
**THE CITY OF BLUE ISLAND
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

**ORDINANCE
NUMBER 2015-032**

**AN ORDINANCE ENACTING A CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR THE
CITY OF BLUE ISLAND, RESTATING, CODIFYING AND
COMPILING CERTAIN EXISTING GENERAL ORDINANCES
OF THE CITY OF BLUE ISLAND**

**DOMINGO F. VARGAS, Mayor
Randy Heuser, City Clerk**

1st Ward	TOM HAWLEY	GEORGE POULOS
2nd Ward	LETICIA VIEYRA	FRED BILOTTO
3rd Ward	NANCY RITA	KEVIN DONAHUE
4th Ward	CANDACE CARR	ALECIA SLATTERY
5th Ward	JANICE OSTLING	KENNETH PITTMAN
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7th Ward	NANCY THOMPSON	JAMES JOHANSON

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WHEREAS, the present general and permanent ordinances of the City are insufficient in form and substance for the complete preservation of the public peace, health, safety and general welfare of the municipality and for the proper conduct of its affairs; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has authorized a general compilation and codification of the ordinances of the City of a general and permanent nature and publication of such ordinance in book form; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to provide for the usual daily operation of the municipality and for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and general welfare of the municipality that this ordinance take effect at an early date.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLUE ISLAND:

Section 1. The general ordinances of the City of Blue Island as restated, codified, and compiled in book form are hereby adopted as and shall constitute the “Code of Ordinances of the City of Blue Island,” except as otherwise indicated herein.

Section 2. Such Code of Ordinances as adopted in Section 1 shall consist of the following
Titles and Chapters:

TITLE I: GENERAL PROVISIONS

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| Chapter | 10. | Rules of Construction; General Penalty |
| | 11. | Administrative Adjudication of Code Violations |

TITLE III: ADMINISTRATION

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| | 30. | City Council |
| | 31. | City Officials |
| | 32. | City Organizations |

33. Fire and Police Departments; Emergency Services
34. Personnel Policies
35. General Policies
36. Elections
37. Taxation and Finance
38. Investment Policy
39. Fee and Fine Schedule

TITLE V: MUNICIPAL SERVICES

50. Garbage
51. Streets and Sidewalks
52. Water and Sewers

TITLE VII: TRAFFIC CODE

70. General Provisions
71. Traffic Regulations
72. Parking Regulations
73. Vehicle Licensing
74. Bicycles

TITLE IX: GENERAL REGULATIONS

90. Animals
91. Emergencies; Civil Defense
92. Fair Housing
93. Fire Prevention; Fireworks
94. Health Regulations; Smoking
95. Nuisances
96. Recreation and Leisure
97. Streets and Sidewalks
98. Trees

TITLE XI: BUSINESS REGULATIONS

110. General Licensing Provisions
111. Alcoholic Liquor
112. Tobacco
113. Amusements and Recreation
114. Advertising and Bill Posting; Newsracks
115. Food and Food Dealers
116. Junk and Secondhand Dealers
117. Laundries and Dry-Cleaning
118. Contractors and Builders; Construction
119. Vehicles; Parking Lots; Filling Station
120. Taxicabs
121. Scavengers, Peddlers and Merchants
122. Cable and Video Services
123. Other Stores and Services

TITLE XIII: GENERAL OFFENSES

- 130. Offenses Against Public Peace and Safety
- 131. Offenses Against Persons and Property
- 132. Offenses Against Morals
- 133. Offenses Pertaining to Minors

TITLE XV: LAND USAGE

- 150. Building Regulations; Construction
- 151. Plumbing Code
- 152. Reserved
- 153. Reserved
- 154. Comprehensive Plan
- 155. Enterprise Zones
- 156. Erosion and Sedimentation Control
- 157. Floodplain Management
- 158. Historic Preservation
- 159. Neighborhood Preservation
- 160. Mobile Home Parks
- 161. Multi-Family Rental Structures
- 162. Redevelopment Project Areas
- 163. Landscaping and Screening
- 164. Facilities in Rights-of-way
- 165. Vacant Properties; Priority Lien Procedures
- 166. Zoning Code

Section 3. All prior ordinances pertaining to the subjects included in the Code of Ordinances shall be deemed repealed from and after the effective date of this ordinance, except as they are included and reordained in whole or in part in the Code, and except as otherwise set forth in this ordinance. Such repeal shall not affect any offense committed or penalty incurred or any right established prior to the effective date of this ordinance. Such repeal shall not affect the provisions of ordinances levying taxes, appropriating money, annexing or detaching territory, establishing franchises, or granting special rights to certain persons, authorizing public improvements, authorizing the issuance of bonds or borrowing of money, authorizing the purchase or sale of real or personal property, granting or accepting easements, plat or

dedication of land to public use, vacating or setting the boundaries of streets or other public places. Such repeal shall not affect any other ordinance of a temporary or special nature or pertaining to subjects not contained in or covered by the Code. Such repeal shall only apply to provisions of ordinances which directly conflict with this Code. To the extent that an ordinance, or its provisions, has not been explicitly repealed, or does not directly conflict with, or is not provided for in the Code, this Code shall not operate to repeal the same by implication.

Section 4. Such Code shall be deemed published as of the day of its adoption and approval by the City Council and the Clerk of the City of Blue Island is hereby authorized and ordered to file a copy of such Code of Ordinances in the Office of the Clerk.

Section 5. Such Code shall be in full force and effect as provided herein, and such Code shall be presumptive evidence in all courts and places of the ordinance and all provisions, sections, penalties and regulations therein contained and of the date of passage, and that the same is properly signed, attested, recorded, and approved and that any public hearings and notices thereof as required by law have been given.

ADOPTED this 27th day of October, 2015, pursuant to a roll call vote as follows:

	YES	NO	ABSENT	PRESENT	ABSTAIN
Alderman Hawley	X				
Alderman Poulos	X				
Alderman Vieyra	X				
Alderman Bilotto	X				
Alderman Rita	X				
Alderman Donahue	X				
Alderman Carr	X				
Alderman Slattery	X				
Alderman Ostling	X				
Alderman Pittman	X				
Alderman Johnson	X				
Alderman Frausto	X				
Alderman Thompson			X		
Alderman Johanson	X				
Mayor Vargas					
TOTAL	13		1		

APPROVED by the Mayor on October 27, 2015.

Domingo F. Vargas
 MAYOR OF THE CITY OF BLUE ISLAND,
 COUNTY OF COOK AND STATE OF ILLINOIS

ATTESTED and Filed in my office this

27th day of October, 2015.

Randy Heuser
 CITY CLERK

PUBLISHED in pamphlet form this

27th day of October, 2015.

Randy Heuser
 CITY CLERK

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
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COUNTY OF COOK) ss.

CERTIFICATE

I, Randy Heuser, certify that I am the duly elected and acting Municipal Clerk of the City of Blue Island of Cook County, Illinois.

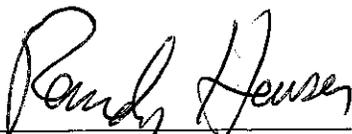
I further certify that on **October 27, 2015** the Corporate Authorities of such municipality passed and approved Ordinance No. **2015 - 032** entitled: **AN ORDINANCE ENACTING A CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR THE CITY OF BLUE ISLAND, RESTATING, CODIFYING AND COMPILING CERTAIN EXISTING GENERAL ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF BLUE ISLAND.**

Which provided by its terms that it should be published in pamphlet form.

The pamphlet form of Ordinance No. **2015 – 032** including the Ordinance and a cover sheet thereof, was prepared, and a copy of such Ordinance posted in the municipal building commencing on **October 27, 2015** and continuing for at least ten days thereafter. Copies of such Ordinance were also available for public inspection upon request in the office of the municipal clerk.

DATED at Blue Island, Illinois, this **27th** day of **October, 2015.**

(SEAL)



Municipal Clerk