

**ORDINANCE # 997 (21)**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING PART 10, CHAPTER 4, ART. B, SEC 10-415 (4) AMENDING THE DEFINITION OF ORGANIZED SPORTING EVENT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR REPEALER;**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOORE, OKLAHOMA THAT:

**Sec. 10-415. Exemptions**

The following sources of potentially excessive sound shall be exempt from noise control regulation:

- (1) Safety signals and alarm devices; only storm warning sirens or horns that are owned, authorized, and required by the city and the authorized testing of such equipment, emergency vehicles sirens or horns used when responding to an emergency, and emergency pressure relief valves;
- (2) Noise created or to be created as the result of provisions of section 10-414 such that a permit shall be issued beforehand by the city manager, and such event shall be conducted in accordance with provisions of such permit;
- (3) Disaster or other emergency, or, as a result of such disaster, demanding the immediate undertaking by operators or mechanical devices for relief of stress thus created;
- (4) Organized sporting event; organized sporting event shall not include sporting events located at any city owned park, including but not limited to, all youth association regular season games and tournaments;
- (5) Noncommercial public speaking and public assembly activities conducted on any public space or public right-of-way; and
- (6) Interstate railway locomotives and trains en route, not engaged in switching operations within residential land use classifications between 10:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m.

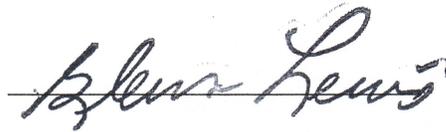
Repealer. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

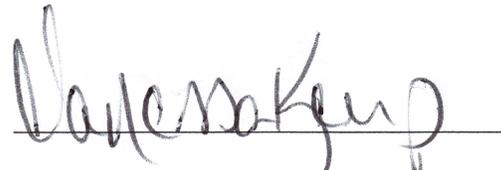
Severability. If any section, sub-section, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this ordinance is, for any reason, held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance.

ADOPTED this 20<sup>th</sup> day December, 2021.

ATTEST



  
GLENN LEWIS, Mayor

  
VANESSA KEMP, City Clerk

Approved as to form and legality:

  
RANDY C. BRINK, City Attorney