ORDINANCE NO. 2022-38

Introduced by William Biddlecombe

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING SECTION 509.04(a)(2) OF THE GENERAL OFFENSES CODE WITHIN THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF HURON RELATING TO DISTURBING A PUBLIC MEETING, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, this Council hereby determined that repealing Section 509.04(a)(2) of the Codified Ordinance of the City of Huron is in the best interest of the City of Huron and its citizens and is needed to protect property, both real and personal, located within the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HURON, OHIO:

Section 1. That Section 509.04(a)(2) of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Huron, Ohio, which currently reads as follows: "(2) Make any utterance, gesture or display which outrages the sensibilities of the group", shall be and hereby is repealed.

<u>Section 2</u>. That the remainder of Section 509.04 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Huron shall remain in full force and effect.

<u>Section 3</u>. That it is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the passage of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including O.R.C. §121.22.

<u>Section 4.</u> That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and general welfare of the residents; **WHEREFORE**, this Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

ATTEST:

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ADOPTED:

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