

SUNRISE, FLORIDA

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ORDINANCE NO. 486-10-A

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SUNRISE, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE I OF THE CITY CODE; ENTITLED "ADMINISTRATION" BY AMENDING SECTION 2-1, ENTITLED "LOBBYISTS"; AMENDING ANNUAL EXPENDITURES REPORT REQUIREMENTS; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CITY CODE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the operation of responsible government requires that the fullest opportunity be afforded to the people to petition their local government for the redress of grievances and to express freely to the elected officials their opinions on legislation and other actions and issues; and

WHEREAS, it is equally important to preserve and maintain the integrity of the governmental decision-making process; and

WHEREAS, in order to serve these two goals, it has been determined that the people are best served by having an opportunity to be informed as to those persons who seek to exert influence on the governmental decision-making process and actions arising therefrom; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission has determined that the least intrusive means of serving the needs of the people, while encouraging public and private input, is to provide for a system SRMRG0812

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of registration of and limitations on lobbyists and lobbying activities;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SUNRISE, FLORIDA:

Section 1. That section 2-1(e) of the Code of the City of Sunrise, Florida, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 2-1(e) Annual Expenditures report. A Lobbyist shall annually submit to the City Clerk's office a signed statement under oath listing all Lobbying expenditures and the sources from which funds for making Lobbying expenditures have The Lobbying expenditures shall include, but not be limited to: meals, entertainment and gifts for public officers and employees for the preceding calendar year. Lobbying expenditures shall not include the Lobbyist's own personal expenses for lodging, meals, travel, salary, and office Such statement of expenditures for the preceding calendar year, entitled "Annual Expenditures Report" shall be due on October 15, 2008, and on October 15, 2009 and on October 15, 2010. Effective October 1, 2010, the Annual Expenditures Report will be calculated on a fiscal year instead on a calendar year. On October 15, 2010, the Annual Expenditures Report will be due for the period from January 1, 2010 through September 30, SRMRG0812

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2010. Commencing October 15, 2011 and each year thereafter on October 15, the Annual Expenditures Report will be due on for the City's prior fiscal year, October 1 through September 30 ef each year thereafter. Such statement shall be rendered on the form provided by the City Clerk's office and shall be open to public inspection. Such statement shall be filed, even if there have been no expenditures during the preceding calendar year.

Section 3. Conflict. All ordinances or parts of ordinances, all City Code sections or parts of City Code sections, and all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 4. Severability. Should any provision of this Ordinance be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole, or any part thereof, other than the part declared to be invalid.

Section 5. Inclusion in the City Code. It is the intention of the City Commission, and it is hereby ordained that the provisions of this Ordinance shall become and be made a part of the Code of the City of Sunrise, Florida.

<u>Section 6. Effective Date.</u> This Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

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C09298 ORDINANCE NO. 486-10-A PASSED AND ADOPTED upon this first reading this 13TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2010.

PASSED AND ADOPTED upon this second reading this $\underline{28TH}$ DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2010.

Mayor Michael Ryan

Authentication:

Felicia M. Bravo

City Clerk

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Approved by the City Attorney
As to Form and Legal Sufficiency.

Stuart R. Michelson