

ORDINANCE NO. 2017-004

AN ORDINANCE LEVYING AN ANNUAL PRIVILEGE LICENSE FEE UPON ALL PERSONS OR OTHER ENTITIES WHO CARRY ON ANY TRADE, BUSINESS, PROFESSION, VOCATION OR CALLING WITHIN THE CITY OF TYRONZA, ARKANSAS; PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATION THEREOF; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TYRONZA, ARKANSAS, AS FOLLOWS:

1. There is hereby levied an occupational license fee upon all persons, firms, corporations or other entities that engage in, carry on, or follow any trade, business, occupation, profession, vocation or calling (hereinafter "Occupation") within the corporate limits of the City of Tyronza, Arkansas, the annual amount of which is hereinafter established as follows:

<u>Nature of Business:</u>	<u>License Fee:</u>
Banks	\$150.00
Funeral Homes	\$100.00
Landlords, two or more rental units	\$50.00
All others, except as hereinafter provided	\$50.00
Seasonal (work up to 6 months per year)	\$25.00
Door-to-door Sales (3 day limit)	\$25.00
Mobile vendor (3 day limit)	\$25.00

In the event the time limit for seasonal, door-to-door sales or mobile vendors are exceeded, then a \$50.00 license fee shall be applicable.

2. That all persons, firms, corporations or other entities desiring to engage in, or carry on, any Occupation within the City of Tyronza, Arkansas shall pay the required license fee and comply with all other requirements herein prior to engaging in his/her/its Occupation.

3. In the event a person, firm, corporation or other entity carries on more than one Occupation (other than a bank or funeral home) at a single location, then only one \$50 license fee shall be required. If, however, more than one person, firm, corporation or other entity carries on an Occupation at a single location, then each such person, firm, corporation or other entity shall pay the applicable license fee.

4. The following are exempt from the above-indicated license fee requirements:

- a. Minors;
- b. Non-profit organizations such as a school, church or I.R.C. Section 501(C)(3) tax exempt organization;
- c. Vendors at any City sponsored event;
- d. Anyone that shall demonstrate to the City that he/she/it has paid a license fee in another city in this state. If, however, anyone that

has paid a license fee shall maintain a place of business in another city and also in Tyronza, then this exemption shall not be applicable.

5. The privilege license provided for herein shall be purchased by making written application and paying the required sum to the City Recorder/Treasurer prior to commencement of any business or by February 1 of each year for renewal thereof. A prorated fee shall be paid for the initial period if less than one year.

6. The privilege license provided for herein shall be conspicuously displayed at the business location of the licensee, or if the licensee has no fixed business location, it shall be carried with the licensee and readily available for production upon request.

7. Any violation of this ordinance shall be punishable by a fine of up to \$100.00, and each day such violation continues shall constitute a separate offense.

8. The provisions of this ordinance are severable.

9. This ordinance shall supersede Ordinance No. 2007-0003, but any privilege tax presently due and payable thereunder shall remain due and payable until paid.

10. That an emergency is hereby declared to exist, as the aforementioned license fees provide funds for provision of necessary services to the citizens of Tyronza, and this ordinance being necessary for the preservation of public peace, health and safety, shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 12th day of December, 2017.

CITY OF TYRONZA

By:

Charles D. D'Amico

Mayor

Attest:

Donna O'Connell

RECORDER/TREASURER

(SEAL)

