## **BILL 04-06**

## **ORDINANCE NO. 871**

## AN ORDINANCE REQUIRING THE DISPLAY OF APPROVED ADDRESS NUMBERS FOR BUILDINGS IN ADRIAN, MISSOURI

WHEREAS, the City has determined the importance in allowing emergency responders to more easily identify and respond, by requiring all owners and occupiers of residential and commercial buildings and structures located within the boundaries of the in the City of Adrian, Missouri, to properly identify their buildings and structures by appropriate street number prominently displayed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Adrian, Missouri, as follows:

- **Section 1**. **Premises identification.** Effective January 1, 2005, all owners and occupies of residential and commercial buildings and structures located within the boundaries of the in the City of Adrian, Missouri, shall permanently affix to their buildings and prominently display approved numbers of addresses in such a position as to be clearly visible and legible from the street or roadway fronting the property in which the building is located. Letters or number shall be a minimum 3 inches (76 mm) in height and stroke of minimum 0.5 inch (12.7 mm) of a contrasting color to the background itself.
- **Section 2**. **Ordinances in Conflict are Repealed.** All other resolutions of the Governing Body, ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed insofar as they do conflict.
- **Section 3.** Penalties generally. Any person or firm violating any section of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of an ordinance violation, and upon conviction of any such violation shall, unless another specific penalty or penalty range be provided by another subsection of this section, be punished by a fine of not less than \$75.00 and not more than \$500.00, or by imprisonment for a term not to exceed 30 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.
- **Section 4. Duties of Police Department**. It shall be the duty of the police department to assist the City's Building Control Officer in enforcing the provisions of this ordinance.
- I, Barbara Bloomfield, City Clerk of the City of Adrian, Missouri, certify the above ordinance No. 871 is a true and correct copy and same is recorded as a permanent record in the Ordinance Book of the City of Adrian, Missouri.
- **Section 3**. This ordinance being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety of the citizens of the City of Adrian, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall be in force and *take* effect from and after the date of its passage and approval.

READ THREE TIMES and adopted by the City Council of the City of Adrian, Missouri, this 21st day of June. 2004.

Approved

Randolph, Mayor

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Attest:

Barbara Bloomfield. City Clerk