

2-20-96

ORDINANCE NO. 096-220

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER FOR THE VILLAGE OF VINTON TO ISSUE CITATIONS AND FILE COMPLAINTS BEFORE THE VINTON MUNICIPAL COURT.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE VILLAGE COUNCIL FOR THE VILLAGE OF VINTON, TEXAS, THAT:

I.

The Code Enforcement Officer for the Village of Vinton shall and is hereby authorized to issue citations and file complaints for enforcement of all Village ordinances before the Village of Vinton Municipal Court.

II.

The Code Enforcement Officer shall not be authorized to effectuate an arrest or to carry a firearm during the enforcement of the ordinances within the Municipal limits of the Village of Vinton.

III.

The Code Enforcement Officer shall file a copy of each and every citation and complaint with the Office of the Vinton Village Clerk for proper recording and forwarding to the Village Attorney for consideration and review. Thereafter, if the complaint is accepted for prosecution, the Village Attorney shall prepare the formal complaint in the proper legal form and forward same to the Municipal Court Judge. The Court shall then set the matter for hearing at a time and date set by the Court with appropriate notice of not less than ten (10) days provided to the Defendant.

IV.

In the event that a citation or complaint is not filed by the Code Enforcement Officer, a written report shall, nevertheless, be submitted to the Office of the Village Clerk which contains the name and address of the person the subject of the violation together with the date and time of the contact by the Code Enforcement Officer and the nature of the violation.

V.

That this Ordinance was adopted with all the requisites and formalities incident thereto the enactment of ordinances, and such is evidenced by the below signatures.

SIGNED AND ENACTED this 30th day of Feb., 1996.



SAMUEL MONRREAL
Mayor, Village of Vinton

ATTEST:



IRMA RODRIGUEZ
Clerk, Village of Vinton

APPROVED:

RICHARD CONTRERAS
Attorney, Village of Vinton

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