

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SUN CITY BANNING THE CONSTRUCTION OF CERTAIN ARENAS AND THE HOLDING OF RODEOS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF SUN CITY, KANSAS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF SUN CITY, KANSAS:

SECTION 1. DEFINITIONS. The following words and phrases when used in this Ordinance shall, for the purpose of this Ordinance, have the meanings respectively ascribed to them in this Section, unless otherwise defined in this Ordinance.

- 1.1. Arena. A level area that may or may not be surrounded by seats for spectators, in which sports, entertainments, rodeos, or other public events are held.
- 1.2. Farm Animal. A cow, swine, sheep, goat, domesticated deer, llama, poultry, rabbit, horse, pony, mule, jenny, donkey, hinny, bison, camels, giraffes or any creature of the ratite family, including but not limited to, an ostrich, emu or rhea.
- 1.3. Rodeo. Any activity or entertainment in which one or more farm animals is used in an arena.

SECTION 2. UNLAWFUL TO CONSTRUCT CERTAIN ARENAS. The Governing Body of the City of Sun City, Kansas, hereby determines that it is in the public interest and in the interest of public health, safety, and welfare, to make it unlawful to construct or cause to be constructed any arenas that are intended to be used for rodeos or that are intended to showcase farm animals for any entertainment purpose, however brief.

SECTION 3. UNLAWFUL TO HOLD RODEO. The Governing Body of the City of Sun City, Kansas, hereby further determines that it is in the public interest and in the interest of public health, safety, and welfare, to make it unlawful to hold or cause to be held a rodeo within the city limits of Sun City, Kansas.

SECTION 4. CLASSIFICATION OF VIOLATION.

- 4.1. Violation of this ordinance is a Class C violation as defined by the Uniform Public Offence Code for Kansas Cities. Fines shall not exceed \$500.00 for each violation.
- 4.2. Each occurrence of a violation, or in the case of a continuous violation, each day a violation occurs or continues, constitutes a separate offense and shall be punishable as such.

SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY. If any portion of this Ordinance is found to be enforceable or unconstitutional, said portion shall be severable from the remainder of the Ordinance, which remainder shall remain in full force and effect to the extent permitted by the laws and constitution of the State of Kansas.

SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall take effect from and following its publication in the official newspaper as required by law.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the Governing Body, this 6th day of October, 2014.


_____, MAYOR
ATTEST:


_____, CITY CLERK