

CITY OF SEGUIN

AN ORDINANCE OF THE SEGUIN CITY COUNCIL AMENDING THE CITY OF SEGUIN CODE OF ORDINANCES CHAPTER 90, ARTICLE III, ADDING SECTION 90-67 "MAINTENANCE OF THE PARKWAY"; PROVIDING A PENALTY; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION OF THIS ORDINANCE; AND AUTHORIZING CITY STAFF TO SUBMIT THIS ORDINANCE AS A SUPPLEMENT TO THE SEGUIN CODE OF ORDINANCES

WHEREAS, the City of Seguin, through its ordinances, seeks to regulate the appearance of public areas, quality of life, and accessibility within the city limits;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Seguin:

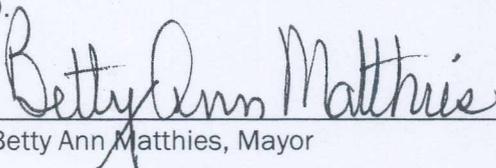
- 1. Chapter 90, Article III is amended by inserting the following new section 90-67:

"Maintenance of the parkway. It shall be the responsibility of a property owner to maintain the area between the property line and the curb line of adjacent streets and alleys, and where no curb exists, the area extending to the adjacent street or alley surface. It is an offense for a property owner to fail to maintain these areas. A property owner is entitled to written notice and ten (10) days to maintain the parkway before a citation is issued."

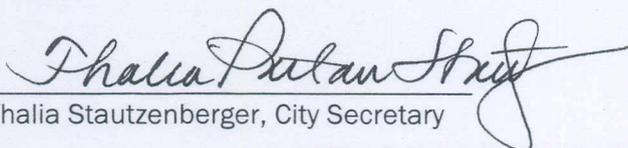
- 2. Violations of this Ordinance shall be punished in accordance with Section 1-14 of the City of Seguin Code of Ordinances, and the prosecution of such violations requires no proof of a culpable mental state.
- 3. In accordance with Section 3.10 of the Seguin City Charter, this Ordinance shall become effective upon ten (10) days following passage on second reading.
- 4. If any clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be deemed to be unenforceable for any reason, such unenforceable clause or provision shall be severed from the remaining portion of the Ordinance, which shall continue to have full force and effect.
- 5. City Staff is hereby authorized to submit this Ordinance for publication in a newspaper of general circulation.
- 6. City Staff is hereby authorized to submit this Ordinance as a supplement to the Seguin Code of Ordinances.

PASSED UPON FIRST READING on November 17, 2009.

PASSED UPON SECOND READING on December 1, 2009.


 Betty Ann Matthies, Mayor

ATTEST:


 Thalia Stautzenberger, City Secretary