

CITY OF NORTON ORDINANCES

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AN ORDINANCE REGULATING PUBLIC OFFENSES WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF NORTON, KANSAS; INCORPORATING BY REFERENCE THE "UNIFORM PUBLIC OFFENSE CODE FOR KANSAS CITIES," EDITION OF 2009, AND REPEALING ORDINANCE #1578.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF NORTON, KANSAS:

Section 1. INCORPORATING UNIFORM PUBLIC OFFENSE CODE. There is hereby incorporated by reference for the purpose of regulating public offenses within the corporate limits of the City of Norton, Kansas, that certain code known as the "Uniform Public Offense Code," Edition of 2009, prepared and published in book form by the League of Kansas Municipalities, Topeka, Kansas. No fewer than three copies of said Uniform Public Offense Code shall be marked or stamped "Official Copy as Adopted by Ordinance No. 1585", and to which shall be attached a copy of this ordinance, and filed with the city clerk to be open to inspection and available to the public at all reasonable hours.

Section 2. REPEAL. Ordinance number 1578 is hereby repealed. Section 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the official city newspaper.

PASSED BY THE GOVERNING BODY of the City of Norton, Kansas, this 5th day of August, 2009.

David N. Corns, Mayor

ATTEST: Darla R. Ellis, City Clerk

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AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF \$310,000 PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS

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AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF \$310,000 PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF GENERAL OBLIGATION REFUNDING BONDS, SERIES 2009, OF THE CITY OF NORTON, KANSAS, FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING FUNDS TO REFUND THE CITY'S OUTSTANDING GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS; PROVIDING FOR THE LEVY AND COLLECTION OF AN ANNUAL TAX FOR THE PURPOSE OF PAYING THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST OF SAID BONDS AS THEY BECOME DUE; AUTHORIZING CERTAIN OTHER DOCUMENTS AND ACTIONS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH; AND MAKING CERTAIN COVENANTS WITH RESPECT THERETO.

WHEREAS, the City is a city of the second class, duly created, organized and existing under the Constitution and laws of the State; and

WHEREAS, the City heretofore issued and has outstanding the Refunded Bonds and is authorized by K.S.A. 10-427 et seq. to issue general obligation refunding bonds of the City for the purpose of refunding the Refunded Bonds; and

WHEREAS, in order to achieve interest cost savings through early redemption of the Refunded Bonds and to provide an orderly plan of finance for the City, it has become desirable and in the best interest of the City and its inhabitants to refund the Refunded Bonds;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF NORTON, KANSAS, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Definitions of Words and Terms. In addition to words and terms defined elsewhere herein, the following words and terms in this Ordinance shall have the meanings hereinafter set forth. Unless the context shall otherwise indicate, words importing the singular number shall include the plural and vice versa, and words importing persons shall include firms, associations and corporations, including public bodies, as well as natural persons.

"Act" means the Constitution and statutes of the State including K.S.A. 10-101 to 10-125, inclusive, K.S.A. 10-427 et seq., K.S.A. 10-620 et seq. and K.S.A. 12-1736 et seq., all as amended and supplemented from time to time.

"Bond and Interest Fund" means the Bond and Interest Fund of the City for its general obligation bonds.

"Bond Resolution" means the resolution to be adopted by the governing body of the City prescribing the terms and details of the Bonds and making covenants with respect thereto.

"Bonds" means the City's General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2009, in the aggregate principal amount of \$310,000, and dated September 15, 2009, authorized by this Ordinance.

"City" means the City of Norton, Kansas.

"Clerk" means the duly appointed and acting Clerk of the City or, in the Clerk's absence, the duly appointed Deputy Clerk or Acting Clerk.

"Mayor" means the duly elected and acting Mayor or, in the Mayor's absence, the duly appointed and/or elected Vice Mayor or Acting Mayor of the City.

"Ordinance" means this Ordinance authorizing the issuance of the Bonds.

"Refunded Bonds" means the Series 2000 Bonds maturing in the years 2010 to 2020, inclusive, in the aggregate principal amount of \$295,000.

"Refunded Bonds Redemption Date" means October 1, 2009.

"Refunded Bonds Resolution" means each ordinance and resolution which authorized the Refunded Bonds.

"Series 2000 Bonds" means the City's General Obligation Bonds, Series 2000, dated September 1, 2000.

"State" means the State of Kansas.

Section 2. Authorization of the Bonds. There shall be issued and hereby are authorized and directed to be issued the General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2009, of the City in the principal amount of \$310,000, for the purpose of providing funds to: (a) refund the Refunded Bonds; and (b) pay costs of issuance of the Bonds.

Section 3. Security for the Bonds. The Bonds shall be general obligations of the City payable as to both principal and interest from ad valorem taxes which may be levied without limitation as to rate or amount upon all the taxable tangible property, real and personal, within the territorial limits of the City. The full faith, credit and resources of the City are hereby irrevocably pledged for the prompt payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds as the same become due.

Section 4. Terms, Details and Conditions of the Bonds. The Bonds shall be dated and bear interest, shall mature and be payable at such times, shall be in such forms, shall be subject to redemption and payment prior to the maturity thereof, and shall be issued and delivered in the manner prescribed and subject to the provisions, covenants and agreements set forth in the Bond Resolution hereafter adopted by the governing body of the City.

Section 5. Levy and Collection of Annual Tax. The governing body of the City shall annually make provision for the payment of principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds as the same become due by levying and collecting the necessary taxes upon all of the taxable tangible property within the City in the manner provided by law.

The taxes above referred to shall be extended upon the tax rolls in each of the several years, respectively, and shall be levied and collected at the same time and in the same manner as the general ad valorem taxes of the City are levied and collected shall be used solely for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds as and when the same become due and the fees and expenses of the Paying Agent. The proceeds derived from said taxes shall be deposited in the Bond and Interest Fund.

If at any time said taxes are not collected in time to pay the principal of or interest on the Bonds when due, the Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay said principal or interest out of the general funds of the City and to reimburse said general funds for money so expended when said taxes are collected.

Section 6. Further Authority. The Mayor, Clerk and other City officials are hereby further authorized and directed to execute any and all documents and take such actions as they may deem necessary or advisable in order to carry out and perform the purposes of the Ordinance, and to make alterations, changes or additions in the foregoing agreements, statements, instruments and other documents herein approved, authorized and confirmed which they may approve, and the execution or taking of such action shall be conclusive evidence of such necessity or advisability.

Section 7. Governing Law. This Ordinance and the Bonds shall be governed exclusively by and construed in accordance with the applicable laws of the State.

Section 8. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage by the governing body of the City, approval by the Mayor and publication in the official City newspaper.

PASSED by the governing body of the City on August 5, 2009 and APPROVED AND SIGNED by the Mayor.

David N. Corns, Mayor

ATTEST: Darla R. Ellis, Clerk

2008 Norton County Delinquent Real Estate Tax List

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I, Cynthia J. Linner, Treasurer of Norton County, Kansas, do hereby give notice that the following tracts of land and town lots will be, by me, bid off in the name of Norton County, Kansas, on or after the first Tuesday of September following publication of listing of real estate subject to sale for the amount of the delinquent taxes and the legal charges due thereon including the costs of advertising and the fees for selling for the taxable year 2008, all in accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 79-2301 to 79-2323a, at my office in Norton, the County Seat of the County. Said land and town lots all being situated in Norton County and the State of Kansas.

A few of the taxpayers whose names appear in this legal publication may have made payments. Unfortunately, it is not always possible to delete names after the list is submitted for publication. I regret any embarrassment this may cause.

Cynthia J. Linner, Treasurer, Norton County, Kansas

Table with columns: Taxpayer, Owner, Parcel#, Legal 1, Legal 2, Amount. Lists delinquent real estate taxes for 2008 in Norton County, Kansas.