

## ORDINANCE 1717

### AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 70-121 OF THE CITY CODE TO ALLOW THE PAINTING OF STREET ADDRESS ON CURBS

**WHEREAS**, a proposed amendment to Section 70-121 of the City Code of Poquoson, Virginia be amended by revising Section 70-121 to read as follows:

#### **Sec. 70-121. - Authority.**

Pursuant to Code of Virginia, § 15.2-2024, as amended, every house, building or structure within the city used or intended for use as living quarters or as a place for the conduct of a business and having a door or entrance facing or abutting any street, alley, or public place in the city shall have displayed, above or near such door or entrance, in legible, easily read characters, the proper street number for such house, building or structure. However, if such door or entrance is not visible or is more than 100 feet from the street, alley, or public place, the street number shall be displayed at the principal entrance to the property on which the house, building, or structure is placed.

**Additionally, where curb and gutter are present, street numbers may be applied by the City upon request of the homeowner in accordance with City policy. Street numbers will be applied only to the curb three feet from the entrance to the property and in compliance with the City policy available from the office of the Department of Community Development. An installation fee of \$25.00 shall be charged with each application. This fee will be adjusted annually beginning on July 1, 2023, if necessary, to reflect the consumer price index as determined by the Federal Government rounded to the next dollar.**

**WHEREAS**, careful and thorough consideration was given the proposed amendments:

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the City Council of the City of Poquoson, Virginia:

**Section 1:** That the proposal pertaining to Section 70-121 of the City Code of Poquoson, VA hereby be approved.

**Section 2:** That this ordinance shall be in effect on or after its adoption.

ADOPTED: August 8, 2022

