

ORDINANCE NO. 579

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MANOR, TEXAS, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO CREATE THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE; PROVIDING FOR MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE AND ITS PURPOSE; PROVIDING FOR RELATED MATTERS.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Manor, Texas finds that it is reasonable and necessary to establish a Public Safety Committee to perform the functions set forth herein;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MANOR, TEXAS, THAT:

Section 1. Findings. The foregoing recitals are hereby found to be true and correct and are hereby adopted by the City Council and made a part hereof for all purposes as findings of fact.

Section 2. Public Safety Committee Established. Chapter 1 General Provisions, Article 1.05 of the City of Manor Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to add Division 5, entitled "Public Safety Committee", to read as follows:

Sec. 1.05.101. – Purpose

The Manor Public Safety Committee is hereby established to provide input on the programs and activities of the Police Department and other areas of public safety and to assist in bridging relationships between the local community and police, fire, and emergency medical services personnel.

Sec. 1.05.102. – Membership

The Committee shall be composed of five members as follows: The Mayor, two City Council members appointed by the City Council, the City Manager, and the Chief of Police.

Sec. 1.05.103. – Meetings

The Committee shall meet according to the schedule determined by the Committee and shall report its recommendations back to the City Council.

Secs. 1.05.104 – 1.05.120. – Reserved

Section 3. Amendment of Ordinances. The City of Manor Code of Ordinances is hereby amended as provided herein. In the event of a conflict or inconsistency between this ordinance and any other code or ordinance of the city, the terms and provisions of this ordinance shall govern.

Section 4. Severability. It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that the sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses and phrases of this Ordinance are severable and, if any phrase, sentence, paragraph or section of this Ordinance should be declared invalid by the final judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such invalidity shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this Ordinance, since the same would have been enacted by the City Council without the incorporation of this ordinance of any such invalid phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section. If any provision of this Ordinance shall be adjudged by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of this Ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision, and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable.

Section 5. Open Meetings. It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this ordinance is passed was open to the public as required and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, *Chapt. 551, Tex. Gov't. Code.*

Section 6. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage and publication in accordance with the provisions of the Texas Local Government Code.

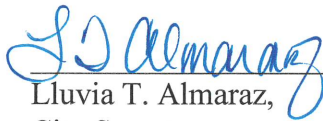
PASSED AND APPROVED on this 19th day of August 2020.

THE CITY OF MANOR, TEXAS



Dr. Larry Wallace Jr.
Mayor

ATTEST:



Luvia T. Almaraz,
City Secretary

