

Ordinance No. 2024-20
Village of Salado
County of Bell
September 5, 2024

ORDINANCE NO. 2024-20

AN ORDINANCE OF THE VILLAGE OF SALADO, TEXAS, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2002.20; AMENDING THE SIGN APPLICATION FEE, AND PROVIDING FINDINGS OF FACT; EFFECTIVE DATE; REPEALER; SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROPER NOTICE AND MEETING.

WHEREAS, the Village of Salado, Texas (the “Village”) is a general law municipality in the state of Texas; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Texas Local Government Code § 51.012, the Board of Aldermen (the “Board”) of the Village of Salado, Texas (the “Village”) is authorized by law to adopt an ordinance, not inconsistent with state law, that it considers necessary for the government, interest, welfare, or good order of the Village as a body politic; and

WHEREAS, the Board enacted Ordinance No. 2002.20, which provides for filing application fees pursuant to the Village’s Sign Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Board has determined that it is in the best interest of the citizens of the Village to amend Ordinance 2002.20 as follows.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE VILLAGE OF SALADO, TEXAS:

SECTION I. ENACTMENT PROVISIONS

- A. Findings of Fact:** All of the above premises are hereby found to be true and correct legislative and factual findings of the Village of Salado and are hereby approved and incorporated into the body of this ordinance as if copied in their entirety.
- B. Popular Name:** This Ordinance shall be commonly referred to as “The Sign Application Fee Ordinance”
- C. Scope:** This Ordinance, and the rules and regulations adopted herein, shall apply generally within the Village limits.
- D. Effective Date:** This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage and publication.

SECTION II. ADOPTION

Ordinance No. 2024-20 is hereby adopted as follows:

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated into this Ordinance by reference as findings of fact as if expressly set forth herein.

Section 2. Ordinance No. 2002.20 is amended as follows:

1. The fee for filing applications for a sign permit under the Village's Sign Ordinance (Ordinance No. 2018-10) is hereby set at \$200.00, which includes fees associated with structural and/or electrical inspection and review.
2. The fee for re-inspection of signs is a separate fee of \$95.00.

SECTION III. SAVINGS CLAUSE

The repeal of any ordinance or part of ordinances effectuated by the enactment of this ordinance shall not be construed as abandoning any action now pending under or by virtue of such ordinance or as discontinuing, abating, modifying, or altering any penalty accruing or to accrue, or as affecting any rights of the Village under any section or provisions of any ordinances at the time of passage of this ordinance.

SECTION IV. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision, section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance, or the application of the same to any person or set of circumstances is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, void, invalid, or unenforceable, the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance or its application to other persons or sets of circumstances shall not be affected thereby, it being the intent of the Board of Aldermen of the Village of Salado in adopting, and of the Mayor in approving this Ordinance, that no portion thereof or provision or regulation contained herein shall be come inoperative or fail by reason of any unconstitutionality or invalidity of any portion, provision or regulation.

SECTION V. REPEALER CLAUSE

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. This Ordinance shall not be construed to require or allow any act which is prohibited by any other Ordinance.

SECTION VI. EFFECTIVE DATE

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

SECTION VII. NOTICE AND MEETING CLAUSE

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

SECTION VIII. PUBLICATION

This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon the date of its publication as required by Section 52.011 of the Texas Local Government Code. The Village Secretary is hereby directed to cause the caption of this Ordinance to be published in the manner required by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED this, the 5 day of September, 2024, by a vote of 4 (ayes) to 0 (nays) and 0 abstentions vote of the Board of Aldermen of the Village of Salado, Texas.


Bert Henry, Mayor

ATTEST:


Debbie Bean, Village Secretary

Approved to Form:

Josh Katz, Village Attorney