

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 64, MOBILE CITY CODE, 1991
TO ALLOW FOR TEMPORARY SIGNS
ADVERTISING NOT FOR PROFIT SPECIAL EVENTS

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF MOBILE, ALABAMA, THAT CHAPTER 64, MOBILE CITY CODE, 1991, IS HEREBY AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

I. Section 64-11.5.n Mobile City Code entitled “Temporary Signs” is hereby deleted.

II. Section 64-11.8 is hereby amended, adding new paragraph (5), as follows:

64-11.8.(5) Temporary Signs, which shall include banners, flags, portable billboards, may be allowed to advertise not for profit special events, functions or festivals such as sporting events (e.g. Bowl Games, exhibition games), music festivals (e.g. Bayfest, Jazzfest), heritage festivals (e.g. GreekFest, International Festival), or charitable fund raising events (e.g. Festival of Flowers, Chili Cook-off). Such signs require permits from the Urban Development Department, which must be obtained no less than 10 days prior to the sign(s) being installed. Temporary Signs shall be allowed for no more than 15 days per location, and must be removed within 48 hours after the event. Signs shall not be located in rights-of-ways. Written permission from the property owner must accompany application for permit.

III. Section 64-11.4.f permit fees is hereby amended, adding new paragraph (3), as follows:

64-11.4.f.(3) *Temporary Sign:* \$10.00 per sign

IV. REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCE.

All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance, insofar as they conflict, are hereby repealed.

V. SEVERABILITY.

If any section, subsection, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or otherwise invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall no affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

VI. EFFECT OF ORDINANCE

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption and publication as required by law.

Adopted:

City Clerk, Glenda A. Morgan