

**CITY OF WEST ST. PAUL  
DAKOTA COUNTY, MINNESOTA**

**ORDINANCE NO. 21-**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING  
WEST ST. PAUL CITY CODE SECTION 150.036 AND  
WEST ST. PAUL ZONING CODE SECTION 153.004  
REGARDING THE DEFINITION OF FAMILY**

**The City Council of West St. Paul does ordain:**

**SECTION 1.** West St. Paul City Code Section 150.036 relating to definition of “Family” is hereby amended as follows:

**FAMILY.**

- 1) An individual or two or more persons legally related by blood, marriage, domestic partnership, foster care or adoption ~~in a linear relationship such as spouses, grandparents, parents, children, grandchildren and siblings, but not aunts, uncles or cousins~~; or
- 2) A group of not more than three persons not related by blood, ~~or~~ marriage, domestic partnership, foster care or adoption living together in a dwelling unit.

**SECTION 2.** West St. Paul Zoning Code Section 153.004 relating to definition of “Family” is hereby amended as follows:

**FAMILY.** See definition in Code Section 150.036. ~~An individual or two or more persons legally related by blood, marriage, foster care or adoption, or a group of not more than three persons not related by blood or marriage living together in a dwelling unit.~~

**SECTION 3. SUMMARY PUBLICATION.** Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 412.191, in the case of a lengthy ordinance, a summary may be published. While a copy of the entire ordinance is available without cost at the office of the City Clerk, the following summary is approved by the City Council and shall be published in lieu of publishing the entire ordinance:

This ordinance changes the City definition of “family”.

**SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication according to law.

Passed by the City Council of the City of West St. Paul, Minnesota, this 25<sup>th</sup> day of January 2021.

Attest:

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David J. Napier, Mayor

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Shirley R Buecksler, City Clerk