

NOTICE OF INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following entitled ordinance was introduced in writing in the form required for adoption at a meeting of the Parish Council of the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana, on August 8, 2019, and laid over for publication of notice and was then **DEFERRED on September 12, 2019 until Thursday, September 26, 2019 at a regular meeting of the Livingston Parish Council:**

L.P. ORDINANCE NO. 19-26

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ARTICLE I, "IN GENERAL", OF CHAPTER 2, "ADMINISTRATION", OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF LIVINGSTON PARISH, BY ADDING SECTION 2-25, "FALSIFYING AND MISREPRESENTATION OF PERMIT APPLICATIONS", BY ESTABLISHING PENALTIES AND REVOCATION THEREOF.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that the Parish Council of said Parish will meet on **Thursday, September 26, 2019, at six-thirty (6:30) p.m.**, at the Parish Council Chambers, 20355 Government Boulevard, Livingston, Louisiana, **at which time there will be a public hearing on the adoption of the aforesaid ordinance.**

/s/ Sandy C. Teal
Sandy C. Teal, Council Clerk

/s/ Shane Mack
Shane Mack, Council Chairman

(As per rules of the Council, copies of the proposed ordinance shall be made available for public inspection in the Office of the Livingston Parish Council.)

The following ordinance, which was previously introduced in written form required for adoption at a regular meeting of the Parish Council on August 8, 2019, a summary thereof having been published in the Official Journal together with a notice of Public Hearing which was held in accordance with said Public Notice was brought up for final passage September 26, 2019, on Motion of Maurice "Scooter" Keen and seconded by Garry "Frog" Talbert:

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WHEREAS, the Livingston Parish Council desires and finds it necessary to establish penalties for falsifying and the misrepresentation of information of Livingston Parish Permit applications and;

WHEREAS, upon the discovery of falsifying and misrepresentation of information purposely and willfully made on Livingston Parish Permit applications, the Livingston Parish Administration will cause said permit to be pulled and revoked;

WHEREAS, the Livingston Parish Council now finds it imperative to adopt an ordinance to establish regulations and penalties for the submission of fraudulent Permit applications;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the governing authority of the Parish of Livingston, State of Louisiana: The Code of Ordinances of Livingston Parish, Article I, "In General" of Section 2-25, "**Falsifying and Misrepresentation of Permit Applications**", is hereby added to Chapter 2, "Administration", to read as follows:

Section 2-25 Falsifying and Misrepresentation of Permit Applications

No person, company, business or applicant shall falsify or misrepresent information given on any Livingston Parish Permit application.

Upon the discovery that the applicant falsified knowledge and misleadingly submitted information on a Permit application, the Livingston Parish Administration will cause said Permit to be pulled and revoked. These projects shall be issued a "cease and desist order" by the Livingston Parish Administration and applicant must start permitting process from the beginning.

Any violation of this ordinance is subject to a fine up to five hundred dollars (\$500.00) per violation.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed. If any provision of this ordinance shall be held to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions herein which can be given effect without the invalid provision and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable.

This ordinance having been submitted to a vote; the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: MR. TALBERT, MR. MACK, MR. LOBELL, MR. HARRIS, MR. AVERETT, MR. ARD, MR. KEEN, MR. GIRLINGHOUSE

NAYS: MR. WASCOM

ABSENT: NONE

ABSTAIN: NONE

And the ordinance was declared adopted AS AMENDED on the 26th day of September 2019.

Shane Mack, Council Chairman

ATTEST:

Sandy C. Teal, Council Clerk

INTRODUCED _____ ADOPTED _____

DELIVERED TO PRESIDENT _____, _____ o'clock ____ M.

APPROVED BY PRESIDENT _____

Layton Ricks Date

VETOED BY PRESIDENT _____

Layton Ricks Date

RECEIVED FROM PRESIDENT _____, _____ o'clock ____ M.