

PLAN COMMISSION MEETING

ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE to amend Municipal Code Section 10-1-7 to define falconry; to amend Sections 10-1-20, 10-1-21 and 10-1-22, the R-1, R-2 and R-3 Residential Zoning Districts to amend the regulations for agricultural land uses to include the keeping of a bird of prey as a conditional use; and to create Section 6-5-24, Licensing of Dogs and Regulation of Animals, to include a reference for keeping a bird of prey.

The Council of the City of Two Rivers ordains as follows:

SECTION 1. That Section 10-1-7C(1) of the Municipal Code shall hereby be amended as follows:

Falconry. The hunting of wild animals in their natural state and habitat by means of a trained bird of prey.

SECTION 2. That Section 10-1-20A(10)(a) of the Municipal Code shall hereby be amended as follows:

(a) Agriculture.

[1] Limited to dairy farms, horse farms, fruit and vegetable farms, greenhouses, plant nurseries, tree nurseries, the keeping of goats, ponies, rabbits, sheep, **and** more than six chickens and ducks, ***and a bird of prey used for falconry.***

[2] In considering the keeping of animals and birds, the plan commission and city council shall evaluate factors, such as, but not limited to, parcel size and location, number and size of animals and birds, location of structures such as cages, coops, pens, stables and fencing, odor control, animal waste management and conflicts with deed or covenant restrictions.

and to renumber subsequent sections as appropriate.

SECTION 3. That Section 10-1-21A(5)(a) of the Municipal Code shall hereby be amended as follows:

(a) Agriculture.

[1] Limited to dairy farms, horse farms, fruit and vegetable farms, greenhouses, plant nurseries, tree nurseries, the keeping of goats, ponies, rabbits, sheep, **and** more than six chickens and ducks, ***and a bird of prey used for falconry.***

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and to renumber subsequent sections as appropriate.

SECTION 4. That Section 10-1-22A(4)(a) of the Municipal Code shall hereby be amended as follows:

(a) Agriculture.

[1] Limited to dairy farms, horse farms, fruit and vegetable farms, greenhouses, plant nurseries, tree nurseries, the keeping of goats, ponies, rabbits, sheep, **and** more than six chickens and ducks, ***and a bird of prey used for falconry.***

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with deed or covenant restrictions.

and to renumber subsequent sections as appropriate.

SECTION 4. That Section 6-5-24 of the Municipal Code shall hereby be created as follows:

Sec. 6-5-24. Keeping a bird of prey.

No person shall keep an bird of prey, except as permitted by title 10 of this Code.

and to renumber subsequent sections as appropriate.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its date of passage and publication of same.

Dated this ____ day of _____, 2023.

Adam Wachowski
President, City Council

Gregory E. Buckley
City Manager

Attest:

Amanda Baryenbruch
City Clerk

Approved as to form and legality:

John M. Bruce
City Attorney