

ORDINANCE NO. 30-20

ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 96-19 SETTING THE DATES, TIME, AND LOCATION FOR REGULAR MEETINGS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR 2020

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 96-19 establishes the date, time, and location of all regular meetings of the Fort Smith Board of Directors for the year 2020; and,

WHEREAS, the public health emergency that currently exists related to the COVID-19 pandemic suggests the adoption of public policies that limit gatherings to no more than ten people and encourage individuals to practice social distancing; and,

WHEREAS, the Fort Smith Board of Directors may need to relocate public meetings in order to adhere to suggested public policy.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CITY OF FORT SMITH, ARKANSAS, THAT:

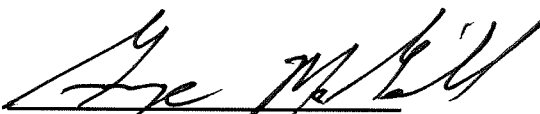
SECTION 1: During the months of April, May and June 2020, regular meetings of the Fort Smith Board of Directors scheduled for 6:00 p.m. at the Fort Smith Public Schools Service Center, Building "B", 3205 Jenny Lind Road on the first and third Tuesday evenings of each month may be moved and held at the Fort Smith Convention Center, 55 South 7th Street, at the direction of the City Administrator based on venue availability and in the interest of the public health, safety and welfare. The City Administrator shall cause notice to be given in advance of the relocation of any meeting to the Fort Smith Convention Center, and such notice shall be consistent, at least, with the notice required of a special meeting of the Board of Directors by A.C.A. Section 25-19-106.

SECTION 2: Ordinance No. 96-19 is hereby amended to reflect the provisions noted in Section 1.

SECTION 3: Emergency Clause. It is determined that an emergency exists regarding the effective date of this Ordinance to provide for the orderly conducting of the affairs of the governing body and the City. Therefore, an emergency is declared and this Ordinance shall be in full force an effect immediately upon its passage.

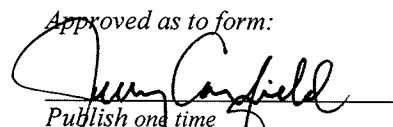
THIS ORDINANCE ADOPTED this 31st day of March, 2020.

APPROVED:


MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

Approved as to form:

Publish one time