ORDINANCE NO. 1243

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF IOWA FALLS, IOWA, BY AMENDING PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO PUBLIC HEARING REQUIREMENTS

Be It Enacted by the City Council of the City of Iowa Falls, Iowa:

SECTION 1. SUBPARAGRAPH MODIFIED. Subparagraph (1) of Paragraph D of Subsection 4 of Section 7.05 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Iowa Falls, Iowa, is repealed and the following is adopted in lieu thereof:

> (1) Notice of the public hearing shall be published not less than four or more than 20 days in a newspaper published at least once weekly and having general circulation in the City. However, if the City has a population of 200 or less, publication may be made by posting in three public places in the City.
>
> *(Code of Iowa, Sec, 24.2A(4)(b)(2))*

SECTION 2. SUBSECTION MODIFIED. Subsection 6 of Section 7.05 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Iowa Falls, Iowa, is repealed and the following is adopted in lieu thereof:

> 6. Notice of Hearing. Following, and not until completion of requirements, of Subsection 4 of this section, the Council shall set a time and place for public hearing on the budget to be held before April 30 and shall publish notice of the hearing not less than four or more than 20 days before the hearing. A summary of the proposed budget and a description of the procedure for protesting the City budget under Section 384.19 of the *Code of Iowa*, in the form prescribed by the Director of the Department of Management, shall be included in the notice. Proof of publication of the notice under this subsection must be filed with the County Auditor.
>
> *(Code of Iowa, Sec. 384.16(3))*

SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE. If any section, provision or part of this ordinance shall be adjudged invalid or unconstitutional, such adjudication shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or any section, provision or part thereof not adjudged invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 4. WHEN EFFECTIVE. This ordinance shall be in effect from and after its final passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

Passed by the Council on the 15th day of September, 2025, and approved this 15th day of September, 2025.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk

First Reading: 9-15-25

Second Reading: 9-15-25

Third Reading: 9-15-25

I certify that the foregoing was published as Ordinance No 1243 on the 20th day of September, 2025.

Amanda Uhse

City Clerk