

AMENDMENT NO. 8 TO PROCLAMATION OF THE MAYOR OF THE TOWN OF MARANA DECLARING THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY

WHEREAS on March 17, 2020, Mayor Ed Honea issued a Proclamation of Local Emergency in response to the actions taken by federal, state, and local jurisdictions in addressing conditions related to the COVID-19 pandemic outbreak; and

WHEREAS on March 31, 2020, Mayor Honea issued Amendment No. 4 to the Proclamation of Local Emergency to, among other items, temporarily waive the assessment of certain fees included in the Town of Marana comprehensive fee schedule in light of the continuing emergency and its economic ramifications; and

WHEREAS as more Arizonans are vaccinated, the number of COVID-19 cases in Arizona has decreased over the last eight weeks, allowing various restrictions to be eased, as set forth in Arizona Governor Doug Ducey's Executive Order 2021-05 Next Phase of COVID-19 Mitigation: *Lifting Occupancy Limits Imposed due to COVID-19*, issued on March 5, 2021; and

WHEREAS on March 11, 2021, President Joe Biden signed into the law the American Rescue Plan Act, which provides additional relief to address the continued impact of COVID-19 on the economy, public health, state and local governments, individuals, and businesses; and

WHEREAS with the lifting of various restrictions and additional economic relief, the economic ramifications of the pandemic are eased as well, making the temporary waiver of certain Town fees no longer necessary; and

WHEREAS all other provisions of the Proclamation of Local Emergency, as previously amended, not in conflict with this Amendment No. 8 will remain in force until the emergency declared herein abates and is withdrawn.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to A.R.S. § 26-307, A.R.S. § 26-311, and Town Code section 2-3-4 (E), the elements of which are met under the circumstances described in the March 17, 2020 Proclamation of Local Emergency, the Mayor of the Town of Marana, Ed Honea:

IT IS PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED AS FOLLOWS:

1. Section 3 of Mayor Honea's Amendment No. 4 to the Proclamation of Local Emergency temporarily waiving the assessment of the fees listed below is hereby rescinded, and the Town Manager and staff are hereby authorized and directed

to take further action consistent with the provisions of this Amendment No. 8 to begin collecting these fees as provided in the Town's comprehensive fee schedule.

Fee/Description	Amount	Unit of Measure	Notes
Late Payment Fee	\$15.00	Per late payment	
Returned Check Fee	\$25.00	Per returned check	
Online Returned Check Fee	\$10.00	Per violation	NSF (for online and phone check/savings transactions with insufficient funds)
Dog License Fees; Penalty Fee	\$10.00	Per animal	Assessed when license not renewed within 30 days of due date established by the Town.
Late License Renewal	Greater of \$10.00 or 25% of annual license fee	Per late license renewal	

- 2. All other emergency regulations proclaimed and ordered by Mayor Honea shall remain in full force and effect until such time as the emergency declared herein abates and is withdrawn, or a subsequent proclamation is issued with amendments.
- 3. This proclamation shall be effective on May 1, 2021. All existing laws and rules in conflict of the same are hereby suspended during the time and to the extent that they conflict.

PROCLAIMED this <u>22</u> day of March, 2021 at the Town of Marana, Arizona.

ATTEST

TOWN OF MARANA

Mayor Ed Honea

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Jane Fairall, Town Attorney

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