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ORDINANCE NO. 20243

AN ORDINANCE introduced by City Manager Brent Trout, adopting the recodification of ordinances of the City of Topeka, Kansas, also known as the Topeka Municipal Code, pursuant to K.S.A. 12-3014 and 12-3015

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

Section 1. That section 1.05.010, Code adoption, of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Code adoption.

(a) In conformance with K.S.A. 12-3014 and 12-3015, the Governing Body hereby authorizes by the adoption of Ordinance No. 20243 the recodification of ordinances of the city of Topeka, Kansas, as set out in TMC Titles 1 through 18 and the Appendices, and titled “The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, 2020,” is hereby adopted and ordained as “The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas, 2020” (hereinafter the “Code”). Ordinance No. 20243 and the Code shall become effective when the City Clerk certifies that the Code, as published in book form, is a true and correct copy of the ordinances contained therein.

(b) Nothing in this Code shall be deemed to affect the validity of ordinances that are not codified in the Code.

(c) The arrangement and classification of the several titles, chapters, articles and sections of the Code adopted by subsection (a) of this section, and any head notes or footnotes or other references found in a section, are made for the purpose of convenience and orderly arrangement and do not constitute a part of the ordinances.

27 Therefore, no implication or presumption of legislative intent or construction is to be
28 drawn therefrom.

29 (d) If for any reason any title, chapter, article, section, subsection, sentence,
30 portion or part of the Code, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances, is
31 declared to be unconstitutional or invalid, such decision will not affect the validity of the
32 remaining portions of the Code.

33 (e) The Code shall be published on the City's website and the minimum number
34 of copies of the published Code required by K.S.A. [12-3015](#), and amendments or
35 supplements thereto, shall be kept on file in the office of the City Clerk and made
36 available for inspection by the public during reasonable business hours.

37 Section 2. That original § 1.05.010 of The Code of the City of Topeka, Kansas,
38 is hereby specifically repealed.

39 Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its
40 passage, approval and publication in the official City newspaper.

41 Section 4. This ordinance shall supersede all ordinances, resolutions or rules,
42 or portions thereof, which are in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance.

43 PASSED AND APPROVED by the Governing Body on April 21, 2020.

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45 CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS

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51 Michelle De La Isla, Mayor

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56 Brenda Younger, City Clerk