

ADDENDUM #1
ADDENDUM TO ORDINANCE 156, SECTION 6

AN ADDENDUM TO ORDINANCE 156, APPROVING THE CHANGES TO SECTION 6, POSTING OF DESIGNATED STREET ADDRESSES.

WHEREAS Ordinance 156 is 20 years old, and the city has grown several structures larger than when it was approved;

WHEREAS naming conventions and numbering conventions are essential for an efficient 911 system;

WHEREAS the purpose of the ordinance is to allow our citizens to “enjoy a functioning 911 emergency system.”;

WHEREAS the results of all study, rules, regulations, and enforcement of this ordinance finds credence in the speed and efficiency that medical first responders, police/sheriff officers, and fire department units arrive on the scene of any emergency.

BE IT RESOLVED that there are specific changes that can improve the wording and requirements of Ordinance 156 and enhance the performance of said medical responders, police/sheriff officers and fire department units.

The motion is to place this recommended wording in the Ordinance, thereby replacing paragraph 6 of Ordinance 156:

6.1 The owner of any house or building to which a number has been assigned will be notified by the City of the number assigned to the same at any time after the adoption of this policy.

6.2 Within sixty (60) days after the receipt of such notification from the City, the owner of a house or building to which a number has been assigned shall affix the number to the structure and to a sign or number post located at the roadway. As a rule of thumb, the location of the number shall be in the general location of where one locates the mailbox for that residence or building.

6.3 It shall be the duty of such owner thereof upon affixing the new number to remove any different number which might be mistaken for, or confused with, the number assigned to said structure by the 911 Coordinator.

6.4 Each principal building shall display the number assigned to the frontage on which the front entrance is located. In case a principal building is occupied by more than one business or family dwelling unit, each separate front entrance may display a separate number.

6.5 Numerals indicating the official numbers for each principal building or each front entrance to such building shall be posted in a manner as to be legible and distinguishable from the street on which the property is located. Letters when painted or applied to the building shall be of a contrasting color to the background and shall not be less than three inches (3”) in height. Numbers placed at the street in compliance with this Ordinance shall be reflective numbers at least 3” in height affixed to a reflective background.

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Numbers shall not be mounted higher than 3' feet from the ground. Numbers must be oriented so that they are visible from both directions when approaching the residence or building. In cases where the residence or building is situated in such a manner that the approach to said residence or building is from but one direction then the numbers shall be oriented towards that direction (e.g., houses located at the end of a cul-de-sac or "circle street" where traffic would not see the numbers from the two sides of a mailbox.)

PASSED AND APPROVED on the 20th Day of October 2022.

APPROVED:

ATTEST:


Chellie Stewart, Mayor


Janie Crumpler, City Secretary