

Ordinance No. 1018

MEDINA CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MEDINA, WASHINGTON, ADOPTING NEW CHAPTER 5.10 TO THE MEDINA MUNICIPAL CODE TO ESTABLISH AND REGULATE PEDDLER AND SOLICITATION ACTIVITIES, PERMITTING PROCEDURES AND STANDARDS; REPEALING MEDINA'S EXISTING PEDDLER CODE; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, existing Medina Municipal Code (MMC) Chapter 5.12. contains outdated policies and procedures regarding peddler and solicitation activities; and

WHEREAS, the Medina Police Department currently enforces the peddler and solicitation regulations of the Town of Hunts Point and is familiar with the scope, procedures, and application of said regulations; and

WHEREAS, the Medina Police Department has requested that the City Council adopt and establish new and updated peddler and solicitation policies, procedures, standards, and criteria modeled on the Town of Hunts Point regulations to simplify and enhance the Department's public safety responsibilities and better serve the City and its resident's needs; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has duly considered **Exhibit A** to this Ordinance, comprising a new MMC Chapter 5.10 entitled Peddler and Solicitation Activities, which chapter closely mirrors the Town of Hunt's Point regulations, and finds that such regulations will enhance the ability of the Medina Police Department to address peddler and solicitation activities in Medina, benefitting the City and its residents.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MEDINA, WASHINGTON, DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Findings. The foregoing recitals are adopted as findings of fact in support of this Ordinance.

Section 2. Repeal of Existing MMC Ch. 5.12. MMC Chapter 5.12, originally adopted in 1988 to regulate peddlers and solicitors, is hereby repealed in its entirety.

Section 3. Adoption of New MMC Chapter 5.10. New MMC Chapter 5.10, entitled Peddler and Solicitation Activities, is hereby adopted into the Medina Municipal Code as set forth in attached **Exhibit A**, incorporated in full by this reference.

Section 4. Corrections. The City Clerk and codifiers of this Ordinance are authorized to make necessary corrections to this Ordinance, including but not limited to the correction of scrivener and clerical errors, references, ordinance numbering, section/subsection numbering and any references thereto.

Section 5. Severability. If any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, such invalidity shall not affect the validity or effectiveness of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

Section 6. Effective Date. This Ordinance or a summary thereof consisting of the title shall be published in the official newspaper of the City and shall take effect and be in full force five (5) days after such publication.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MEDINA ON THE 9th DAY OF JANUARY 2023 BY A VOTE OF ☒ FOR, ☒ AGAINST, AND ☒ ABSTAINING, AND IS SIGNED IN AUTHENTICATION OF ITS PASSAGE THE 9TH DAY OF JANUARY 2023.

Jessica Rossman, Mayor

Approved as to form:
Ogden Murphy Wallace, PLLC

Attest:

Scott M. Missall, City Attorney

Aimee Kellerman, City Clerk

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