CITY OF LAVON, TEXAS

ORDINANCE NO. <u>2023-12-03</u>

Amending Article 11.04 of the Code of Ordinances – Commercial Vehicles

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF LAVON, TEXAS, AMENDING SECTION 11.04.002 OPERATION PROHIBITED ON CERTAIN STREETS OF ARTICLE 11.04 COMMERCIAL VEHICLES; PROVIDING FOR SAVINGS AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSES; PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ORDINANCE.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Lavon ("City Council") has investigated and determined that it would be advantageous and beneficial to the citizens of the City of Lavon, Texas ("Lavon") to amend Lavon's Code of Ordinances in Chapter 11 to add additional locations where commercial vehicles are prohibited and to clarify exemptions; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has authority under state law to adopt the regulations herein.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAVON, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. RECITALS

The City Council hereby finds that the statements set forth in the recitals of this Ordinance are true and correct, and the City Council hereby incorporates such recitals as part of this Ordinance.

SECTION 2 Article 11.04. Commercial Vehicles

Chapter 11.04.002(a) is hereby amended by adding the following as 11.04.002(a)(3):

"Moore Lane."

Chapter 11.04.002(a) is hereby amended by adding the following as 11.04.002(a)(4):

"Traditions Drive."

Chapter 11.04.002(a) is hereby amended by adding the following as 11.04.002(a)(5):

"Forder Court"

Chapter 11.04.002(c) is hereby amended by adding the following to the end of 11.04.002(c):

"to a location only accessible by traveling on restricted roadways."

SECTION 3. Effective Date

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage and publication as may be required by governing law.

SECTION 4. Proper Notice and Meeting

It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was passed was open to the public as required and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code and as required by Chapter 52 of the Texas Local Government Code.

SECTION 5. Severability

It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that the phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this Ordinance be severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs or sections of this Ordinance, and the remainder of this Ordinance shall be enforced as written.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Lavon, Texas this 5th day of December, 2023.

Vicki Sanson Mayor

ATTEST:

Rae Norton City Secretary