

CITY OF OAK GROVE, ARKANSAS
ORDINANCE NO. 95-2009

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING WATER SERVICES PROVIDED TO CERTAIN PROPERTY, WHICH HAS BEEN ANNEXED TO THE CITY OF OAK GROVE, ARKANSAS OR IS SITUATED ADJACENT TO THE EXISTING WATER LINES OF THE CITY OF OAK GROVE, ARKANSAS

WHEREAS, the City Council of Oak Grove, Arkansas, has determined that it is in the best interest of the City's inhabitants that water services only be provided to property owners upon certain conditions being met;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Oak Grove City Council that the Municipal Code of Oak Grove, Arkansas, Ordinance No. 46-94, is amended as follows:

Section 1: Annexed Lands and Lands Immediately Adjacent to Existing City Water Lines. The City will not provide water service to any property which lies outside the city limits of the City of Oak Grove, Arkansas unless one of the following conditions is met:

- a) the owner annexes said property to the City, and then water service will only be provided upon acceptance by the City of the property owner's request that their property be annexed and provided water services; or
- b) the property which would receive City water services is immediately adjacent to established City water lines, and then service will only be provided upon acceptance by the City of the property owner's request for water services.

Section 2: Poultry Houses. The City will provide no water service to poultry houses unless the owner of said property requests and is accepted by the City for water service, and then only upon the further condition that said poultry houses are in commercial existence at the time this ordinance is passed or are subsequently erected or repaired to replace poultry houses of the same size and number that were in existence at the time this ordinance was passed. This provision shall also apply to owners of property subsequently annexed.

Section 3: Definition. For purposes of this ordinance, a "Poultry House" shall be defined as a structure of one thousand (1,000) or more square feet in area under roof, which when used to full capacity, houses one thousand (1,000) or more chickens, turkeys, quail or other fowl for commercial purposes.

Section 4: All other ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

BE IT FURTHER ENACTED that this Ordinance being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety, and welfare of the inhabitants of Oak Grove, Arkansas, an emergency is hereby declared and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

Passed this 13 day of March, 2009.

Approved by: Juan Moraga
Mayor

Attested by: Patsy Carston
City Recorder

