BILL NO. 2024 - 16

ORDINANCE NO. <u>2024 - 1490</u>

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 205.130 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE BY CHANGING ONE OF THE DEFINITIONS OF A DANGEROUS DOG

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CARROLLTON as follows:

Section 1: Section 205.130.B.5 of the Municipal Code of the Town of Carrollton, Missouri is amended to read as follows:

205.130.B.5 That, when unprovoked, chases or approaches a person upon streets, sidewalks, any public grounds, or lawfully on private property, in a menacing fashion or apparent attitude of attack, regardless of whether or not a person is injured by such animal; or

Section 2: The portions of this Ordinance shall be severable. In the event that any portion of this Ordinance is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the remaining portions of this Ordinance are valid, unless the court finds the valid portions of this Ordinance are so essential and inseparably connected with and dependent upon the void portion that it cannot be presumed that the City Council would have enacted the valid portions without the invalid one, or unless the court finds that the valid portions standing alone are incomplete and are incapable of being executed in accordance with the legislative intent.

Section 3: This ordinance repeals any prior ordinance or parts of any prior ordinance that might be in conflict herewith.

Section 4. It is the intent of the Town Council that this Ordinance be made a part of the City Code and such inclusion shall have the same force and effect as if the ordinance had been included in the original code at the time of its adoption by the Town Council.

Section 5: This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval.

A copy of this Ordinance has been made available for public inspection prior to its adoption by the Council and this bill was read by title in the open meeting two times prior to its final passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS $\underline{\mathcal{ZO}}_{DAY}^{\mathcal{W}}$ OF MAY 2024.

TOWN OF CARROLLTON, MISSOURI

Susan Bliss, Mayor Hayor Pro Tempore

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Dana Reimer, City Clerk