

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR HORSES IN THE CITY AND DESIGNATING WHEN THIS ORDINANCE SHALL TAKE EFFECT.

WHEREAS, this community has some landowners with more than 5 acres of land, and

WHEREAS, said landowners have requested to use this land for horses, and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF ST. MARY, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1.--ELIGIBILITY

If a landowner has more than 5 acres of continuous land he may apply to the Board of Aldermen for a permit to have horses.

SECTION 2.--PERMIT

Application for a permit to have horses shall be made in writing and presented to the Board of Aldermen at a regular Board of Aldermen meeting. Each permit is granted only to the property owner and not to a location. If said land should be sold the new owner must make a separate application to keep horses.

SECTION 3--CRITERIA

The property owner must have three (3) acres of land for one horse and one (1) acre for each horse thereafter. The horses must be kept on acreage that is kept clean and does not create a nuisance to adjoining property owners. If a nuisance should occur then the permit will be rescinded.

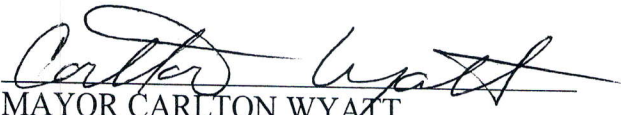
SECTION 4--VIOLATION

Any property owner who knowingly keeps horses without a permit from the city shall be guilty of an offense and will be charged in municipal court.


SECTION 5--SEVERABILITY

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict are hereby repealed. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this the 14th day of May, 2002.



MAYOR CARLTON WYATT

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK JOANN E. DONZE

ALDERMEN	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Robert Bequette	x			
Brian Chapman				x
Charlotte Otte	x			
Robert Schultz	x			

I, JoAnn E. Donze, Clerk of the City of St. Mary, Missouri do hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was duly read and adopted by the Board of Aldermen at a regular meeting so convened this the 14th day of May, 2002.


CITY CLERK JOANN E. DONZE