## ORDINANCE 2024-O-012

## AN ORDINANCE REPEALING AND REPLACING CODE OF ORDINANCES CHAPTER 9, ARTICLE 9.03 SIGNS

WHEREAS, City Council has determined it is in the best interest of the City to simplify its regulation of signs and signage within the City limits, and thus promote business, commerce, development, and public safety within the City;

WHEREAS, it serves the public welfare to amend the City ordinances accordingly;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLANCO:

SECTION 1. FINDINGS OF FACT

That the facts and matters set forth in the preamble of this Ordinance are true and correct.

SECTION 2. Code of Ethics and Conduct for Elected and Appointed Officials

The City's Code of Ordinances is hereby amended in its entirety by adoption of Code of Ordinances, Chapter 9, Article 9.03 SIGNS, as set forth in the attached Exhibit "A".

SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE; IMPLEMENTATION AND ENFORCEMENT DATE

This ordinance is effective on the date of publication of notice of adoption on the City's website and the local newspaper of general circulation, each of which shall be made not later than ten (10) days after adoption.

## **SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY & REPEALER**

If any provision of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance as a whole or in part, except the part held or adjudged invalid or unconstitutional. Upon adoption, the provisions of this ordinance repeal any inconsistent existing provisions of other City ordinances.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED BY CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF BLANCO, ON THE 10 DAY OF Lecen, bec

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Mayor

City Secretary

Р	Special event signs	32 sq feet	permit for 30 days, Must be securely attached
Q	Wall signs	Fit within exterior wall of building	1 per side
R	Window signs	.5 sq foot per foot of building frontage.	1 per window
S	Murals	Size of wall	Evaluated by city staff for appropriateness.

## (2) Permit not required. The following signs do not require a permit or variance. Any sign not: a) listed as allowed by permit or b) allowed without permit or variance, is prohibited and otherwise must be requested by variance.

	Туре	Size	Info
Α	Address sign	2 sq feet	
В	Athletic sponsorship	125 sq feet	Must be located on city or BISD property and erected by one of those entities
С	Construction/Development (under 6 sq feet)	6 sq feet	
Ε	Political signs	36 sq feet	No more than 6 feet tall with no moving elements. May be on private property solely with owner consent. Erected not more than 180 days prior to election date; and removed not more than five (5) days after winning candidate is sworn in.
F	Private street, road name, residence sign		
G	Real estate sign	6 sq feet	
Н	Seasonal decorations		Clearly customarily and commonly associated with any national, local or religious holiday or celebration.
I	Signs or notices issued by a court or government entity.		