ORDINANCE NO. 357

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING AND ENACTING A CODIFICATION AND
REVISION OF THE ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF MONTEREY, TENNESSEE.

WHEREAS some of the ordinances of the Town of Monterey are
obsolete, and

WHEREAS some of the other ordinances of the town are
inconsistent with each other or are otherwise inadequate, and

WHEREAS the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of
Monterey, Tennessee, has caused its ordinances of a general,
continuing, and permanent application or of a penal nature to
be codified and revised and the same are embodied in a code of
ordinances known as the Monterey Municipal Code, now, therefore:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE
TOWN OF MONTEREY, TENNESSEE, THAT:

Section 1. Ordinances codified. The ordinances of the
town of a general, continuing, and permanent application or
of a penal nature, as codified and revised in the following
"titles," namely "titles" 1 to 13, both inclusive, are
ordained and adopted as the Monterey Municipal Code, herein-
after referred to as the "Municipal Code."

Section 2. Ordinances repealed. All ordinances of a
general, continuing, and permanent application or of a penal
nature not contained in the Municipal Code are hereby repealed
from and after the effective date of said code, except as
hereinafter provided.

Section 3. Ordinances saved from repeal. The repeal pro-
vided for in the preceding section of this ordinance shall not
affect: Any offense or act committed or done, or any penalty
or forfeiture incurred, or any contract or right established
or accruing before the effective date of the Municipal Code;
any ordinance or resolution promising or requiring the payment
of money by or to the town or authorizing the issuance of any
bonds or other evidence of said town's indebtedness; any
contract or obligation assumed by or in favor of said town;
yany administrative ordinances or resolutions not in conflict
or inconsistent with the provisions of such code; the portion
of any ordinance not in conflict with such code which regu-
lates speed, direction of travel, passing, stopping, yielding,
standing, or parking on any specifically named public street or
way; any right or franchise granted by the town; any ordinance
dedicating, naming, establishing, locating, relocating, opening,
paving, widening, vacating, etc., any street or public way; any
ordinance establishing and prescribing the grade of any
Section 7. Severability clause. Each section of the Municipal Code, including the codes and ordinances adopted by reference, is hereby declared to be separable and severable and the invalidity of any section, part, paragraph, sentence, phrase, or word in the Municipal Code shall not affect the validity of any other part of said code, and only any part declared to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction shall be deleted therefrom.

Section 8. Reproduction and amendment of code. The Municipal Code shall be reproduced in loose-leaf form. The board of mayor and aldermen, by motion or resolution shall fix, and change from time to time as considered necessary, the prices to be charged for copies of the Municipal Code and revisions thereto. After adoption of the Municipal Code, each general ordinance shall be adopted as amending, adding, or deleting, by numbers, specific chapters or sections of said code. Periodically thereafter, all affected pages of the Municipal Code shall be revised to reflect such amended, added, or deleted material and shall be distributed to town officers and employees having copies of said code and to other persons who have requested and paid for current revisions. Notes shall be inserted at the end of amended or new sections, referring to the numbers of ordinances making the amendments or adding the new provisions, and such references shall be cumulative if a section is amended more than once in order that the current copy of the Municipal Code will contain references to all ordinances responsible of current provisions. One copy of the Municipal Code as originally adopted and one copy of each amending ordinance thereafter adopted shall be furnished to the Municipal Technical Advisory Service immediately upon final passage and adoption.

Section 9. Construction of conflicting provisions. Where any provision of the Municipal Code is in conflict with any other provision in said code, the provision which establishes the higher standard for the promotion and protection of the public health, and safety, and welfare shall prevail.

Section 10. Code available for public use. A copy of the Municipal Code shall be kept available in the recorder's office for public use and inspection at all reasonable times.

Section 11. Date of effect. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage, the welfare of the town requiring it, and the Municipal Code, including all the codes and ordinances therein adopted by reference, shall be effective on and after that date.
street; any ordinance providing for local improvements and special assessments therefor; any ordinance dedicating or accepting any plat or subdivision; any prosecution, suit, or other proceeding pending or any judgment rendered on or prior to the effective date of said code; nor shall such repeal affect any ordinance annexing territory to the town or amending its zoning map.

Section 4. Continuation of existing provisions. Insofar as the provisions of the Municipal Code are the same as those of ordinances existing and in force on its effective date, said provisions shall be considered to be continuations thereof and not as new enactments.

Section 5. Penalty clause. Wherever in the Municipal Code, including the codes and ordinances adopted by reference, any act is prohibited or is made or declared to be unlawful or an offense or a misdemeanor, or wherever in the Municipal Code the doing of any act is required or the failure to do any act is declared to be unlawful, the violation of any such provision of the Municipal Code shall be punishable by a penalty of not more than fifty dollars ($50.00) and costs for each separate violation; provided, however, that the imposition of a penalty under the provisions of this section shall not prevent the revocation of any permit or license or the taking of other punitive or remedial action where called for or permitted under the provisions of the Municipal Code or other applicable law.

If any person be fined for violating any provision of the Municipal Code, such person shall in default of payment of such penalty and costs be required to perform hard labor within or without the workhouse, to the extent that his physical condition shall permit, until such penalty and costs are discharged by payment, or until such person, being credited with such sum as may be prescribed for each day's hard labor, has fully discharged said penalty. 1

Each day any violation of the Municipal Code continues shall constitute a separate offense.

Section 6. Code as evidence. Any printed copy of the Municipal Code certified under the signature of the recorder shall be held to be a true and correct copy of such codification, and may be read in evidence in any court without further proof of the provisions contained therein.

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1 For authority to allow deferred payment of fines, or payment by installments, see the Tennessee Code Annotated, sections 40-3201 et seq.
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Mayor

[Signature]
Recorder