

ORDINANCE NO. 817

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 30 "POLICE DEPARTMENT"

1. BE IT ENACTED by the City Council of West Branch, Iowa, that Chapter 30 "POLICE DEPARTMENT" of the Code of West Branch, Iowa is hereby amended by deleting Section 30.11 "RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT" in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof:

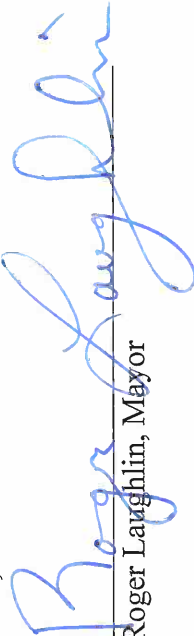
30.11 RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT

All full-time peace officers, including the Police Chief, shall establish a residence within a thirty (30) mile radius of West Branch within six months of their date of employment, and continued residency within that thirty (30) mile radius of West Branch is a requirement for continued employment with the City. Peace officers (excluding the Police Chief) will not utilize a city vehicle for transportation to and from any residence outside of the City limits, unless the full-time peace officer receives authorization from the Police Chief, City Administrator or City Council to do so. The Police Chief shall ensure that all full-time peace officers comply with these requirements.

2. This amendment to the ordinance shall be in full effect from and after its publication as by law provided.
3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.
4. If any section, provision, or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged to be invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole or any part, section, or provision thereof not adjudged invalid or unconstitutional.

Passed and approved this 4th day of November, 2024.

First Reading: October 7, 2024
Second Reading: October 21, 2024
Third Reading: November 4, 2024



Roger Laughlin, Mayor

Attest:



Leslie Brick, City Clerk

I certify that the foregoing was published as Ordinance No. 817 on the 14th day of November, 2024.



City Clerk