

ORDINANCE NO. 210

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 166, WHICH REQUIRED THE MAYOR OR DEPARTMENT HEADS TO INFORM CITY COUNCIL OF ANY DECISIONS TO HIRE OR TERMINATE CITY EMPLOYEES; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, the City Council of Goshen has previously adopted Ordinance No. 166, which required the Mayor or department heads to inform City Council of any decisions to hire or terminate city employees, and now desires to amend said ordinance for clarification purposes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF GOSHEN, ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Section 1 of Ordinance No. 166 is amended in its entirety and replaced with the following:

“That the City Council recognizes and acknowledges the certain rights afforded the Mayor and department heads to hire or terminate city employees. However, the City Council requires that it be informed by the Mayor or department heads of any decision to hire or terminate a city employee before said decision is implemented.”

SECTION 2. REPEALER

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of the conflict.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE


It is hereby found and determined that an amendment to the prior ordinance regarding informing the City Council of any decisions to hire or terminate city employees is needed to protect the City of Goshen; that an emergency exists and this Ordinance, being necessary for the immediate protection of the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Goshen, Arkansas, shall be in effect immediately upon its passage, approval and publication.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 10th day of January, 2023.



Russell Stroud, Mayor

Attest:


City Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Brian C. Hogue, City Attorney

ROLL CALL

Names of those voting YEA

Paula Anderson
John Vaillancourt
Birch Wright
Jamie Van Becelaere
Shawn Mayfield

Names of those voting NAY

Colton Martin

Absent

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