

ORDINANCE NO. 1508

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LLANO, TEXAS, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 70, OFFENSES AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS, BY REPEALING ARTICLE III, JUVENILE CURFEW; PROVIDING FOR A REPEALER CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; PROVIDING FOR PROPER NOTICE AND MEETING.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Texas Local Government Code § 51.001, the City Council of the City of Llano, Texas (“City Council”) has the authority to adopt, publish, amend or repeal an ordinance that is for the good government, peace or order of the City of Llano (“City”); and

WHEREAS, the City Council previously adopted juvenile curfew regulations in Chapter 70, Article III of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Llano; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Legislature passed H.B. 1819 during the 88th Legislative Session which prohibits cities and counties from adopting or enforcing an order, ordinance, or other measure that imposes a curfew on juveniles;

WHEREAS, in light of H.B. 1819 the City Council desires to repeal its current juvenile curfew regulations; and

WHEREAS, the City Council is of the opinion and finds that the adoption of this amendment to the City’s Code of Ordinances will promote the public health, safety, or general welfare;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LLANO, TEXAS, THAT:

I.

Chapter 70, Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions, Article III, Juvenile Curfew of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Llano, Texas is hereby repealed in its entirety.

II.

The provisions of this Ordinance shall be cumulative of all other ordinances or parts of ordinances governing or regulating the same subject matter as that covered herein; provided, however, that all prior ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby expressly repealed to the extent that such inconsistency is apparent.

III.

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the Ordinance. The City Council of the City of Llano hereby declares that it would have passed this Ordinance and each section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses, or phrases be declared unconstitutional or invalid.

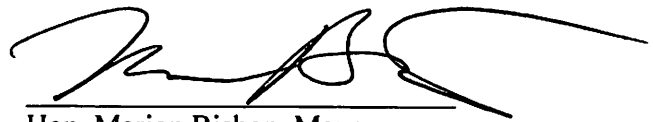
IV.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage and publication as may be required by governing law.

V.

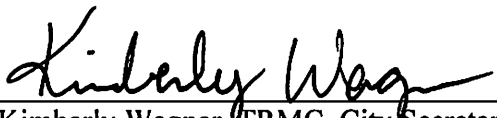
It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was passed was open to the public as required and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this the 18th day of September 2023.



Hon. Marion Bishop, Mayor
City of Llano, Texas

ATTEST:



Kimberly Wagner, TRMC, City Secretary
City of Llano, Texas