

ORDINANCE 01-2021

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF FORT WRIGHT, IN KENTON COUNTY, KENTUCKY, ESTABLISHING AN AMNESTY PROGRAM FOR PENALTIES IMPOSED FOR DELINQUENT REAL ESTATE TAXES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2020, AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2021 UPON REAL ESTATE IN THE CITY OF FORT WRIGHT, KENTUCKY; POSTPONING IMPOSITION OF SAID PENALTIES AND INTEREST TO APRIL 30, 2021.

WHEREAS, the Fort Wright City Council has reviewed the financial condition of the City; and

WHEREAS, the Fort Wright City Council recognizes that (1) due to the pandemic many residents are struggling financially; and (2) many complaints have been made about tax payments being delayed by slow mail delivery service this year; and

WHEREAS, the Fort Wright City Council has decided to postpone imposition to April 30, 2021 of the penalty for late payment and interest on delinquent real estate taxes that were due on December 31, 2020, and to refund any that have been paid to date for same.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WRIGHT, KENTON COUNTY, KENTUCKY, AS FOLLOWS.

SECTION 1

Pursuant to KRS 91A.070(4), the City of Fort Wright hereby grants the following amnesty for the penalty and interest due on a delinquent City real estate tax bill to any property owner for real estate taxes that were due on or before December 31, 2020 as follows: the City will postpone imposition of the penalty and interest on delinquent City real estate tax bill to any property owner for real estate taxes that were due on or before December 31, 2020 if full payment is actually received by the City on or before 5:00 pm E.D.T. on April 30, 2021. This Ordinance amends the penalty and interest provision of Ordinance 37.02(B) for this one tax year as to real estate taxes only. Any party who has paid the penalty and/or interest prior to the adoption of this amending Ordinance shall be entitled upon request to a refund of such payments made.

SECTION 2

Any and all Ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance shall be, and hereby are, repealed to the extent of said conflict.

SECTION 3

If any part of this ordinance or its application is deemed invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the city council intends that such invalidity will not affect the

effectiveness of the remaining provisions or applications and, to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are severable.

SECTION 4

That this ordinance shall become effective upon its passage and shall be published under KRS 83A.060(9) and other applicable law. This ordinance may be published by summary.

Passed by City Council on February 3, 2021

CITY OF FORT WRIGHT, KENTUCKY

By: 

Dave Hatter, Mayor

ATTEST:



Maura Russell, City Clerk

FIRST READING: January 20, 2021

SECOND READING: February 3, 2021

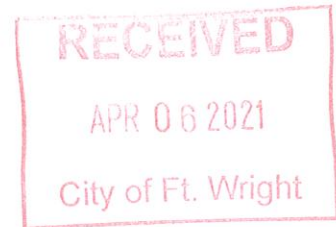
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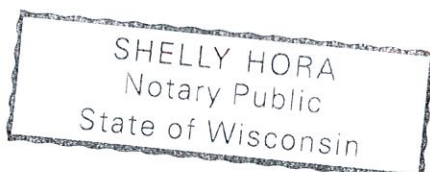
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2/08/2021

Kathleen Allen
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of March, 2021

Shelly Hora
Notary Public

8-25-23
Commission expires



The City of Fort Wright, Kentucky, has adopted Ordinance 01-2021 establishing an amnesty program for penalties imposed for delinquent real estate taxes for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2020, and ending June 30, 2021 upon real estate in the City of Fort Wright, Kentucky; postponing imposition of said penalties and interest to April 30, 2021. The ordinance may be viewed in full on our website at <https://www.fortwright.com/about/city-ordinances>.
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