ORDINANCE NUMBER 946

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BURKBURNETT, TEXAS, AMENDING THE CITY OF BURKBURNETT CODE OF ORDINANCES BY AMENDING CHAPTER 36: CITY COMMISSIONERS BY REPEALING SECTION 36.24 SPECIAL MEETINGS AND SECTION 36.30 ABSENCE; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT THEREWITH; PROVIDING A SAVINGS CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners has determined Section 36.24 is contradictory to Article IV, Section 16 of the Burkburnett Charter and is unnecessary and Section 36.30 is contradictory to Article IV, Section 16 of the Charter which allows the Board of Commissioners to determine it owns rules and procedure.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BURKBURNETT, TEXAS, AS FOLLOWS:

Part 1. Enacted

THAT the Code of Ordinances of the City of Burkburnett is hereby amended by repealing in their entirety Section 36.24 Special Meetings and Section 36.30 Absence. As a place holding the following language shall be placed in both sections:

(Repealed Ord. 946, 02-18-2019; reserved for future use)

Part II: Repealer

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in force when the provisions of this Ordinance become effective which are inconsistent or are in conflict with the terms and provisions contained in this Ordinance are hereby repealed only to the extent of any such conflict.

Part III: Severability

It is hereby declared to be the intention of the Board of Commissioners that the phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this ordinance be severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs or sections of this ordinance, and the remainder of this Ordinance shall be enforced as written.

Part IV: Compliance with Texas Open Meetings Act

It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was passed was open to the public and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

Part V: Effective Date

This Ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 18th DAY OF FEBRUARY 2019.

Carl Law, Mayor City of Burkburnett, Texas

ATTEST:

Janelle Stahr, City Clerk