

STATE OF GEORGIA

CITY OF WALNUT GROVE

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-04

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING AND ENACTING A NEW CODE FOR THE CITY OF WALNUT GROVE, GEORGIA; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF CERTAIN ORDINANCES NOT INCLUDED THEREIN; PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF; PROVIDING FOR THE MANNER OF AMENDING SUCH CODE; AND PROVIDING WHEN SUCH CODE AND THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE.

THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WALNUT GROVE HEREBY ORDAIN:

Section 1. The Code entitled "The Code of the City of Walnut Grove, Georgia," published by CivicPlus, LLC, consisting of chapters 1 through 42, each inclusive, is adopted.

Section 2. All ordinances of a general and permanent nature enacted on or before November 30, 2022, and not included in the Code or recognized and continued in force by reference therein, are repealed.

Section 3. The repeal provided for in section 2 hereof shall not be construed to revive any ordinance or part thereof that has been repealed by a subsequent ordinance that is repealed by this ordinance.

Section 4. Unless another penalty is expressly provided, every person convicted of a violation of any provision of the Code or any ordinance, rule or regulation adopted or issued in pursuance thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding \$1,000.00, imprisonment for a term not exceeding 90 days, or any combination thereof. As an alternative to fine or imprisonment, the municipal court may sentence any offender upon conviction to labor in a city working or on the streets, sidewalks, squares, or other public works for a period not exceeding 90 days. Except as otherwise provided: (i) with respect to violations of this Code that are continuous with respect to time, each day that the violation continues is a separate offense; and (ii) with respect to violations that are not continuous with respect to time, each act constitutes a separate offense. The penalty provided by this section, unless another penalty is expressly provided, shall apply to the amendment of any Code section, whether or not such penalty is reenacted in the amendatory ordinance. In addition to the penalty prescribed above, the city may pursue other remedies such as abatement of nuisances, injunctive relief and revocation of licenses or permits.

Section 5. Additions or amendments to the Code when passed in such form as to indicate the intention to make the same a part of the Code shall be deemed to be incorporated in the Code, so that reference to the Code includes the additions and amendments.

Section 6. Ordinances adopted after November 30, 2022, that amend or refer to ordinances that have been codified in the Code shall be construed as if they amend or refer to like provisions of the Code.

Section 7. The effective date of this ordinance shall be October 2, 2025,

It is so ordained on this 2nd day of October 2025.


City of Walnut Grove, Georgia


~~Stephanie Monerief, Mayor~~
Erica Miles
Mayor Pro Tem

ATTEST:


Lynn Heard, City Clerk

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