

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF "CENTERVILLE" GEORGIA AMENDING CITY ORDINANCE, CHAPTER 2, "Administration, Article VII Finance, Division 2 Budget, Sections 2-404(b & c) Action by Council on Budget & 2-405 Changes in Appropriations," PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the City of Centerville may, as allowed by the Georgia Constitution and the Laws of the State of Georgia and as authorized by City Code Section 1-5(b) "Amendments to Code", amend the Centerville Code of Ordinances; and

WHEREAS, the City of Centerville recently re-codified the City Code of Ordinances; and

WHEREAS, there are two errors in the language of Chapter 2, Article VII Division 2, Sections 2-404(b & c) and 2-405 governing the budget adoption process and changes in appropriations to wit: 1, both sections require adoption or change by Ordinance when the procedure for taking these actions has always been accomplished by Resolution; then

THEREFORE, be it ordained that the current Chapter 2, "Budget," of the Centerville Code of Ordinances is amended by replacing the word "Ordinance" in Section 2-404(b & c) and Section 2-405 with the word "Resolution" as follows:

Sec. 2-404. - Action by city council on budget.

(a)

The city council may amend the proposed operating budget submitted by the city administrator. However, the budget as finally amended and adopted must provide for all expenditures required by state law or by other provisions of this Code and for all debt service requirements for the ensuing fiscal year. Moreover, the total appropriations from any funds shall not exceed the estimated fund balance, reserves, and revenues.

(b)

The city council by ~~ordinance~~ resolution shall adopt a final operating budget for the ensuing fiscal year, no later than the regular scheduled June council meeting for each year. If the city council fails to adopt the budget on or before the date set out herein, the amounts appropriated for operation for the current fiscal year shall be deemed adopted for the ensuing fiscal year on a month-to-month basis, with all items prorated accordingly until such time as the city council adopt a budget for the ensuing fiscal year. If the city is operating on a tentative budget, then the city council may not make any capital purchases or other such expenditures until a new budget is agreed upon and formally adopted. Notice of any or all meetings at which the budget is adopted shall be given as provided by state law.

(c)

Adoption of the budget shall take the form of an appropriations ~~ordinance~~ resolution setting out the estimated revenues in detail by sources and making appropriations according to fund and by organizational unit, purpose, or activity as set out in the budget preparation ordinance adopted pursuant to this division and the city charter.

(d)

The amount set out in the adopted operating budget for each organizational unit shall constitute the annual appropriation for same, and no expenditures shall be made or any encumbrance created in excess of the otherwise encumbered balance of the appropriations or allotment thereof to which it is chargeable unless the budget is

amended and such excess expenditure approved by the city council. In addition, the city council shall not make any appropriations in excess of any estimated revenue, except to provide for an actual emergency threatening the health, property, or lives, safety, or general welfare of the inhabitants of the city, which emergency shall be declared by the affirmative vote of three members of the council.

Sec. 2-405. - Changes in appropriations.

The city council may by ordinance ~~resolution~~ make changes in the appropriations contained in the adopted operating budget, at any regular meeting or any special or emergency meeting called for that purpose, but any such additional appropriations may be made only for an anticipated un-appropriated surplus in the fund to which it applies.

CONFLICTING ORDINANCES: In the event that any ordinance, or any part thereof, of the City of "Centerville", Georgia is in conflict herewith, this ordinance shall have preference.

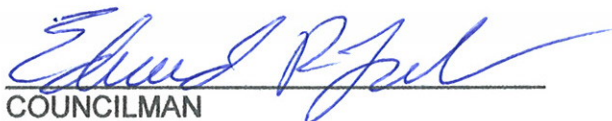
SEVERABILITY: If any provisions of this ordinance be held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions which can be given effect without the invalid provision, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

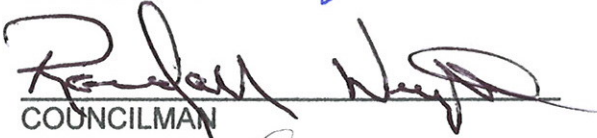
SO ORDAINED, and effective this 4 day of may, 2010, by vote of the Governing Authority at a regular, open meeting of the Mayor and Council of Centerville with a quorum being present at the meeting.

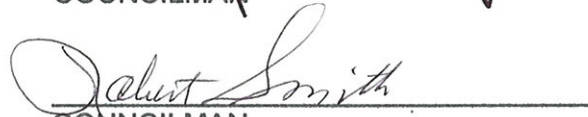
CITY OF "CENTERVILLE", GEORGIA

BY: 
MAYOR JOHN R. HARLEY

COUNCILMAN


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ATTEST: 
KRISTA BEDINGFIELD, CITY CLERK

CITY OF CENTERVILLE
STATE OF GEORGIA
COUNTY OF HOUSTON

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF "CENTERVILLE" GEORGIA, AMENDING CHAPTER 6 OF THE CITY CODE REGARDING AMUSEMENTS AND ENTERTAINMENT, PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

BE IT ORDAINED that the Mayor and Council of the City of Centerville hereby amend Chapter 6 of the City Code as follows:

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Ordinance 1985-1, identified as Section 6-1(a & b) in the City Code shall be repealed.

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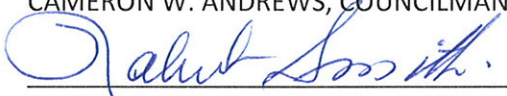
If any ordinance, or part thereof, of the City of Centerville is in conflict herewith, this ordinance shall have preference. If any provisions of this ordinance are held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect any of the other provisions which can be given effect without the invalid provision, and, to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

This ordinance was read and adopted by majority vote of the Governing Authority at a regular, open meeting of the Mayor and Council of Centerville with a quorum being present at the meeting. The provisions of this ordinance shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

CITY OF "CENTERVILLE", GEORGIA

BY: 
MAYOR JOHN R. HARLEY

ABSENT
CAMERON W. ANDREWS, COUNCILMAN


ROBERT A. SMITH, JR., COUNCILMAN


EDWARD R. TUCKER, COUNCILMAN


RANDALL WRIGHT, COUNCILMAN

ATTEST: 
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