

ORDINANCE NO. 290-91

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 1, GENERAL PROVISIONS, OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF WILLOW PARK, TEXAS RELATING TO THE IMPOSITION OF FEES FOR PERSONS OR ENTITIES REQUESTING SPECIAL OR EMERGENCY MEETINGS OF THE CITY COUNCIL OR OTHER CITY BOARDS AND ENTITIES; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILLOW PARK, TEXAS;

I.

Chapter 1, General Provisions of the Code of Ordinances, City of Willow Park, Texas, is hereby amended by adding the following Section 18, which is to read as follows:

SECTION 18: FEES FOR SPECIAL OR CALLED MEETINGS

A. Fee.

For any Special or called meetings of the City Council or any City Board or Commission, requested, or for the special benefit of any citizen, group or entity, such citizen, group or entity shall first pay to the City the sum of \$300.00 and agree to reimburse the City for any special costs associated with such special meeting. These costs shall include but not be limited to all professional fees, if necessary, and any associated costs of publication or other preparation for such meeting.

B. Waiver.

Upon the petition of any such citizen, group or organization, the City Council, prior to such meeting or within 30 days thereafter if such is not practicable, may waive all or part of such fee by majority vote.

II.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed.

III.

Should any section, clause or provision of this ordinance be declared by a court of

competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the same shall nor affect the validity of this Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof, other than the part so declared to be invalid.

IV.

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and publication as required by law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this the 18th day of June, 1991.

APPROVED:

Sharon Riley Suarez

SHARON SUAREZ, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kathy Mitchell

City Secretary

APPROVED

Walter W. Leonard

WALTER W. LEONARD, City Attorney