



ORDINANCE NO. 3500

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, BY AMENDING CHAPTER 2, SECTION 2.37(f), ELIMINATING TERM LIMITS FOR BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT AND PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION MEMBERS; PROVIDING A REPEALING CLAUSE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS, THAT:

SECTION 1. The Code of Ordinances of the City of Farmers Branch, be and the same is hereby amended by amending Chapter 2 “Administration, Section 2-37 (f) “Term limits for board and commission members,” to read as follows:

“Sec. 2-37. - Term limits for board and commission members.

For purposes of this section, "board or commission" means and includes library board, planning and zoning commission, zoning board of adjustment/building code of appeals, parks and recreation board, historical preservation and restoration board, industrial development corporation, housing finance corporation, senior advisory board, community watch committee, and the family advisory board. "Board or commission" shall not include any ad hoc committee appointed by the city council or the city's appointees to the Board of Adjustment, Planning and Zoning Commission, Valwood Improvement Authority, North Dallas County Water Supply Corporation, City of Farmers Branch Tax Increment Financing Reinvestment Zone No. 1, and City of Farmers Branch Tax Increment Financing Reinvestment Zone No. 2, Farmers Branch Local Government Corporation, Animal Shelter Advisory Committee, Metrocrest Hospital Authority, Municipal Drainage Utility System Advisory Committee, and North Texas Emergency Communications Center Inc.”

SECTION 2. All provisions of the ordinances of the City of Farmers Branch in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance be, and the same are hereby, repealed, and all other provisions of the ordinances of the City of Farmers Branch not in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 3. Should any sentence, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase or section of this Ordinance be adjudged or held to be unconstitutional, illegal or invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of this Ordinance as a whole, or any part or provision thereof other than the part so decided to be invalid, illegal or unconstitutional, and shall not affect the validity of the Code of Ordinances as a whole.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage, as the law and charter in such cases provide.

DULY PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS, ON THIS THE 1ST DAY OF MAY, 2018.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Amy Piukana, City Secretary

Robert C. Dye, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Peter G. Smith, City Attorney
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