ORDINANCE NO. 408

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING BURNING WITHIN THE CITY OF EDNA, KANSAS, DURING SUCH TIMES THAT ARE DECLAIRED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF EDNA, KANSAS, OR THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF LABETTE COUNTY, KANSAS THAT ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS ARE SO SERIOUS AS TO BE AN EMMINENT THREAT TO THE HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE OF THE PUBLIC DUE TO FIRE HAZARD.

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

SECTION 1. That upon Resolution by the City Council of the city of Edna, Kansas or by the Board of County Commissioners of Labette County, Kansas, that conditions are such that a fire hazard exists within the city or county or both, the following acts shall be prohibited:

- a. The careless use or discard of smoking materials, including but not limited to cigarettes, cigars and smoking pipes. Discard shall be in a manner so as to preclude threat from smoldering remains and litter.
- b. The building, maintaining, attending or using any open fire or flame, trash fire or camp fire except in permanent stoves or fireplaces or barbecue grills in developed recreational sites or residential lawns which specifically preclude the escape of flame or ash.
- c. The burning of all fence rows, yards, fields, trash and debris.
- d. The discharge or explosion of any fireworks. Fire works are those items as defined by the rules and regulations of the Kansas state fire marshal, and shall include but be limited to firecrackers, torpedoes, sparklers, Roman candles, sky rockets, pin wheels, canes, bombs, cannons or other like devices and all classes of fireworks that may be shot into the air or propelled over the ground by explosive discharges or any device using blank cartridges.

SECTION 2. Any violation of this section shall be considered a Class C violation as defined by the Uniform Public Offense Code adopted and in effect by the City at the time of the offense.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication in the official city newspaper.

Adopted by the Governing Body and approved by the Mayor of the City of Edna, Kansas, this 9th day of March, 2006.

W. V. Stine Jr., Mayor

ATTEST:

Joyce Rosson, City Clerk