

**TOWN OF FLOWER MOUND, TEXAS**

**ORDINANCE NO. 40-23**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FLOWER MOUND, TEXAS, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, TOWN OF FLOWER MOUND, TEXAS, CHAPTER 50 "OFFENSES", ARTICLE III. "OFFENSES REGARDING MINORS", DIVISION 2. "CURFEW", IN ITS ENTIRETY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the 88<sup>th</sup> Texas Legislature passed HB 1819 wherein the legislature prohibited political subdivisions from enforcing any rule or ordinance that limits, with the exception of certain emergencies, the movement of a child under 18 years of age; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Flower Mound's curfew ordinance has been on the books for twenty -two years, and,

**WHEREAS**, now that the Ordinance can no longer be enforced there is no reason to keep the regulations in the Code of Ordinances, Town of Flower Mound, Texas;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FLOWER MOUND, TEXAS, THAT:**

**SECTION 1**

The Code of Ordinances, Town of Flower Mound, Texas, Chapter 50, "Offenses", is amended by repealing Article III. "Offenses Regarding Minors", Division 2. "Curfew", in its entirety.

**SECTION 2**

All ordinances and resolutions or parts of ordinances or resolutions in conflict with this ordinance are repealed.

**DULY PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FLOWER MOUND, TEXAS, BY A VOTE OF 5 TO 0, ON THIS THE 2<sup>ND</sup> DAY OF OCTOBER, 2023.**

**APPROVED:**

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**Derek France, MAYOR**

**ATTEST:**

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**Theresa Scott, TOWN SECRETARY**