

ORDINANCE NO. 16

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF HOCHATOWN, OKLAHOMA, AMENDING THE CODE OR ORDINANCES TITLE 2 “BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS”, CHAPTER 1 “PLANNING COMMISSION”, AMENDING SECTION 2-1-1(B) TO ESTABLISH THAT THE COMMITTEE SHALL BE MADE UP OF A MINIMUM OF THREE (3) RESIDENTS WITH THE REMAINING TWO (2) SEATS TO BE FILLED BY A RESIDENT OR PROPERTY OWNER AND FURTHER AMENDING TO PERMIT ANY MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES TO NOMINATE A MEMBER; PROVIDING FOR REPEALER; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF HOCHATOWN, MCCURTAIN COUNTY, STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. That Title 2, Chapter 1, Section 2-1-1(B) of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Hochatown, Oklahoma is hereby amended and shall hereinafter read as follows:

2-1-1: COMMISSION CREATED; MEMBERSHIP:

B. Appointment; Terms: The Planning Commission shall consist of five (5) appointive members consisting of a minimum of three (3) members who shall be residents of the Town, and the remaining two (2) members may be comprised of residents of the Town or persons who own real property located within the Town, and the Chairman of the Town Board of Trustees and the Town Engineer (if any) as ex officio members. The appointive members shall be nominated by any member of the Board of Trustees and appointed by the Board of Trustees and shall serve for terms of three (3) years. Of the original appointive members, one shall serve for a term of one year; two (2) shall serve for a term of two (2) years; and two (2) shall serve for a term of three (3) years. For purposes of this section, “persons who own real property” shall include a designated representative of any entity that may hold the property in the name of a legal entity, not the individual designated representatives name.

SECTION 6. That the remaining portions of Title 2 of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Hochatown, Oklahoma shall be unchanged by this Ordinance.

SECTION 7. The provisions of this ordinance are severable and if any section, subsection, subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase or any part thereof is for any reason determined to be unconstitutional or adjudged invalid or ineffective by any Court of competent jurisdiction, such determination or adjudication shall not affect or impair the validity or effectiveness of the remaining parts, provisions or portions hereof.

SECTION 8. Repealer. All ordinances or parts thereof which are inconsistent with this ordinance are repealed upon effective date of this ordinance.


SECTION 9. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public health, peace, and safety of the citizens of the Town of Hochatown, Oklahoma, that an emergency be declared to exist, this ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately from and after its passage, approval, and publication.

SECTION 10. Pursuant to 11 O.S. §14-108, the Town Clerk is authorized to include this ordinance in the official Code of Ordinances for the Town of Hochatown, it being the intent to authorize recodification with the inclusion of this ordinance upon approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Town Trustees of the Town of Hochatown, Oklahoma this the 5 day of February, 202^{RR}5.


Dian Jordan, Mayor

ATTEST:


Helen Harden, Town Clerk

