

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA REPEALING ARTICLE XI, COVID-19 PANDEMIC OF CHAPTER 10 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA AND ELIMINATING A REFERENCE TO SAME IN SECTION 15-506 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY THEREOF.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA:

§ 1. That, Article XI of Chapter 10 of the Code of the City of Norman shall be repealed in its entirety:

**ARTICLE XI. RESERVED.**

§ 2. That, Section 506(b)(2) of Chapter 15 of the Code of the City of Norman, Oklahoma, be amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 15-506. – Nuisance party.**

(a) No person, owner, occupant, tenant or other person in possession, control or having responsibility for, individually or jointly with others, of any premises shall sponsor, conduct, host, allow or permit a social gathering or party on the premises which is or becomes a public nuisance.

(b) A social gathering shall be deemed to constitute a public nuisance when, by reason of the conduct of persons in attendance, it results in three (3) or more of the following violations of the Code of the City of Norman, Oklahoma, and which violations occur at the site of the social gathering or on neighboring public or private property:

(1) Any violation of Chapter 9 of the City Fire Prevention Code;

(2) Any of the following violations from Chapter 10 of the City Code:

i. 10-107 Open burning prohibited.

ii. 10-203 Health nuisances.

iii. 10-205 Obstructions in easements a nuisance.


iv. 10-307 Noises prohibited.

§ 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is necessary for the immediate preservation of the peace, health, and safety of the City, and the inhabitants thereof that the provisions of this Ordinance become operative immediately and therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately from and after its passage and approval by the City Council.

§ 4. SEVERABILITY. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this Ordinance is, for any reason, held invalid or unconstitutional, such portion shall be deemed

a separate, distinct and independent provision and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

ADOPTED this 18<sup>th</sup> day  
of May, 2021.

  
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(Mayor)

NOT ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

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(Mayor)

ATTEST:

  
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(City Clerk)

