

NOTICE OF APPROVAL – Notice is hereby given that at the August 19, 2019 City Council Meeting of the City of Jersey Village, Texas, the following ordinance, which may be viewed online at <http://www.jerseyvillagetx.com>, was passed and approved:

ORDINANCE NO. 2019-32 - AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 14-225(B) OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF JERSEY VILLAGE, TEXAS, ADOPTING THE NEW FLOOD INSURANCE STUDY (FIS) OF HARRIS COUNTY AND INCORPORATED AREAS AND ACCOMPANYING FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAPS (FIRM) DATED NOVEMBER 15, 2019; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL; PROVIDING A PENALTY AS PROVIDED BY SECTION 1-8 OF THE CODE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Any person who shall violate any provision of these Ordinance shall be punished upon conviction as provided by Section 1-8 of the City of Jersey Village Code of Ordinances by a fine not to exceed \$500.00 provided, however, that if the fine or penalty is found to be for the violation of a rule, ordinance, or police regulation that governs fire safety, zoning, or public health and sanitation, including dumping of refuse, the fine may not exceed \$2,000.00. No penalty shall be greater or less than the penalty provided for the same or a similar offense under the laws of the state, and each day such violation shall exist shall be a separate offense.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED the 19th day of August, 2019. /s/Andrew Mitcham, Mayor
Attest: /s/ Lorri Coody, City Secretary, Jersey Village

Issued for publication on August 28, 2019 on this the 20th day of August, 2019.
/s/Lorri Coody, City Secretary, Jersey Village, Texas

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JERSEY VILLAGE, TEXAS THAT:

Section 1. The Harris County Flood Maps and Flood Insurance Study are hereby adopted, and subsection (b) of Section 14-225 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Jersey Village, Texas is amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 14-225. Flood Damage prevention.

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(b) Designation of flood hazard zones. The areas of special flood hazard identified by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in a the current scientific and engineering report entitled, "The Flood Insurance Study (FIS) of Harris County, Texas and Incorporated Areas," dated November 15, 2019 FIS of May 2, 2019 and May 2, 2019 FIRM Index Panel, with accompanying Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRM) ~~and/or Flood Boundary Floodway Maps (FBFM)~~ dated November 15, 2019, and any revisions thereto are hereby adopted by reference and declared to be a part of this chapter.

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Section 2. Severability. In the event any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause phrase, provision, sentence, or part of the Ordinance or the application of the same to any person or circumstance shall for any reason be adjudged invalid or held unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect, impair, or invalidate this Ordinance as a whole or any part or provision hereof other than the part declared to be invalid or unconstitutional; and the City Council of the City of Jersey Village, Texas, declares that it would have passed each and every part of the same notwithstanding the omission of any such part thus declared to be invalid or unconstitutional, or whether there be one or more parts.

Section 3. Repeal. All other ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict or inconsistent herewith are, to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency, hereby repealed.

Section 4. Penalty. Any person who shall willfully, intentionally, or with criminal negligence violate any provision of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be fined in accordance with Section 1-8 of The City Code. Each day of violation shall constitute a separate offense. Additionally, the City of Jersey village may abate any violation of the City’s floodplain ordinance in accordance with Texas Local Government Code § 54.020 and assess the costs incurred against the property, and perfect its lien, as provided by law.

Section 5. Effective Date. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 19th day of August, 2019.

s/Andrew Mitcham, Mayor

ATTEST:

s/Lorri Coody, City Secretary

