

ORDINANCE NO. 1566

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL AMENDING CHAPTER XIV, ANIMALS, DIVISION 1, GENERALLY, SECTION 14-102 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF LLANO; PROVIDING FOR A REPEALER CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; PROVIDING FOR PROPER NOTICE AND MEETING.

WHEREAS, City Staff prepared and submitted to the City Council a suggested amendment to the City's Animal Control Ordinance designated to bring to the City of Llano a high degree of understanding, cooperation, efficiency, and unity through systematic, uniform application of modern animal control practices; and

WHEREAS, said amendment would repeal a portion of the City's regulations regarding unlawful restraint of animals and rely upon Sections 821.101, 821.102, 821.103, and 821.104 of the Texas Health and Safety Code for future restraint of animal violations; and

WHEREAS, the City Council is of the opinion and finds that the adoption of this amendment to the City's ordinances will promote the public health, safety, or general welfare;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LLANO, TEXAS, THAT:

I.

Chapter XIV, Animals, Division 1, General, Section 14-102 (4) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Llano, Texas is hereby repealed in its entirety.

II.

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or parts of ordinances inconsistent or in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby expressly repealed to the extent that such inconsistency is apparent.

III.

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the Ordinance. The City Council of the City of Llano hereby declares that it would have passed this Ordinance and each section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses, or phrases be declared unconstitutional or invalid.

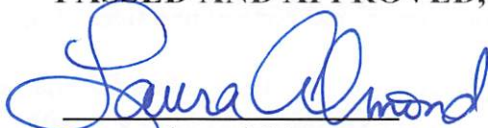
IV.

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

V.

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

PASSED AND APPROVED, this 21st day of July 2025.



Laura Almond, Mayor



Kim Wagner, TRMC, CPM, City Secretary