ORDINANCE NO. 3786

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 500-4 LOUDSPEAKERS AND AMPLIFYING SYSTEMS OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF FOND DU LAC

The City Council of the City of Fond du Lac do ordain as follows; deleted items are shown with strikethrough and additions are underlined:

<u>Section 1</u>. That Chapter 500, Peace and Good Order; Section 4, Loudspeakers and amplifying systems., is hereby amended as follows:

§ 500-4 Loudspeakers and amplifying systems.

- **B.** Permit application. Application for permit shall be filed with the City Clerk. The Clerk shall present the application at the next regular or special session of the Council, which shall finally will approve the issuance of the permit, subject to the provisions of this section and particularly the following restrictions:
 - (1) Sound tracks or loudspeakers transported from place to place shall operate on no street except Main Street and only between 11:45 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. and between 4:45 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. No operation shall be made on Sundays or legal holidays.
 - (2) Loudspeakers not transported and operated at one location shall not be operated between 10:30 p.m. and 10:00 a.m.
 - (3) No loudspeakinger system, whether movable or set up for one location, shall employ or use over 49 watts or eighty decibels of output. It is the intention of this provision that no amplifying device shall be operated at such volume that sound shall carry in excess of 100 feet to 150 feet from the point of broadcast.
 - (4) The Electrical Inspector shall have the right to inspect the loudspeakinger system whenever in use to determine the output.

- (5) Sound wagons or any vehicle transporting any amplifying system shall keep moving with traffic while the system is being used and shall not stop or remain standing at any location on Main Street while using the system except as required by delay in movement of traffic.
- (6) The Council City Clerk may cancel and declare any permit void where the speaking system is being used in violation of this section or of state or federal laws and the permit shall be returned to the City. Operation of such system after notice is given of cancellation of permit shall constitute a violation of this section.

Section 2. Any person violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall be subject to the penalty provided in Section 1-4 of the Code.

<u>Section 3</u>. The appropriate City officials are hereby authorized and directed to take such action as is necessary to effectuate the terms of this Ordinance.

Section 4. All other ordinances and resolutions inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

<u>Section 5</u>. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force upon its passage and publication as provided by law.

| ADOPTED: MAR 1 3 2024 | Tiffany Brault, Vice President Fond du Lac City Council |
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