

ORDINANCE NO. 837

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER 399 FURTHER REGULATING THE ACCUMULATION OF TRASH, GARBAGE, RUBBISH AND OTHER UNSIGHTLY AND UNSANITARY MATERIALS, AMENDING THE PENALTY, AND FOR AN EMERGENCY TO BE DECLARED.

BE IT THEREFORE, ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WYNNE, ARKANSAS:

WHEREAS, there is a need to amend ordinance number 399 to further regulate the accumulation of trash, garbage, rubbish and other unsightly and unsanitary materials; and

WHEREAS, the City of Wynne provides a service to residents who place their trash, garbage and rubbish at the curb in addition to the weekly trash collection; and

WHEREAS, private contractors and landlords have been placing discarded construction materials, such as flooring and cabinetry, at the curb for the city to collect, when there is no account with the city for those services.

- Section 1. It will be unlawful for any resident or business to allow discarded construction materials, such as flooring and cabinetry; and trees, by a contractor or landlord, to be placed at the curb for the city to collect.
- Section 2. If the resident or business owner desires the city to collect the construction materials or trees, he may pay the fee of \$45.00 per yard in advance at the city shop for this service.
- Section 3. A resident remodeling his home without the services of a contractor, will be allowed to place such construction materials at the curb for the city to collect, up to one room per any twelve-month period.
- Section 4. Any such person, firm, or corporation, whether they be owner, tenant or occupier of the land who shall allow discarded construction materials shall first be given a 7-day warning. If, after the 7 days have passed and the rubbish has not been disposed, the person, firm, or corporation, whether they be owner, tenant or occupier of the land shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction therefor shall be fined not less than \$100.00 and no more than \$1000.00.
- Section 5. It is hereby ascertained and declared that there is a great need to establish this provision and it shall take effect immediately from and after its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 11th day of February, 2020.

The City of Wynne, Arkansas

By: _____
Jennifer Hobbs, Mayor

Attest:

Kevin Watts
City Clerk