

ORDINANCE NO. 087-053

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF ADDISON, AMENDING CHAPTER 1 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, TOWN OF ADDISON, TEXAS, TO PROVIDE PENALTY AMOUNTS OF \$2,000.00 FOR CERTAIN FIRE, SAFETY, ZONING OR PUBLIC HEALTH AND SANITATION VIOLATIONS; TO PROVIDE PENALTY AMOUNTS OF \$500.00 FOR OTHER CODE OF ORDINANCE VIOLATIONS; TO PROVIDING FOR A REPEAL CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ADDISON, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That Chapter 1 of the Code of Ordinances, Town of Addison, Texas, is hereby amended by amending Sec. 1-10(a) to read as follows:

(a) Whenever in this Code or in any ordinance of the City an act is prohibited or is made or declared to be unlawful, or such Code or ordinance the doing of any act is required or the failure to do any act is declared to be unlawful, and no specific penalty is provided therefor, the violation of any and all ordinances, rules and police regulations that govern fire safety, zoning or public health and sanitation shall be punished by a fine not exceeding Two Thousand and no/100 Dollars (\$2,000.00), and the violation of any other provision of this Code or any other ordinance shall be punished by a fine not exceeding Five Hundred and no/100 Dollars (\$500.00); provided, however, that no penalty shall be greater or less than the penalty provided for the same or a smaller offense under the laws of the State.

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 That all ordinances of the City in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same are hereby repealed and all other ordinances of the City not in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

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SECTION 3. That should any paragraph, sentence, 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 provisions thereof other than the part so decided to be invalid, illegal or unconstitutional, and shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole.

SECTION 4. The fact that the present Code does not provide for penalty amounts for certain fire, safety, zoning or public health and sanitation violations, and is therefore inadequate to properly safeguard the general public, health and safety, and therefore the ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage and publication of the caption as the law in such cases provides.

DULY PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ADDISON,
TEXAS, on this the 8th day of September, 1987.



MAYOR

ATTEST:



CITY SECRETARY