ORDINANCE NO. 1901

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NUMBER 1799, IN PART TO PROHIBIT THE TETHERING OF ANIMALS IN THE CITY OF TALLADEGA, ALABAMA, AND IN NO OTHER PARTICULARS.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Talladega, Alabama, desires to amend the provisions relating to the tethering of animals, so that a dog or animal may not be kept through the use of a tether;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Talladega, Alabama, as follows:

SECTION I -

Section 17 of ordinance 1799 is hereby amended to read as follows:

SECTION 17. CARE OF TETHERED ANIMALS.

In addition to the provisions of Section 6 of this Ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any person to restrain or tether a dog(s) or other animal on a tether, rope, chain or similar line. Dog(s) or animal shall be put in a fenced enclosure.

SECTION II - Severability: all sections of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable; and if any word, phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph, or section of this ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional or invalid by the judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality or invalidity shall not affect any of the remaining words, phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this Ordinance.

SECTION III - Effective Date: this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and publication as provided by law. Upon the effective date of this ordinance, except as amended herein, Ordinance Number 1799 and any amendments thereto shall remain in full force and effect.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED on this the 7th day of February, 2022.

Council President Betty Spratlin Council Member Vickey Hall Councilman Joe Power Councilman Trae Williams City Manager Seddrick Hill Attested to: Joanna Medlen, City Clerk