

NOTICE OF ORDINANCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 16th day of April, 2018, the governing body of the City of Hobbs adopted an ordinance amending Chapter 2.58 of the Hobbs Municipal Code. A summary of the ordinance is contained in its title and is further described as follows:

CITY OF HOBBS

ORDINANCE NO. 1115

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING CHAPTER 2.58 OF THE
HOBBS MUNICIPAL CODE AND ADOPTING AN ORDINANCE
REGARDING NUMBER OF CITY OF HOBBS EMPLOYEES

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF HOBBS, NEW MEXICO that Section 2.58.001 and 2.58.002 of the Hobbs Municipal Code is hereby repealed and Section 2.58 be amended to read as follows:

WHEREAS, the number of City of Hobbs employees tend to fluctuate given the economy of Lea County;

WHEREAS, the growth of our City and correlating safety positions and services have required the number of City of Hobbs employees to increase;

WHEREAS, the opening of the Center of Recreational Excellence (“CORE”) will require a significant increase in the number of City of Hobbs employees;

WHEREAS, Section 2.56.050 of the Hobbs Municipal Code provides the City Manager is responsible for personnel issues as the Chief Executive Officer of the City;

WHEREAS, the City Manager should use good-faith efforts to hire and maintain an appropriate work force, subject to prior approval by the Hobbs City Commission through the budgeting process, to ensure the safety and well-being of the citizens of Hobbs;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF HOBBS, NEW MEXICO, Section 2.58.001 and 2.58.002 of the Hobbs Municipal Code be repealed; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that Section 2.58 of the Hobbs Municipal Code shall be amended as follows:

2.58.003 NUMBER OF CITY OF HOBBS EMPLOYEES

The City Manager shall, at all times, utilize good-faith efforts to maintain an appropriate work force, subject to approval by the Hobbs City Commission through the budgeting process, to ensure the safety and well-being of the citizens of Hobbs.

2.48.004 BUDGETARY ADJUSTMENTS

Any and all adjustments to the personnel budget shall be accomplished through quarterly budget adjustment requests with City Commission approval, prior to said adjustments.

A full version of the ordinance in its entirety is available to interested persons during regular business hours in the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 200 East Broadway, Hobbs, New Mexico. The ordinance is also available for viewing online at www.hobbsnm.org.

/s/Jan Fletcher
Jan Fletcher, City Clerk