

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-05

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2008-09, HEREBY ADDING PROVISIONS GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE FARMINGTON CITY COUNCIL TO WAIVE GARAGE SALE PERMIT FEES FOR CERTAIN SPECIFIC TIMES, THEREBY ENCOURAGING CITY-WIDE GARAGE SALE DATES, WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF FARMINGTON, ARKANSAS

WHEREAS, the Farmington City Council has determined that a permit to conduct a sale of personal property from a yard, garage or carport should be required from each property owner or lessee, whether it is an individual or several persons participating in a neighborhood sale.

WHEREAS, the Council desires the authority to waive said fees during certain specific dates to encourage city-wide garage sales in Farmington.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FARMINGTON, ARKANSAS THAT:

Section 1: Section one (1) of Ordinance 2008-09 should be and is hereby amended to add the following provision:

- a) The Farmington City Council may waive the \$10.00 garage sale permit fee for certain specific dates each year as the Council sees fit. The Council must approve, by a majority vote, the waiver of said permit fees for these specific times. The Council acknowledges the waiver of the permit fees during these times is done for the purpose to encourage city-wide garage sales.

Section 2: Repealing Clause. All other ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3: Severability Clause. In the event any part of this Ordinance is declared inoperative or invalid as a result of a statute or judicial decision, then only that portion expressly so declared to be inoperative or invalid shall be affected thereby and all other provisions hereof shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 4: Emergency Clause. That the City Council of the City of Farmington, Arkansas determines that this Ordinance is necessary to treat all citizens fairly when and creates the ability to for the Council to waive permit fees to encourage city-wide garage sales; therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

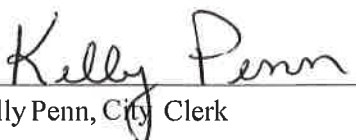
PASSED AND APPROVED this 10th day of April 2023.

APPROVED:

By: 

Ernie Penn, Mayor

ATTEST:

By: 
Kelly Penn, City Clerk