

ORDINANCE NO. 499-2025

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF YOUNGSVILLE, LOUISIANA,
AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 12 “NUISANCES” ARTICLE IV
“JUNKED MOTOR VEHICLES”, SECTION 12-140 “DEFINITIONS” TO REVISE JUNKED
ITEMS.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Youngsville, Parish of Lafayette, Louisiana that:

WHEREAS the City Council of the City of Youngsville finds that it is in the interest of the public health, safety and welfare to prohibit the creation of any nuisance by the retention of various items which may cause or create a public health hazard and/or nuisance within the municipal limits of the City of Youngsville; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Youngsville desires to amend the Youngsville Code of Ordinances, Chapter 12 “*Nuisances*”, by renaming Article IV to read “JUNKED MOTOR VEHICLES, RECREATIONAL VEHICLES, ABANDONED MOBILE HOMES AND OTHER FORMS OF REFUSE”; and

WHEREAS, the City of Youngsville Code of Ordinances, Chapter 12, Section 12-140 be amended to expand the definition of “*Junked item*”.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Youngsville that:

SECTION 1: The aforescribed “WHEREAS” clauses are herein adopted as part of this ordinance.

SECTION 2: The City of Youngsville Code of Ordinances, Chapter 12, “*Nuisances*”, Article IV be renamed “JUNKED MOTOR VEHICLES, RECREATIONAL VEHICLES, ABANDONES MOBILE HOMES AND OTHER FORMS OF REFUSE”.

SECTION 3: The City of Youngsville Code of Ordinances, Chapter 12, Article IV, Section 12-140 “*Definitions*” be amended to include the following:

- (6) Abandoned recreational vehicles.
- (7) Abandoned recreational vehicles.
- (8) Abandoned mobile homes.
- (9) Furniture.
- (10) Other household furnishings.

SECTION 4: All Ordinances, or parts thereof, in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5: This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

This Ordinance having been introduced on April 10, 2025, and published by title only giving Notice of a Public Hearing on May 8, 2025, was submitted to a vote and the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS:

NAYS:

ABSTAINED:

ABSENT:

This Ordinance was declared adopted on this 8th day of May, 2025.

Ken Ritter, Mayor

Nicole Guidry, City Clerk