

ORDINANCE NO. 3, 2004
CITY OF ORCHARD GRASS HILLS, KENTUCKY

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF ORCHARD GRASS HILLS, KENTUCKY TO TAKE CERTAIN ACTIONS IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the City Council, and Mayor, to protect the citizens of the City of Orchard Grass Hills, Kentucky, and their property interests from any harm, injuries and damages which might be caused by an emergency; and

WHEREAS, in the event of an emergency it may become necessary for the Mayor to make immediate decisions and commit certain City revenues in order to provide this protection; and

WHEREAS, in the event of an emergency it may not be practical or possible for the Mayor to obtain the approval of the City Council before taking certain actions on behalf of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORCHARD GRASS HILLS, KENTUCKY, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. An emergency is defined as any event or circumstance that calls for immediate action or remedy.

SECTION 2. In the event of an emergency where it is impractical or impossible to call a special meeting of the City Council or obtain approval of the City Council in any other manner, the Mayor is hereby authorized to use his discretion in taking any necessary steps to deal with the emergency. The Mayor is further authorized to spend, in his discretion, up to \$ 5,000.00 in City funds in dealing with the emergency, provided the funds are available in the City's treasury.

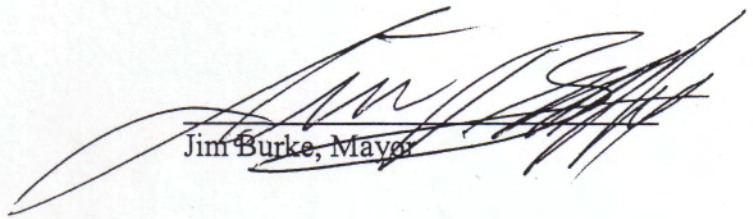
SECTION 3. At the next regularly scheduled City Council meeting, the Mayor shall report to the City Council on all actions taken during the emergency, including the expenditure of City funds, and obtain subsequent approval and ratification of the Council for all actions taken by the Mayor during the emergency.

SECTION 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed insofar as same affect as this ordinance.

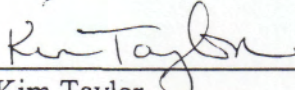
SECTION 5. This ordinance shall become effective upon its passage and advertisement according to law.

First reading of this Ordinance was on the 13 day of July, 2004.

Second reading and enactment of this Ordinance was on the 14 day of September, 2004.


Jim Burke, Mayor

ATTEST:



Kim Taylor
Orchard Grass Hills City Clerk