

**ORDINANCE NO. O-5-14**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF PALM BEACH SHORES AMENDING ARTICLE I. IN GENERAL. OF CHAPTER 58. SIGNS. OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF PALM BEACH SHORES BY AMENDING SUBSECTION (a.) of SECTION. 58-3. PROHIBITED SIGNS. TO PERMIT DIRECTIONAL SIGNS; AND BY AMENDING ARTICLE III. REGULATION. OF CHAPTER 58. SIGNS. OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF PALM BEACH SHORES BY AMENDING SECTION 58-51. RESTRICTIONS ON LOCATION, TYPE. TO PROVIDE FOR REGULATIONS OF THE SIZE AND PLACEMENT OF DIRECTIONAL SIGNS; PROVIDING THAT EACH AND EVERY OTHER SECTION AND SUBSECTION OF CHAPTER 58. SIGNS. SHALL REMAIN IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT AS PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED; PROVIDING A CONFLICTS CLAUSE, A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE, AND AUTHORITY TO CODIFY; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Town Commission of the Town of Palm Beach Shores desires to revise the Town's regulations regarding the size and placement of directional signs for civic, religious or public service events; and

WHEREAS, the Town Commission of the Town of Palm Beach Shores believes that this amendment to the Town's sign ordinance will promote the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the Town of Palm Beach Shores and is in the best interests of the Town.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF PALM BEACH SHORES, FLORIDA, THAT:

**Section 1:** Chapter 58. SIGNS. of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Palm Beach Shores is hereby amended at Subsection (a.) of Section 58-3. Prohibited signs. by amending the regulations in order to permit the placement of directional signs; providing that this section shall hereafter read as follows:

(a) It shall be unlawful to erect any of the following types of signs unless specifically authorized under Section 58-51:

(1)-(8) *[These sub-sections shall remain in full force and effect as previously adopted.]*

**Section 2:** Chapter 58. SIGNS. of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Palm Beach Shores is hereby amended at Section 58-51. Restrictions on location, type. by amending the regulations

to provide for the placement of directional signs; providing that this section shall hereafter read as follows:

**Sec. 58-51. Restrictions on location, type.**

(a) – (g) [ *These sub-sections shall remain in full force and effect as previously adopted.* ]

(h) Directional signs, notices or symbols as to the time and place of regular civic, religious or public service activities or meetings are only permitted to be located on Town property, and only on one pole provided and placed by the Town at the entrance to the Town on Ocean Avenue and at the entrance to the Town on Lake Avenue. The maximum size of such signs shall be 18 inches by 24 inches. The maximum height of the highest sign on the Town's sign poles shall be 72 inches above grade. Any such signs shall also conform to all other applicable requirements of this Chapter. The placement of directional signs, notices or symbols shall be allocated on a first-come, first-serve basis, so long as space is available on the poles designated for such signs, notices or symbols, in the Town's discretion.

**Section 2:** Each and every other section and subsection of Chapter 58. SIGNS. of the Code of Ordinances of the Town of Palm Beach Shores, Florida, shall remain in full force and effect as previously enacted.

**Section 3:** All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict be and the same are hereby repealed.

**Section 4:** Should any section or provision of this Ordinance or any portion thereof, any paragraph, sentence or word be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remainder of this Ordinance.

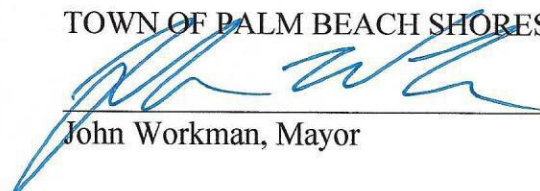
**Section 5:** Specific authority is hereby granted to codify this Ordinance.

**Section 6:** This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

FIRST READING this 19<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2014.

SECOND AND FINAL READING this 21<sup>st</sup> day of July, 2014.

TOWN OF PALM BEACH SHORES

  
John Workman, Mayor

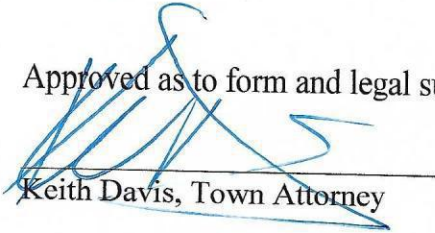
ATTEST:

  
Evyonne Browning, Town Clerk

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Approved as to form and legal sufficiency.

  
Keith Davis, Town Attorney