

ORDINANCE NO. 1063

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR AND REQUIRING THE NUMBERING OF RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL BUILDINGS LOCATED IN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF STAFFORD, KANSAS AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Governing Body of the City of Stafford Kansas:

SECTION 1. For purposes of identification and as an assist to emergency personnel, all residences and commercial businesses or buildings within the corporate limits of the City of Stafford shall display numbers on the outside of the buildings as designated in their legal address.

SECTION 2. The numbering shall be done under and in accordance with the following system:

- (a) New and existing buildings shall have approved address numbers, building numbers or approved building identification placed in a position that is plainly legible and visible from the street or road fronting the property.
- (b) These numbers shall contrast with their background.
- (c) Address numbers shall be Arabic Numerals or Alphabet Letters.
- (d) Numbers shall be a minimum of four (4) inches (102mm) high with a minimum stroke width of 0.5 inches (12.7 mm).
- (e) After said ordinance is passed the following timeline will take place:

By January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2021: Home and Business Owners may turn in their address on a form prepared by city staff to the City Office and the City of Stafford will provide the numbers free of charge.

By February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2021: Home and Business Owners will purchase their own address numbers.

By March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2021: Any owner, person, or firm, corporation, association, organization or entity convicted of violating the provisions of the Ordinance shall be fined a sum of \$5.00 per day until they have complied with said ordinance.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect after its passage, approval and publication one time in the official city newspaper.

Passed and approved by the Governing Body this 23<sup>rd</sup>, day of November, 2020.

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Julie Lyon, Mayor

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_

Jami Downing, City Administrator