply to junk kept in a duly licensed junkyard or auto-mobile wrecking house.
West Linn (25,109)	<b>5.440 Junk.</b> (1) "Junk," as used in this section, means and shall include used motors and motor parts, abandoned or unusable motor vehicles including trucks, tractors, trailers, parts removed from vehicles, household appliances, scrap iron, tin, plastic, glass and paper. (2) It is determined and declared that the keeping of any junk out of doors on any street, lot or premises within the city, or in a building that is not wholly or entirely enclosed except doors for use for ingress and egress, is a nuisance and is unlawful. (3) It is unlawful for any owner or person in charge of property to keep or allow to be kept any junk out of doors on any street, or on any lot or premises within the city, or in a building that is not wholly or entirely enclosed except doors used for ingress and egress. (4) The provisions of this section shall not apply to junk kept in a duly licensed junkyard or automobile wrecking house.