

PALMER LAKE, COLORADO

ORDINANCE NO. 24 - 2023

**AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING A SIGN CODE AND REPEALING AND REPLACING
CHAPTER 17.76 OF THE TOWN OF PALMER LAKE TOWN CODE REGULATING
SIGNS WITHIN THE TOWN OF PALMER LAKE**

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Town of Palmer Lake, Colorado, pursuant to Colorado statute and the Palmer Lake Municipal Code, is vested with the authority of administering the affairs of the Town of Palmer Lake, Colorado;

WHEREAS, the Town had previously adopted regulations related to signage, with such regulations being contained in Chapter 14.50;

WHEREAS, recent developments in case law established a need for the Town's current sign code be amended in order to preserve the health, safety and general welfare of the citizens and businesses of Palmer Lake; and,

WHEREAS, following a moratorium on the submission of sign permit applications and erecting and installation of signs within the Town in order to draft an amended sign code, the Planning Commission reviewed and provided comments to the proposed sign code.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN BOARD OF
TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF PALMER LAKE AS FOLLOWS:**

1. Chapter 17.76 of Title 17 of the Town of Palmer Lake Town Code is hereby amended by repealing and replacing the entirety of Chapter 17.76 to read in its entirety as depicted on the attached Exhibit A.
2. Severability. If any article, section, paragraph, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is held to be unconstitutional or invalid for any reason such decision shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of the remaining portions of this Ordinance. The Board of Trustees hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance and each part or parts thereof irrespective of the fact that any one part or parts be declared unconstitutional or invalid.
3. Repeal. Existing ordinances or parts of ordinances covering the same matters embraced in this ordinance are hereby repealed and all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed except that this repeal shall not affect or prevent the prosecution or punishment of any person for any act done or committed in violation of any ordinance hereby repealed prior to the effective date of this ordinance.

INTRODUCED, PASSED AND ADOPTED AT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF PALMER LAKE ON THIS 14TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 2023.

ATTEST:

TOWN OF PALMER LAKE, COLORADO

Dawn A. Collins
Town Administrator, Clerk

BY: _____
Glant Havenar
Mayor