

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF BLOUNT
TOWN OF HIGHLAND LAKE

ORDINANCE NO. HL98-01

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING SIGNS WITHIN
THE TOWN LIMITS OF HIGHLAND LAKE, ALABAMA

SECTION 1: PROHIBITIONS.

It shall be unlawfull for any person, partnership, firm, cooperation, associations or other organization to erect, construct, place , affix or attach to any utility pole, tree or other strucure located on property owned by the Town of Highland Lake.

Any outdoor advertising, sign, poster, display, notice, placard, message or any other thing which is designated, intended or used to advertise, to inform of coming event or events, to solícite votes or give noticeof sales of personal property, such as yard sales, garage sales or similar types of sales.

SECTION 2: PERMITTED SIGNS.

Signs or advertisements may be erected on roadside rights of way providing they are of a temporary, portable, nonintrusive easily removed construction and displayed in such a manner not interfering with roadside mowing or motorist visiblity.

SECTION 3: DURATION.

All signs, advertisements or other notices shall be removed from rights of way no later than five (5) days of the completion of the announced event.

SECTION 4: SIZE RESTRICTIONS.

Signs, advertisements, etc. shall be limited/restricted in size to be no greater than twenty-four (24) inches by twenty-four inches square.

SECTION 5: ADVANCE PERMISSION REQUIRED.

Any person, corporation or organization wishing to advertise on property owned by the Town of Highland Lake must obtain permission in advance from the Town Hall. At which time erector must give notice as to the number of signs to be installed, the duration of installation and locations of installations.

SECTION 6: FEES.

Any business, commercial organization or political organization upon being granted permission to erect signs, shall pay a fee of twenty five (25) dollars, unless the business possesses a valid/current business license from the Town of Highland Lake. This section shall not apply to yard sales or

other such activities.

SECTION 7: VIOLATION.

Failure to observe this ordinance shall result in immediate removal of signs plus penalties provided under Section 8 of this ordinance.

SECTION 8: PENALTIES.

Any individual, partnership, corporation, firm, association or other organization violating the provisions set forth in this ordinance shall be guilty of a class C misdemeanor and shall upon conviction pay a fine of not less than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars nor more than five hundred (\$500.00) dollars.

Harriet Cornelius

TOWN CLERK

Jim Marshall

MAYOR

ATTEST: I do hereby certify that the above and foregoing ordinance was approved and passed on the 24th day of August, 1998, at the regular council meeting. It was posted in three (3) public places for five (5) days.

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Town Clerk

