

ORDINANCE NUMBER _____

ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY CODE OF ORDINANCES RELATING TO SECTIONS OF CHAPTER 42 “FIRE PREVENTION AND PROTECTION”, ARTICLE III “FIRE PREVENTION CODE”, SECTIONS 42-76 AND SECTION 42-77; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL; PROVIDING FOR RATIFICATION; PROVIDING PENALTY; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BAY CITY, TEXAS that the amendments are adopted as Amendments to Chapter 42, Article III, as shown on the attached Exhibit “A” in its Code of Ordinances.

Section 1. The Amendments are to be made to Chapter 42, Sections 42-77 ; Section 46-76 and Section 42-77, as shown on the attached Exhibit “A.” All insertions are made with blue colored letters and all deletions are shown in red.

Section 2: Other than as amended herein, all remaining sections of Chapter 42 remain in full force and effect. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3: All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 4: The City Secretary shall publish the caption or a descriptive title of this ordinance one time within 10 days after final passage of the ordinance in a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Bay City.

Section 5: It is the intention of the City Council that this ordinance shall become a part of the Code of the City of Bay City, Texas, and it may be renumbered and codified therein accordingly, in the manner approved by the City Attorney. The Code of the City of Bay City, Texas, as amended, shall remain in full force and effect, save and except as amended by this ordinance.

Section 6: Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor. In addition to any other remedy provided by law, the City and its officers shall have the right to enjoin any violation of this ordinance by injunction or civil remedy issued by a court of competent jurisdiction.

Section 7. That if any provision of this ordinance, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances, shall be held invalid or unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity shall not affect the other provisions, or application thereof, of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

Section 8: That the provisions of this ordinance shall become effective 10 days after final passage and approval by the City Council of the City of Bay City, Texas.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this 23rd day of July 2024.

Robert K. Nelson, Mayor
City of Bay City, Texas

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Jeanna Thompson, City Secretary
City of Bay City, Texas

Anne Marie Odefey, City Attorney

COUNCIL MEMBER	VOTED AYE	VOTED NO	ABSENT
James Folse	_____	_____	_____
Ben Flores	_____	_____	_____
Brad Westmoreland	_____	_____	_____
Becca Sitz	_____	_____	_____
Blayne Finlay	_____	_____	_____
Robert K. Nelson Mayor	_____	_____	_____

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EXHIBIT A