

CHARTER ORDINANCE NO. 18

A Charter Ordinance exempting the City of South Hutchinson, Kansas from the provisions of K.S.A. 12-1651, et. seq., providing substitute and additional provisions which relate to the naming of an official city newspaper, and repealing any ordinance in conflict therewith:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SOUTH HUTCHINSON, KANSAS as follows:

Section 1. The City of South Hutchinson, Kansas, by the power vested in it by Article 12, Section 5 of the Constitution of the State of Kansas, hereby elects to exempt itself and make inapplicable to it K.S.A. 12-1651, which applies to this city but does not apply uniformly to all cities, regarding the designation of a newspaper with certain qualifications as the official city newspaper.

Section 2. The governing body shall designate by resolution the South Hutchinson City website, www.southhutch.com, as the official city newspaper.

Section 3. This Charter Ordinance shall be published once each week for two consecutive weeks in the Hutchinson News, the official city newspaper.


Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect 61 days after the final publication unless a sufficient petition for referendum is filed, requiring a referendum to be held on the ordinance as provided by Article 12, Section 5, Subsection (c)(3) of the Constitution of the State of Kansas, in which case this charter Ordinance shall become effective upon approval by the majority of the electors voting thereon.

Section 5. If passed, the city clerk must send a copy of the passed charter ordinance to the Secretary of State's Office.

Passed by the South Hutchinson City governing body, not less than two-thirds of the members-elect voting in favor thereof this 18th day of October, 2021.



Mayor

Attest:


City Clerk



Published in the Hutchinson News, official city newspaper, on 10-21-2021 and 10-28-2021.)