

## ORDINANCE 2022-14

### *An Ordinance to Amend Chapter 5 – Business Regulations, Article VIII. – Occupational License Fees for Persons Engaged in Trades, Occupations, and Professions, The Code of Ordinances, City of Irondale*

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF IRONDALE, ALABAMA, in regular meeting duly assembled, a quorum being present, and by authority thereof as follows:

**Section 1.** AMENDMENT TO CHAPTER 5 – BUSINESS REGULATIONS, ARTICLE VIII. – OCCUPATIONAL LICENSE FEES FOR PERSONS ENGAGED IN TRADES, OCCUPATIONS, AND PROFESSIONS, THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF IRONDALE. Section 5-242 set forth in Article VIII, of Chapter 5 of The Code of Ordinances, City of Irondale, Alabama is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

**Sec. 5-242. - License fees required.**

It shall be unlawful for any person to engage in or follow any trade, occupation or profession, as defined in section 5-242, within the city on and after August 1, 2018, without paying license fees for the privilege or engaging in or following such trade, occupation or profession, which license fees shall be measured by 0.75 percent of the gross receipts of each such person.

**Section 2.** **ORDINANCES REPEALED.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

**Section 3.** **SEVERABILITY.** That if any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance. The City Council of the City of Irondale hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance, and each section, subsection, clause or phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses and phrases be declared unconstitutional.

**Section 4.** **LEGAL RIGHTS NOT IMPAIRED.** That nothing in this ordinance or in the municipal code hereby adopted shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding impending in any court, or any rights acquired, or liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing, under any act or ordinance hereby repealed as cited in Section 2 of this ordinance; nor shall any just or legal right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired or affected by this ordinance.

**Section 5.** **ORDINANCE CUMULATIVE; COMPATIBILITY WITH OTHER REGULATIONS.** This ordinance shall not be construed to modify or to repeal any other ordinance, rule, regulation, or other provision of law. The requirements of this ordinance are in addition to and cumulative to the requirements of any other ordinance, rule, regulation, or other provision of law, and where any provision of this ordinance imposes

restrictions different from those imposed by any other ordinance, rule, regulation, or other provision of law, whichever provision is more restrictive or imposes higher protective standards for human health or the environment shall control.

**Section 6. PUBLICATION OF ORDINANCE.** That the City Clerk of the City of Irondale is hereby ordered and directed to cause this ordinance to be published and that a copy of this ordinance be entered upon the minutes of the meeting of the City Council.

**Section 7. EFFECTIVE DATE OF ORDINANCE.** That this ordinance and the rules, regulations, provisions, requirements, orders and matters established and adopted hereby shall be in full force and effect on October 1, 2022 and shall continue in full force and effect from month to month and year to year from its effective date until repealed.

**ADOPTED & APPROVED:** This 19th day of July, 2022.

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David Spivey, City Council President

**APPROVED:**

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James D. Stewart, Jr., Mayor

**ATTESTED:**

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Leigh Ann Allison, City Clerk

**CERTIFICATION**

I, Leigh Ann Allison, City Clerk of the City of Irondale, Alabama hereby certify the above to be a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the City Council of the City of Irondale at its regular meeting held on July 19, 2022, as the same appears in the minutes of record of said meeting.

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Leigh Ann Allison, City Clerk