

ORDINANCE NO. 022-05

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 1.01 (CODE ADOPTION) OF THE
LAUREL MUNICIPAL CODE RELATING TO THE GENERAL PROVISIONS

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to keep the Laurel Municipal Code current by modifying and updating chapters, sections and subsections to address situations and problems within the City and to remain in accordance with Montana law; and

WHEREAS, City Staff prepared, reviewed, and approved the following amendments to the existing Chapter 1.01 of the Laurel Municipal Code (Code Adoption) as noted herein and hereby recommends the same to the City Council for their full approval.

1.01.010 Adoption.

There is hereby adopted the Laurel Municipal Code, ~~as published by Book Publishing Company, Seattle, Washington.~~

(Ord. 984 § 1, 1991)

1.01.020 Title Citation Reference Code Designated and Cited.

This Code shall be known as the "Laurel Municipal Code" and it shall be sufficient to refer to this Code as "the LMC." in any prosecution for the violation of any provision thereof or any proceeding at law or equity. It shall also be sufficient to designate any Ordinance adding to, amending, correcting, or repealing all or any part or portion thereof as an addition to, amendment to, correction of, or repeal of the "Laurel Municipal Code." Further reference may be had to the chapters, articles, divisions, sections and subsections of the "Laurel Municipal Code" and such reference shall apply to that numbered chapter, article, division, section or subsection as it appears in this Code.

~~may be referred to as the Laurel Municipal Code in any prosecution for the violation of any provision thereof of any proceeding at law or equity. Prosecutions for violations of Laurel, Montana's ordinances and actions based thereon shall refer to the Laurel Municipal Code sections as well as the underlying ordinance upon which the prosecution or action is based. Amendments to any ordinance or portions thereof of Laurel, Montana, shall also refer to the Laurel Municipal Code sections under which such ordinances are codified.~~

(Ord. 984 § 2, 1991)

1.01.030 Provisions Codified.

This code consists of all the ~~regulatory and penal ordinances and certain of the administrative ordinances or~~ Ordinances of the City of Laurel, Montana.

(Ord. 984 § 3, 1991)

1.01.040 Ordinances Passed Prior to Adooption of the Code.

The last Ordinance included in this Code was Ordinance 979, passed August 7, 1990. The following Ordinances, passed subsequent to Ordinance 979, but prior to adoption of this Code, are adopted and made a part of this Code: Ordinances 980, 981, 982 and 983, as amended.

(Ord. 984 § 4, 1991)

1.01.050 References to Code. ~~applies to all amendments.~~

Whenever a reference is made to this Code as the "Laurel Municipal Code" or any portions thereof, or to any Ordinance of the City of Laurel, Montana, the reference shall apply to all amendments, corrections and additions heretofore, now or hereafter made.

(Ord. 984 § 5, 1991)

1.01.060 ~~Title, chapter and section headings~~ Headings.

Chapter, article, division, and section headings contained herein shall not be deemed to govern, limit, modify or in any manner affect the scope, meaning or intent of the provisions of any chapter, article, division, or section hereof. Title, chapter and section headings contained herein shall not be deemed to govern, limit, modify or in any manner affect the scope, meaning or intent of the provisions of any title, chapter or section hereof.

(Ord. 984 § 6, 1991)

1.01.070 Reference to Specific Ordinances.

The provisions of this Ceode shall not in any manner affect matters of record which refer to, or are otherwise connected with Ordinances which are therein specifically designated by number or otherwise, and which are included within the Ceode, but such reference shall be construed to apply to the corresponding provisions contained within this Ceode.

(Ord. 984 § 7, 1991)

1.01.080 Effect of Ceode on past actions and obligations.

~~Neither the adoption of this code nor the repeal of amendments of any ordinance or part or portion of any ordinance of the city shall in any manner affect the prosecution for violations of ordinances, which violations were committed prior to the effective date hereof, nor be construed as a waiver of any license, fee or penalty at said effective date due and unpaid under such ordinances, nor be construed as affecting any of the provisions of such ordinances relating to the collection of any such license, fee or penalty, or the penal provisions applicable to any violation thereof, nor to affect the validity of any bond or cash deposit in lieu thereof required to be posted, filed or deposited pursuant to any ordinance and all rights and obligations thereunder appertaining shall continue in full force and effect.~~

A. The provisions of this Code shall not in any manner affect deposits or otherwise any other matters of record which refer to, or otherwise be connected with Ordinances which are therein specifically designated by number or otherwise and which are included within this Code, but such reference shall be construed to apply to the corresponding provisions contained within this Code.

B. Neither the adoption of this Code nor the repeal or amendment hereby of any ordinance or part or portion of any Ordinance of the City shall in any manner affect the prosecution for violations of Ordinances, which violations were committed prior to the effective date hereof, nor be construed as a waiver of any license fee, or penalty at the effective date due and unpaid under such Ordinances, nor be construed as affecting any of the provisions of such Ordinances relating to the collection of any such license, fee or penalty, or the penal provisions applicable to any violation thereof, nor to affect the validity of any bond or cash deposit

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in lieu thereof required to be posted, filed or deposited pursuant to any Ordinance, and all rights and obligations thereunder appertaining shall continue in full force and effect.

(Ord. 984 § 8, 1991)

1.01.090 Effective Date.

This ~~code~~ Code shall become effective on the date the ~~Ordinance~~ Ordinance adopting this ~~code~~ Code as the "Laurel Municipal Code" shall become effective.

(Ord. 984 § 9, 1991)

1.01.100 Severability.

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, portion, or part of this Code is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Code. The City Council hereby declares that it would have adopted this Code and each section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, part, or portion thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, clauses, phrases, parts, or portions be declared invalid or unconstitutional.

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1.01.110 Continuation of Provisions.

The provisions appearing in this Code, so far as they are the same as those of Ordinances existing at the effective date of this Code, shall be considered as continuation thereof and not as new enactments.

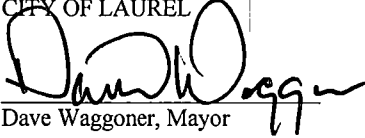
This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after final passage by the City Council and approved by the Mayor.

Introduced and passed on first reading at a regular meeting of the City Council on the 13th day of September 2022, upon Motion by Council Member Wilke.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Laurel City Council on second reading on the 27th day of September 2022, upon Motion by Council Member Wilke.

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR on the 27th day of September 2022.

CITY OF LAUREL


Dave Waggoner, Mayor

ATTEST:


Kelly Strecker, Clerk-Treasurer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Michele L. Braukmann, Civil City Attorney

