

ORDINANCE NO. 79-6

AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING A PERMIT TO PLACE AND REGULATING ADVERTISEMENTS UPON PUBLIC PLACES, SETTING THE COST THEREOF, PROVIDING FOR A DEPOSIT, ITS REFUND OR FORFEITURE, AND PROVIDING FOR CERTAIN EXEMPTIONS

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RUSSELL-VILLE THAT:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful to tack or place any sign, bill, poster or advertisement of any nature on any pole, tree or other plant or structure of any street, alley, or other public place in any manner without having a permit therefor. Application for such permit shall be made to the city clerk, and a fee of one dollar shall be paid for each ten such signs or fraction thereof. No such sign, poster or advertisement shall be permitted to remain in such public place for a period of longer than forty days; and any such advertisement, sign or poster giving notice of an event, or referring to an election will be removed within ten days after the taking place of that event or election.

Section 2. No such permit shall be issued unless there is deposited with the city clerk the sum of twenty-five dollars, which sum shall be returned to the applicant if the applicant causes all such signs, posters or advertisements to be removed within the time prescribed by this ordinance. If such applicant does not cause the removal of such signs, posters or advertisements within such time, then his twenty-five dollar deposit shall be forfeited to the city.


Section 3. The provisions of this ordinance shall not apply to notices posted by order of court or notices to the public required by law to be posted in a public place.


Section 4. In the event any provision of this Ordinance is or becomes invalid for any reason, such invalidity shall not affect the validity of any other provision hereof.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be effective upon its passage and publication according to law.

Adopted by roll call vote, this 22nd day of May, 1979.

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK


MAYOR