

COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOBART, INDIANA

ORDINANCE 2013-45

**An Ordinance Amending the Municipal Code of the City of Hobart
Concerning Prohibited Signs**

WHEREAS, the Common Council ("Council") of the City of Hobart, Indiana ("City") has noted a need to up-date the Municipal Code of City pertaining to the regulation of electronic signs; and

WHEREAS, the Council believes that it would be desirable to allow certain electronic in the City with proper safeguards to avoid interference with traffic safety and the enjoyment of residential areas; and

WHEREAS, the Council desires to implement these changes through this Ordinance.

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Common Council of the City of Hobart, Indiana as follows:

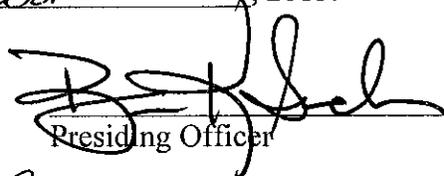
SECTION ONE. The Municipal Code of the City of Hobart, Indiana ("Code"), in Chapter 154 entitled "ZONING," in the sub-chapter entitled "Signs," §154.382 entitled "PROHIBITED SIGNS—ALL DISTRICTS" is hereby amended by striking out the entirety of the language contained in subsection (F) of that section and inserting in lieu thereof the following new language:

(F) Signs which display motion pictures, unless, in manufacturing, business or office service zoning districts, separate still images are serially displayed electronically upon a sign and are changed not less than every ten (10) seconds. All electronic signs are prohibited in residential zoning districts.

SECTION TWO: This ordinance shall become effective upon its adoption in the manner required by law, and upon publication thereof pursuant to I.C. §36-3-4-6-14(b) in two newspapers of general circulation published within the City pursuant to I.C. §5-3-1-4 (a).

SECTION THREE: All ordinances or portions thereof in effect prior to the effective date and in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

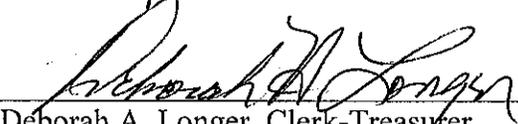
ALL OF WHICH is PASSED and ADOPTED by the Common Council of the City of Hobart, Indiana on this 18th day of December, 2013.



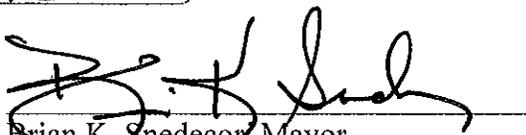
Presiding Officer

ATTEST: 
Deborah A. Longer, Clerk-Treasurer

PRESENTED by me to the Mayor of the City of Hobart on the 18th day of December, 2013 at the hour of 7:55pm,


Deborah A. Longer, Clerk-Treasurer

APPROVED, EXECUTED and RETURNED by me to the Common Council of the City of Hobart on this 18th day of December, 2013.


Brian K. Snedecor, Mayor

ATTEST:


Deborah A. Longer, Clerk-Treasurer