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**Sec. 62-1. Obstructing street drainage or drainage facilities.**

- (a) It shall be unlawful to obstruct the flow of stormwater by the obstruction of any ditch or drain on the alleys and streets of the city in any manner whatsoever. In addition, it shall be unlawful to block or impede historical drainage or retention.
- (b) It shall be unlawful to fill or cause to be filled any lateral, infall or outfall ditches along the streets of the city set forth on the standard cross section of streets and avenues, on file at City Hall, without first placing the necessary culverts and/or paved valley and obtaining the written permission of the city engineer's office.
- (c) Adjacent property owners that have installed improvements such as driveway culverts, conveyance systems, swales, etc., within the city right-of-way shall conduct all maintenance and repairs on such improvements as necessary to prevent any impedance or obstruction of drainage or retention.

(Code 1982, § 15-2; Ord. No. 2006-34, § 1, 8-22-06)