

ORDINANCE # 85-2011

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE KEEPING OF DOMESTIC FOWL WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE TOWN OF OAK GROVE, ARKANSAS.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Town Council of the Town of Oak Grove, Arkansas that domestic fowl and domestic fowl standard of enclosures be added as follows:

Section one. Number of domestic fowls. It shall be unlawful to keep, harbor, or possess and/or have custody of a male fowl or more than ten (10) domestic chickens/chicks. Chicks means a fowl of unknown sex up to the age of three (3) months.

Section 2. Enclosures. No fowl shall be allowed to run at large (free range). All domestic fowl must be contained within the enclosed area on the property. Enclosed means in a fenced area, buildings, pens, cages and pastures. Enclosures are to be in the rear yard and not located in the front yard. Every enclosure wherein fowl are kept shall be kept in good repair, clean and free of odors.

Section 3. Emergency. Being aware of the necessity for an ordinance to establish a plan for regulating the keeping of domestic fowl within the town of Oak Grove, an emergency is hereby declared and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED AND ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF OAK GROVE, ARKANSAS, ON THIS 1st DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2011.

APPROVED:

Sam Jones, Mayor

Sam Jones

ATTEST:

Patsy Carlton
Patsy Carlton, Recorder

Aldermen voting "Aye"-First reading

Janice McKelvey, Eugene Reynolds, Gary Gray, Josh Peden

Second reading Janice McKelvey, Eugene Reynolds, Gary Gray, Josh Peden

Third reading Janice McKelvey, Eugene Reynolds, Gary Gray, Josh Peden

Aldermen voting "No"- First reading Gary High

Second reading Gary High

Third reading Gary High