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Mayor Brandon Van Hook

ORDINANCE 2023-62

Amending Ordinance 2023-59

AN ORDINANCE TO REDUCE THE POLICE JURISDICTION OF THE CITY OF SEMMES TO ONE-HALF OF A MILE

WHEREAS, the City of Semmes has a population of less than 6,000 residents and thereby exercises a police jurisdiction of one and a half miles, pursuant to §11-40-10, Code of Alabama; and

WHEREAS, the City of Semmes has determined that the cost of providing services in the current mile and a half police jurisdiction outweighs the financial benefit to the City, and exhausts the City's resources and ability to provide for its corporate residents; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the authority granted in §11-40-10, Code of Alabama, the City desires to reduce its police jurisdiction from one and a half miles to one half of a mile, effective January 1, 2024.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Semmes, Alabama as follows:

- The City of Semmes, Alabama hereby reduces its police jurisdiction from one and a half miles to one half of a mile, effective January 1, 2024.
- 2. The City of Semmes shall cease to levy or collect any licenses, taxes or fees pursuant to §11-51-91, Code of Alabama, in any territory outside of one half of a mile from the corporate limits.
- 3. The Mayor of Semmes, Alabama shall notify the Mobile County Commission of this ordinance within thirty (30) days of its adoption.

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4. That all Ordinances of the City of Semmes which were adopted prior hereto and which are inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed, but only to the extent they are inconsistent with the above.

Adopted and approved this 26th day of September, 2023.

ATTEST:

Brandon Van Hook - Mayor

Heather Davis, CMC

City Clerk



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Adopted and approved this 15th day of August, 2023.

ATTEST:

Brandon Van Hook – Mayor

Heather Davis, CMC City Clerk



City of Semmes, Alabama, Certificate of Publication.

This is to certify that Ordinance No. 2023-59, was published by posting on at least three (3) bulletin boards in the City on DUGUST, 2 2023.

- 1) City Hall
- 2) Public Works Facility
- 3) Semmes Public Library

Heather R. Davis, CMC