

ORDINANCE NO. 2009-0

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE LEMOORE CITY COUNCIL
AMENDING PORTIONS OF SECTIONS 9-14-2 AND 9-14-5-1D
IN TITLE 9 CHAPTER 14 OF THE CITY ZONING ORDINANCE SECTION OF THE LEMOORE
MUNICIPAL CODE PERTAINING TO EXEMPTION OF LANDSCAPING FOR EXEMPT SIGNS**

The City Council of the City of Lemoore does ordain as follows:

Section 1. Amending Section 9-14-2 "Freestanding Sign" under definitions to read as follows:

A sign supported by a structure other than a building or wall and attached permanently to the ground as allowed in specified zone districts. Such sign cannot incorporate unadorned poles for its support (exempt signs listed under Section 9-14-5-1D are not subject to landscaping requirements).

Section 2. Amending Section 9-14-5-1D to read as follows:

D. The following signs shall be exempt from the approval and landscape requirements of this section.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after its adoption.

Section 4. The City Clerk is authorized and directed to cause this Ordinance or a summary of this Ordinance to be published once in a newspaper of general circulation published and circulated in the City of Lemoore, within fifteen (15) days after its adoption. If a summary of this Ordinance is published, then the City Clerk shall cause a certified copy of the full text of the proposed Ordinance to be posted in the office of the City Clerk at least five (5) days prior to the Council meeting at which the Ordinance is adopted and again after the meeting at which the Ordinance is adopted. The summaries shall be approved by the City Attorney. The City Clerk is further directed to cause this Ordinance to be codified after its adoption.

The foregoing Ordinance was introduced at a Regular Meeting of the City Council of the City of Lemoore held on the ____ day of _____, 2009 and was passed and adopted at a Regular Meeting of the City Council held on the _____ day of _____, 2009, by the following vote:

**AYES:
NOES:
ABSENT:
ABSTAIN:**

APPROVED:

John F. Murray, Mayor

ATTEST:

**Nanci C.O. Lima, CMC
City Clerk**

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CERTIFICATE

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF KINGS) ss.
CITY OF LEMOORE)

I, Nanci O. Lima, City Clerk of the City of Lemoore, do hereby certify the foregoing Ordinance was duly introduced at a Regular Meeting of the City Council of the City of Lemoore held on the _____ day of _____, 2009 and passed and adopted at a Regular Meeting of the City Council held on the _____ day of _____, 2009.

DATED: _____, 2009

Nanci O. Lima, City Clerk

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