Ordinance No. 2020-22

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE ADOPTING AND ENACTING AND RECODIFYING A CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR THE CITY OF BLACKWELL, OKLAHOMA, TO BE KNOWN AS THE BLACKWELL MUNICIPAL CODE 2020, ESTABLISHING THE SAME; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF CERTAIN ORDINANCES NOT INCLUDED THEREIN; PROVIDING FOR THE MANNER OF AMENDING AND SUPPLEMENTING SUCH CODE; PROVIDING FOR PUBLISHING THE TITLE OF EACH CHAPTER AND A CONDENSED LIST OR SUMMARY OF THEIR CONTENT AND AUTHORITY; PROVIDING FOR AN EMERGENCY.

EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLACKWELL, OKLAHOMA:

- Section 1: That the Code of Ordinances consisting of Chapters 1 to 28, including certain Appendixes, each inclusive, is hereby adopted and enacted as the "Blackwell Municipal Code 2020" (hereinafter the "Code"), which Code shall supersede all general and permanent ordinances of the City adopted on or before the effective date of this ordinance, to the extent provided in Section 2 hereof.
- Section 2: That all provisions of such Code shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of this ordinance's publication, and all ordinances of a general and permanent nature of the City adopted on final passage on or before the effective date of this ordinance, and not included in such Code or recognized and continued in force by reference therein, are hereby repealed from and after the effective date of this Code.
- Section 3: That the repeal provided for in Section 2 hereof shall not be construed to revive any ordinance or part thereof that has been repealed by a subsequent ordinance which is repealed by this Ordinance.
- Section 4: That unless another penalty is expressly provided, a violation of any provision of such Code, or any provisions of any rule or regulation adopted or issued pursuant thereto, shall be punished by a fine not to exceed Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), fees, court costs, state assessments and other proper charges as provided by the Code.
- Section 5: That any and all additions and amendments to such Code, when passed in such form as to indicate the intention of the governing body to make the same a part of such Code, shall be deemed to be incorporated in such Code so that reference to such Code shall be understood and intended to include such additions and amendments.
- Section 6: That in case of the amendment of any section of such Code for which a penalty is not provided, the general penalty as provided in Section 4 of this ordinance shall apply to the section as amended, or in case such amendment contains provisions for which a penalty, other than the aforementioned general penalty is provided in another section in the same chapter, the penalty so provided in such other section shall be held to relate to the section so amended, unless such penalty is specifically repealed therein.
- Section 7: Any ordinance adopted after the effective date of this ordinance, which amends or refers to ordinances which have been codified in such Code, shall be construed as if they amend or refer to like provisions of such Code.

Section 8: The continuance in effect of temporary and/or special ordinances, although omitted from this Code, shall not be affected by such omission therefrom; and the adoption of this Code shall not repeal or amend any such ordinance or part of such ordinance omitted therefrom. Among the temporary and/or special ordinances or taxing ordinances not repealed or amended by this Code, are the following: Ordinances relating to special paving or sewer districts and special assessments; sales taxes, use taxes, excise taxes; vacating, opening and dedicating specific streets and alleys; relating to specific bond issues; annexing territory to, or excluding it from, the City; zoning ordinances for specific tracts of land; adoption or amendment of pension plans; relating to grade and alignment of specific streets; granting railroad use of specific streets and alleys; naming, or changing the name of specific streets and alleys; abating special nuisances; and all other temporary and/or special ordinances. Ordinances granting franchises shall not be repealed or amended by the adoption of this Code.

Section 9: That the title of each chapter is attached hereto and published with this ordinance.

Section 10: This ordinance and the codification of this Code is authorized by Title 11, Sections 14-101 through 111 of the Oklahoma Statutes, as amended.

Section 11: Whereas, it being immediately necessary for the preservation of the peace, health and safety and public good of the City of Blackwell, and the inhabitants thereof, and that the City recodify its Code according to state law, that the provisions of this Ordinance by put into full force and effect; therefore this Ordinance is in full force and effect, and this Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect upon its publication.

Passed and approved on this 19th day of November 2020.

THE CITY OF BLACKWELL, OKLAHOMA

Stephen Marquardt, Mayor

Approved as to Content:

Janet Smith, City Manager

(Seal) ATTEST:

Traci Hanebrink, City Clerk

Approved as to Form and Legality:

TITLE AND GIST OF EACH CHAPTER IN THE BLACKWELL MUNICIPAL CODE 2020

CHAPTER 1 - GENERAL PROVISIONS

GIST: GENERAL PROVISIONS CONCERNING THE GOVERNMENT

CHAPTER 2 – ADMINISTRATION

GIST: DESCRIBES THE CITY COUNCIL, ITS OFFICERS AND DEPARTMENTS

CHAPTER 3 - RESERVED

CHAPTER 4 - ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

GIST: REGULATING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE SALES IN THE CITY AND ALCOHOL OFFENSES

CHAPTER 5 - RESERVED

CHAPTER 6 ANIMALS

GIST: THE REGULATION OF ANIMALS

CHAPTER 7 - RESERVED

CHAPTER 8 - BUILDING AND BUILDING REGULATIONS

CHAPTER 9 – INSTITUTIONAL CONTROL ORDINANCE

GIST: REGULATION CERTAIN DEVELOPMENT

CHAPTER 10 - EMERGENCY SERVICES

GIST: REGULATIONS GOVERNING E911 AND EMS

CHAPTER 11 – HEALTH AND SAFETY

GIST: REGULATIONS CONCERNING CONTAGIOUS DISEASES

CHAPTER 12 - FIRE PREVENTION

GIST: PROVIDING FOR REGULATIONS CONCERNING THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY AND FIREWORKS AND OTHER FLAMMABLE ACTIVITIES

CHAPTER 13 – RESERVED

CHAPTER 14 - LICENSES AND MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS REGULATIONS

GIST: PROVIDING FOR CERTAIN LICENSES, REGULATION OF BUSINESSES AND CABLE FRANCHISE

CHAPTER 15 - RESERVED

CHAPTER 16- MUNICIPAL COURT

GIST: PROVIDING FOR THE MUNICIPAL COURT NOT OF RECORD AND LAWS UNDER WHICH THE COURT WILL OPERATE

CHAPTER 17 - RESERVED

CHAPTER 18 – NUSANCES

GIST: ORDINANCES GOVERNING WEEDS, TRASH, DILAPIDATED HOUSING, NUISANCES AND OTHER MATTERS

CHAPTER 19 - RESERVED

CHAPTER 20 - OFFENSES AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

GIST: PROVIDING FOR OFFENSES AND PENALTIES FOR CRIMINAL ACTIVITY

CHAPTER 21 RESERVED

CHAPTER 22 - STREETS AND SIDEWALKS

GIST: REGULATIONS REGARDING TREES, OBSTRUCTIONS, STREETS, SIDEWALKS AND EASEMENTS

CHAPTER 23 -RESERVED

CHAPTER 24 – TAXATION

GIST: THE REGULATIONS GOVERNING TAXATION IN THE CITY

CHAPTER 25 RESERVED

CHAPTER 26 TRAFFIC

GIST: TRAFFIC REGULATIONS

CHAPTER 27 RESERVED

CHAPTER 28 – UTILITIES

GIST: ORDINANCES GOVERNING THE UTILITY SYSTEMS

APPENDIX A - SALES TAX ORDINANCES

APPENDIX B - FINE AND BOND SCHEDULE