

ORDINANCE NUMBER 2008-1452-C

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF
BROWNSVILLE, TEXAS AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES
CHAPTER 328 SIGNS ARTICLE II. SECTION 11, OFF-PREMISES SIGNS
AND DEALING WITH RELATED MATTERS

WHEREAS the City of Brownsville has heretofore adopted Chapter 328 of the Code of Ordinances in the City of Brownsville as amended, and;

WHEREAS, in order to better promote the health, safety, and general welfare of the community, and its orderly development it is proposed that the said Article and Section be amended in the particulars hereinafter set forth:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF BROWNSVILLE, TEXAS:

Chapter 328, Signs, of the Brownsville Code of Ordinances, Section 328-11 is hereby amended by adding the following sentence at the beginning of the Section: "No off premises signs will be allowed except as expressly provided for in the following provisions." So that the first line of Section 328-11 will henceforth read as follow:

Sec. 328-11. Off-Premises Sign.

No off-premise signs, as defined herein, will be allowed except as expressly provided for in the following provisions.

(a) *Relocation.* An application for relocation of an off-premise signs may be submitted in writing to the director of planning and community development requesting issuance of a permit for the purposes of relocating existing signs and constructing a new sign pursuant to the following requirement:

WHEREAS, that if any provision of this ordinance, or the application of same to a particular set of persons or circumstances, should for any reason be held by the courts to be invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the remaining portions of this ordinance and to such end each provision of this ordinance is declared to be severable.

WHEREAS, all ordinances, or parts of ordinances, in conflict herewith or not in conformance with state statutes are hereby repealed or void.

WHEREAS, this ordinance shall become effective from and after its final passage and publication as provided by the Charter of City of Brownsville and the laws of the State of Texas.

INTRODUCED AND PASSED on the First Reading of the 20th day of May, 2008.

PASSED on the Second and Final Reading and Approved on this, the 17th day
of June, 2008.

City of Brownsville

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Mayor

ATTEST:

Estela Von Hatten
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City Secretary

