

AN ORDINANCE FOR THE BETTER REGULATION OF LICENSES IN THE CITY OF CHERRY VALLEY, ESTABLISHING CERTAIN LICENSES, FIXING TIME FOR PAYMENT, AND PROVIDING PENALTY FOR VIOLATION, FOR THE PURPOSE OF RAISING REVENUE TO DEFRAY THE EXPENSES OF POLICE FORCE, FIRE PROTECTION, AND GENERAL REVENUE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHERRY VALLEY, ARKANSAS:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation in the City of Cherry Valley to engage in, exercise, or pursue any of the following lines of business without first having obtained and paid for a City License therefor from the City Clerk, the amounts of which City Licenses are fixed in this Ordinance.

Section 2. The licenses as provided in this Ordinance shall cover a period of twelve (12) months beginning January 1st of each year, except as to a semi-annual license as hereinafter defined, and shall be fixed for the businesses and occupations in the amounts as follows, to-wit:

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| Apartments (4 Units or Fewer) .....  | \$ 15.00  |
| Apartments (More than 4 Units) ..... | \$ 100.00 |
| Automobile Agencies .....            | \$ 200.00 |
| Banks .....                          | \$ 125.00 |
| Barber Shops .....                   | \$ 15.00  |
| Beauty Shops .....                   | \$ 15.00  |
| Black Smith Shops .....              | \$ 15.00  |
| Butane Supplies Companies .....      | \$ 40.00  |
| Butcher Shops .....                  | \$ 15.00  |
| Cotton Gins .....                    | \$ 500.00 |
| Cotton Offices .....                 | \$ 15.00  |
| Doctors' Offices .....               | \$ 200.00 |
| Drug Stores .....                    | \$ 200.00 |
| Electric Shops .....                 | \$ 15.00  |
| Furniture Stores .....               | \$ 15.00  |

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| General Merchandise Stores             | \$ 15.00  |
| Grain Elevators                        | \$ 500.00 |
| Grocery Stores                         | \$ 125.00 |
| Ice Houses                             | \$ 15.00  |
| Lime Dealer                            | \$ 15.00  |
| Liquor Stores                          | \$ 200.00 |
| Machine Shop or Welding Shop           | \$ 15.00  |
| Manufacturers (Less than 20 Employees) | \$ 40.00  |
| Manufacturers (More than 20 Employees) | \$ 125.00 |
| Parts Stores                           | \$ 40.00  |
| Peach Sheds                            | \$ 15.00  |
| Picture Shows                          | \$ 100.00 |
| Pool Halls                             | \$ 40.00  |
| Produce                                | \$ 15.00  |
| Recreation Centers                     | \$ 15.00  |
| Restaurants                            | \$ 15.00  |
| Sale Barns                             | \$ 15.00  |
| Salvage Yards                          | \$ 15.00  |
| Saw Mills                              | \$ 15.00  |
| Service Station (Only)                 | \$ 15.00  |
| Service Stations and Repair Shops      | \$ 15.00  |
| Shoe Shops                             | \$ 15.00  |
| Suburban Groceries                     | \$ 15.00  |
| Used Car Dealers                       | \$ 40.00  |

**Section 3.** Application for license under this ordinance shall be made to the City Clerk, in writing, upon forms to be furnished by the City Clerk.

**Section 4.** All licenses provided for under this ordinance shall be issued by the City Clerk and shall be for one year expiring on January 1st of the following year of issuance; provided that any new business or occupation beginning July 1st or later in any year may be issued a license for six (6) months, which license shall be one-half (1/2) the regular annual license fee and shall be paid for in advance.

**Section 5.** Any person, firm, or corporation violating any provision of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined any sum not more than double the amount of the fee provided for the license that the offender should have paid. Each day violation is continued shall constitute a separate offense.

**Section 6.** All ordinances and parts of ordinances in direct conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed, providing this ordinance does not revoke any ordinance requiring a license fee not required herein.

**Section 7.** This ordinance being necessary for the immediate preservation of public peace, health, and safety, shall take effect and be in force from and after January, 1997.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 14 day of May, 1997.

CITY OF CHERRY VALLEY, ARKANSAS

ATTEST:

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Mike Wood, Mayor

Leona Meredith  
Leona Meredith, City Clerk