

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF CITY COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF WAURIKA, JEFFERSON COUNTY, STATE OF OKLAHOMA, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF WAURIKA, TITLE 6, POLICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY, CHAPTER 6 ANIMAL CONTROL, SECTION 6-6-5 F KEEPING ANIMALS, TO PROVIDE THAT HORSES, SHEEP, AND CATTLE MAY ONLY BE KEPT WITHIN THE CITY ON LAND ZONED A- GENERAL AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT; PROVIDING FOR REPEALER; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF CITY COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF WAURIKA, OKLAHOMA:

**SECTION 1.** That Title 6, Police and Public Safety, Chapter 6, Animal Control, Section 6-6-5 F. Livestock and Fowl, is hereby renamed "Livestock" and is amended and shall hereinafter read as follows:

**6-6-5: KEEPING ANIMALS:**

**F. Livestock:** Consistent with provisions of the City's existing or future Zoning Ordinances, the keeping or raising of horses, sheep, and cattle shall only be permitted within the City on premises zoned A-General Agricultural District and as long as the premises are maintained in accordance with the provisions of subsection D of this section and State and County Health Department requirements and standards. Additional restrictions on the raising and/or keeping of animals may be imposed by the Zoning Ordinances without conflicting with this subsection.

**SECTION 2.** The remaining portion of Section 6-6-5 shall be unchanged by this Ordinance.

**SECTION 3. Repealer** All ordinances or parts thereof which are inconsistent with this ordinance are repealed upon effective date of this ordinance.

**SECTION 4. Severability.** If any section, sub-section, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this Ordinance is, for any reason, held invalid or unconstitutional by any Court of competent jurisdiction, said portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision and such holdings shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

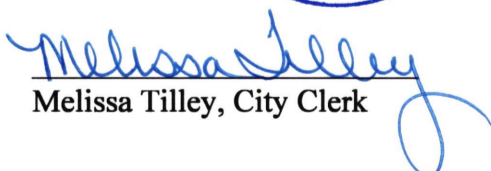
**SECTION 5. Emergency.** It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public, health, peace and safety of the City of Waurika and the inhabitants thereof, an emergency is hereby declared to exist by reason whereof this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately from and after its passage, approval as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Mayor and Board of City Commissioners of the City of Waurika, Oklahoma, this 11<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2022.



Attest:

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Melissa Tilley, City Clerk

  
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Mayor Bill Everett  
Vice Mayor, Jacob Eck