CITY OF FARMINGTON

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ORDINANCE 3-90

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF FARMINGTON, MISSOURI APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF FARMINGTON, TITLE VII: UTILITIES, CHAPTER 700: GENERAL PROVISIONS BY ADDING A NEW SECTION 700.090 ELECTRIC METERS.

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to amend the Municipal Code of the City of Farmington for the purpose of promoting public health, safety and welfare; now therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FARMINGTON, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That the Municipal Code of the City of Farmington Title VII: Utilities, Chapter 700: General Provisions is hereby amended by adding a new Section 700.090 as follows:

Section 700.090: Electric Meters

- A. Electric meter bases shall be installed at a height between fifty-four (54) inches and sixty-six (66) inches measured from the ground level to the center of the meter socket.
- B. Electric meters shall not be obstructed by vegetation, debris, fencing, or landscaping that will create an unsafe condition or impede the visibility and access of the electric meter.
- **SECTION 2.** The officers, agents and employees of the City are hereby authorized and directed to execute all documents and take such necessary steps as they deem necessary and advisable in order to carry out and perform the purpose of this Ordinance.
- **SECTION 3.** The sections of this Ordinance shall be severable. If any section of this Ordinance is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the remaining sections shall remain valid, unless the court finds that: (a) the valid sections are so essential to and inseparably connected with and dependent upon the void section that it cannot be presumed that the City Council has or would have enacted the valid sections without the void ones; and (b) the valid sections, standing alone, are incomplete and are incapable of being executed in accordance with the legislative intent.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage.

DULY READ AND PASSED THIS ______DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2023.

ATTEST:

Casey Moore, City/Clerk

Approved this 2 Hay of Norm by 2023

Larry D. Forsythe, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM

R. Scott Reid, City Counselor