

ORDINANCE No. 14-006

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEON VALLEY, TEXAS, AMENDING THE CITY OF LEON VALLEY'S CODE OF ORDINANCES, APPENDIX A – FEE SCHEULE, ARTICLE A9.003 – ADDING TO AND ASSESSING FEE AMOUNT TO MISCELLANEOUS FIRE DEPARTMENT FEES, TO INCLUDE FEES ASSOCIATED WITH THE DISCHARGE OF FIREWORKS; PUBLIC FIREWORKS DISPLAY PERMIT APPLICATION FEE, AND FIRE INSPECTOR FEE.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEON VALLEY, TEXAS:

Sec. A9.003 Miscellaneous fire department fees are amended to add:

- (h) Public fireworks display permit application fee - \$50
- (i) Fire Inspector Fee - \$40 per hour

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Leon Valley this the 12th day of May, 2014.

APPROVED



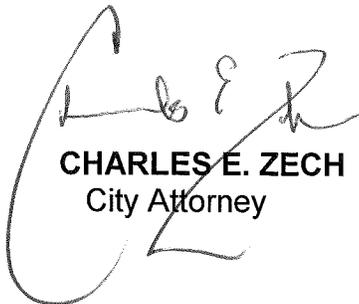
CHRIS RILEY
MAYOR

Attest:



SAUNDRA PASSAILAIGUE, TRMC
City Secretary

Approved as to Form:



CHARLES E. ZECH
City Attorney



Item 11

MAYOR AND COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

M&C # 05-05-14

DATE: MAY 12, 2014

TO: MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

SUBJECT: AMENDING THE CITY OF LEON VALLEY'S CODE OF ORDINANCES, APPENDIX A – FEE SCHEULE, ARTICLE A9.003 – ADDING TO AND ASSESSING FEE AMOUNT TO MISCELLANEOUS FIRE DEPARTMENT FEES, TO INCLUDE FEES ASSOCIATED WITH THE DISCHARGE OF FIREWORKS; PUBLIC FIREWORKS DISPLAY PERMIT APPLICATION FEE AND FIRE INSPECTOR FEE.

PURPOSE

This agenda item is intended to amend City ordinance Appendix A – Fee Schedule, A9.003 – Miscellaneous Fire Department Fees, and establish a fifty dollar (\$50) fee for a *public fireworks display* permit application, and a fee for *fire inspector* of forty dollars (\$40) per hour. This will allow for the permitted use of fireworks during holidays and special events, such as the 4th of July Celebration.

The current city ordinance does not have any fees associated with a public fireworks display or a fee for fire inspector.

This action would create a means to regulate displays of fireworks in the city limits. This action by City Council serves to address the approved Strategic Goals for 2013-2014; specifically item 5 (d), "Leverage existing 4th of July activity to promote Leon Valley".

FISCAL IMPACT

None

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends approval.

S.E.E. IMPACT STATEMENT

SOCIAL EQUITY— *The proposed change works to create a safe environment for all residents to view fireworks.*

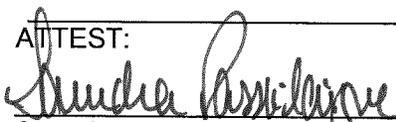
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT—*The proposed change works to enhance events in the City, to include local businesses, which may encourage attendance.*

ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP— *Regulated displays of fireworks discourages illegal and dangerous displays which leads to fire damage and destruction of property.*

APPROVED: _____ ✓ _____ DISAPPROVED: _____

APPROVED WITH THE FOLLOWING AMENDMENTS: _____

ATTEST: _____



Sandra Passailaigue, TRMC
City Secretary