

ORDINANCE NO.

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY
OF BEAUMONT, CALIFORNIA,
ADDING CHAPTER 5.72 FOOD TRUCKS
TO THE BEAUMONT MUNICIPAL CODE**

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to regulate motorized, mobile vendors (food truck) activities in order to promote public health, safety and welfare while providing an opportunity for a variety of business activities in a non-traditional manner; and

WHEREAS, the City has proposed the addition of Chapter 5.72 “Food Trucks” to the Beaumont Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, duly noticed public hearings were conducted on this matter as required by law by the Planning Commission on February 26, 2022, and March 3, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission recommends that the City Council approve the proposed Municipal Code Chapter; and

WHEREAS, following the Planning Commission’s recommendation, the City Council has approved the addition of Chapter 5.72 “Food Trucks” to the Beaumont Municipal Code; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Beaumont has reviewed the reasons for the recommendation of approval by the Planning Commission as described above;

**THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEAUMONT DOES
HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

SECTION 1: The City Council hereby finds that the addition of Beaumont Municipal Code Chapter 5.72 “Food Trucks” is consistent with the adopted policies in the Beaumont Municipal Code and the General Plan of the City of Beaumont.

SECTION 2: The addition of Beaumont Municipal Code Chapter 5.72 “Food Trucks”, attached hereto as Exhibit "A", is hereby approved.

SECTION 3: The City Council finds that the actions contemplated by this Ordinance are exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") pursuant to 15061(b)(3), CEQA review is not required because there is no possibility that this Ordinance may have a significant effect upon the environment and the proposed additions constitute a minor alteration in a land use limitation under CEQA Guidelines Section 15305, and such a land use limitation is a permissible exercise of the City's zoning powers..

SECTION 4: This Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after its final passage and within fifteen (15) days after its passage the City Clerk shall cause a summary to be published in a newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in the City of Beaumont, in a manner prescribed by law for publishing of ordinances of said City.

MOVED AND PASSED upon first reading this 15th day of March, 2022, by the following roll call vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

MOVED, PASSED AND ADOPTED this 5th day of April, 2022, upon second reading by the following roll call vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

Lloyd White, Mayor

Attest: _____

Nicole Wheelwright, Deputy City Clerk

Approved as to form:

John O. Pinkney, City Attorney