

STATE OF LOUISIANA
CITY OF WEST MONROE

ORDINANCE NO. _____

MOTION BY: _____

SECONDED BY: _____

AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE LIMITED TIME USE OF CROWD CONTROL BARRICADES WHICH ARE THEN CURRENTLY UNNEEDED IN EXCHANGE FOR A FAIR MARKET VALUE PAYMENT FOR THAT USE, AND SUBJECT TO OTHER TERMS, CONDITIONS, AND LIMITATIONS; AND TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, crowd control barricades (“barricades”) were purchased by the City of West Monroe (“CITY”) primarily for use by the West Monroe Police Department during parades, football games, the Ark-La-Miss fair, and other scheduled events within the City for which their use is essential; and

WHEREAS, others have requested use of those barricades from time-to-time, and as an accommodation to those persons a program has been developed which provides for such use as a secondary use to the needs of the City of West Monroe; and

WHEREAS, the program which is proposed will be a benefit to both the organizers and participants in area events, will assist the West Monroe Police Department and other local law enforcement agencies by allowing those barricades to be utilized, and such an arrangement will offset a portion of the purchase price and operating expenses of those barricades which are often idle and then un-needed by the City of West Monroe, Louisiana.

Section 1. BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, in regular and legal session convened, that the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, is authorized to enact the proposed program that allows use of crowd control barricades which is secondary to the use of those barricades by the City of West Monroe in exchange for a fair market value payment and subject to such other terms and provisions as are from time to time determined appropriate, but subject to the condition that each use of the barricades shall be pursuant to a written agreement and subject to its terms and provisions, with an example of such an agreement attached as Exhibit A.

Section 2. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, in regular and legal session convened, that Staci Albritton Mitchell, as Mayor of the City of West Monroe, Louisiana, is given the continuing authority to direct updates and modifications of the terms and provisions of that agreement as she determines to be either appropriate or beneficial, and to also update the then existing charges for the use of those barricades to a price determined by her as reasonable fair market value for such use, and

similarly to oversee the management of the program in such manner as she deems best for the City of West Monroe and its residents.

The above Ordinance was read and considered by Sections at a public meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, in regular and legal session convened, voted on by yea and nay vote, passed and adopted the 5th day of August, 2025, the final vote being as follows:

YEA: _____

NAY: _____

NOT VOTING: _____

ABSENT: _____

ATTEST:

APPROVED THIS 5TH DAY OF
AUGUST, 2025

ANDREA PATE, CITY CLERK
CITY OF WEST MONROE
STATE OF LOUISIANA

STACI ALBRITTON MITCHELL, MAYOR
CITY OF WEST MONROE
STATE OF LOUISIANA