ORDINANCE 2009-45

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 22-122 OF THE SHOREACRES CITY CODE PROVIDING THAT THE DEPOSIT OF WASTE MATERIAL INTO ANY WATERWAY IS PROHIBITED WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF SHOREACRES, TEXAS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF SHOREACRES, THAT:

If any section, clause, sentence, or phrase of this Ordinance is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, then said holding shall in no way affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance; and,

That the Shoreacres City Code is hereby amended by adding a section, to be numbered 22-122, which section reads as follows:

Sec. 22-122. Deposit of waste material into waterway prohibited.

It shall be unlawful for any person to cast, throw, dump, unload, discharge or in any manner place or cause to be placed, any junk, garbage, trash, rubbish, litter of any nature, oil, petroleum, any petroleum-based product, any other noxious substance, wastewater, dirt, debris or other waste material into any waterway, bay, bayou, pond, stream, storm water ditch, storm water culvert, storm water inlet or parcel of land located within the city limits that drains to any waterway, bay, bayou, pond, stream, or storm water system.

The City Council officially finds, determines, recites, and declares that a sufficient written notice of the date, hour, place and subject of this meeting of the City Council was posted at a place convenient to the public at the City Hall of the City for the time required by law preceding this meeting, as required by the Open Meetings Law, Chapter 551, Texas Government Code; and that this meeting has been open to the public as required by law at all times during which this ordinance and the subject matter thereof has been discussed, considered and formally acted upon. The City Council further ratifies, approves and confirms such written notice and the contents and posting thereof.

This Ordinance shall be effective from and after its passage and approval, and it is so ordered.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 1974 day of AUGUIT 2009

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ATTEST:

David K. Stall City Secretary