

ORDINANCE NO. 521

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 21 OF THE LAS ANIMAS CITY CODE AND CONCERNING REGULATION OF SPRAYING OF ORNAMENTAL AND SHADE TREES.

WHEREAS, the Superintendent of Public Works and the City Council of the City of Las Animas, Colorado, have had difficulty in implementing a tree spraying program in the City of Las Animas because of very serious insurance liability problems that have so far been unresolved, and

WHEREAS, Section 21 - 5 (e) of the Las Animas City Code makes it mandatory for the Superintendent of Public works to, at least on an annual basis, spray or otherwise treat the lem trees, or other trees or bushes of any variety within the City, and

WHEREAS, the Las Animas City Council has reviewed Chapter 21 of the Las Animas City Code and has determined that it is in the best interest of the citizens of the City of Las Animas to amend such Chapter 21 so that the Las Animas City Council shall have the option of spraying ornamental and shade trees within the City of Las Animas.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAS ANIMAS, COLORADO, that Section 21 - 5(e) of the Las Animas City Code is hereby repealed and reenacted as follows:

Section 21 - 5)e). The Superintendent of Public Works shall, upon resolution or motion passed by the Las Animas City, spray or cause to be sprayed or otherwise treated, the elm trees or other trees or bushes of any variety, located upon any premises owned, controlled or occupied by any person, firm or corporation within the City, with such material or materials in such manner and at such time or times as may be determined to be effective in the control of elm beetles or any other pest or disease which may exist in or be a threat to the forestry of the City.

Introduced, read, passed on first reading and ordered published this 2nd day of June, 1987.

Adopted on second reading and ordered published by title only this 7th day of July 1987.


LEONARD HUDNALL, MAYOR

ATTEST:


LILA M. MAUPIN, CITY CLERK

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