

ORDINANCE NO. 0510-22-01

AN ORDINANCE PERMITTING OUTDOOR BURNING WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF GOLINDA, TEXAS TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY STATE LAW AND ADOPTING THE STATE OUTDOOR BURNING RULES

WHEREAS, the open burning of materials is a hazard to the health and safety of the citizens and property within the City of Golinda;

WHEREAS, the State of Texas has enacted the Texas Clean Air Act in Chapter 382 of the Texas Health & Safety Code, and pursuant to the authority granted thereby, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has enacted regulations in Title 30, Chapter 111, Subchapter B of the Texas Administrative Code (herein "State Law") to generally prohibit outdoor burning except as specifically allowed therein;

WHEREAS, State Law provide that burning must be outside the corporate limits of a city or town except where the incorporated city or town has enacted an ordinance which permits burning consistent with the Texas Clean Air Act; and,

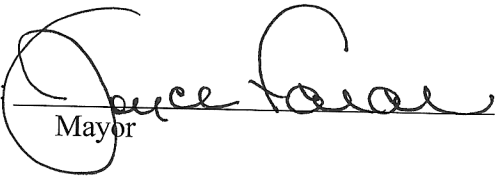
WHEREAS, the Golinda City Council intends to allow outdoor burning within the Golinda City Limits to the greatest extent permitted by State Law.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF GOLINDA TEXAS that:

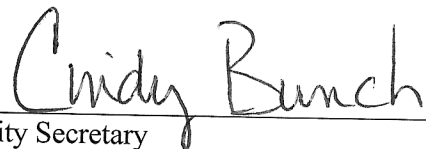
1. The recitals above are found to be true statements of fact.
2. The City hereby declares that outdoor burning is lawful within the city limits of Golinda, Texas to the extent permitted by State Law and hereby adopts the outdoor burning rules outlined in Sections 111.201 through 111.221 of Title 30, Chapter 111, Subchapter B of which a copy is attached hereto.
3. In the event that the Falls County Judge or Falls County Commissioners Court issues a burn ban in accordance with Section 352.081 of the Texas Local Government Code, outdoor burning shall not be allowed within the city limits of Golinda, Texas except as otherwise authorized by said section or for which a permit is obtained from the City of Golinda, Texas.
4. This ordinance shall be effective immediately.

PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED on May 10, 2022, by a vote
of 5 ayes 0 nays 0 abstentions.

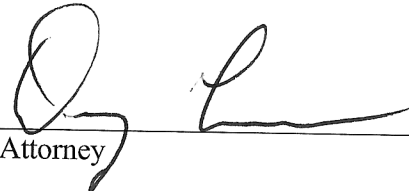
CITY OF GOLINDA, TEXAS

By: 
Mayor

ATTEST:


City Secretary

APPROVED:


City Attorney

