

ORDINANCE NO. 5-2019

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PALM BEACH, PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 134, ZONING, TOWN CODE OF ORDINANCES, AT ARTICLE XI, SIGNS, SECTION 134 – 2372, GENERAL REGULATIONS APPLICABLE TO PERMITTED SIGNS, BY ADDING NEW SUBSECTIONS (12) AND (13) RELATING TO THE NAILING AND POSTING OF SIGNAGE AND BLOCKING INGRESS AND EGRESS WITH SIGNAGE; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF PALM BEACH, PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Chapter 134, Zoning, of the Town Code of Ordinances, is hereby amended at Article XI, Signs, Section 134 – 2372, General Regulations Applicable to Permitted Signs, by adding new subsections (12) and (13), as follows:

Chapter 134 – 2372 (12) - No person shall paint, paste, print or nail any paper sign or any advertisement or notice of any kind whatsoever, or cause the same to be done, on any curbstone, flagstone or other portion of any sidewalk or street or upon any tree, lamppost, hitching post, telephone or telegraph pole, hydrant, bridge, workshop or tool shed, or upon any other structure within the limits of the town except by resolution of the town council. No person shall paint, paste, print or nail any banner, sign, handbill, advertisement or notice of any kind, or cause the same to be done, upon any private pole, advertising board or sign or upon any other private structure or building unless he is the owner or lessee of such wall, window, door, fence, gate, advertising board or sign, or other private building or structure. This subsection shall not apply to legal notices required by law.

Chapter 134 – 2372 (13) - No sign shall be attached to or placed against a building in such a manner as to prevent ingress or egress through any door of any building, or any opening that is to be used in event of fire, or other emergency; nor shall any sign be attached to or obstruct in any manner a fire escape.

Section 2. Severability.

If any provision of this Ordinance or the application thereof is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the other provisions or applications of this Ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provisions or applications, and to this end the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared severable.

Section 3. Repeal of Ordinances in Conflict.

All other ordinances of the Town of Palm Beach, Florida, or parts thereof, which conflict with this or any part of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 4. Codification.

This Ordinance shall be codified and made a part of the official Code of Ordinances of the Town of Palm Beach, Florida.

Section 5. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval, as provided by law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED in a regular, adjourned session of the Town Council of the Town of Palm Beach, Florida, on the First Reading this 13th day of February, 2019; and for the Second and Final Reading on this 19th day of March, 2019.

Gail L. Coniglio, Mayor

Danielle H. Moore, Town Council President

Margaret A. Zeidman, Council President Pro Tem

Julie Araskog, Town Council Member

ATTEST:

Lewis S.W. Crampton, Town Council Member

Kathleen Dominguez, Town Clerk

Bobbie Lindsay, Town Council Member