## ORDINANCE NO. 707

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## AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE GROWTH OF WEEDS AND AGRICULTURAL CROPS IN NOKOMIS, ILLINOIS

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Nokomis, Montgomery County, Illinois:

SECTION 1. Any owner, lessee, or occupant or any agent, servant, representative or employee of any such owner, lessee, or occupant having control of any lot, block, or tract of land, or any part of such lot, block or tract of land within the limits of said City of Nokomis, who shall allow or maintain on any such lot, any growth of weeds to a height over one foot, shall be deemed guilty of permitting a nuisance on his premises.

Where such nuisance exists, said owner, lessee, or occupant or the agent, servant, representative or employee of any such owner, lessee or occupant, having control of such premises will be given notice of such nuisance and that it must be abated within 10 days of the receipt of the notice. If such nuisance is not abated within the specified time, the City will cause said weeds to be mowed and assess a charge against said owner, lessee, or occupant, or agent, servant, representative or employee of any such owner, lessee or occupant having control of such premises, the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for each lot or portions thereof so mowed. If the premises is in such condition that requires it to be cleaned prior to mowing, an additional charge for labor and equipment will be added. If the charge made by the City is not paid within 30 days of its billing, a slaim of lien will be filed against the premises.

SECTION II. All ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION III. This Ordinance shall be in effect immediately after its passage and publication according to law.

Passed at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Nokomis, Illinois, held at the City Hall in said City of June 23

ATTEST: May Jean Scheller

STATE OF ILLINOIS )
) ss
COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY )

I, Mary Jean Scheller, do hereby certify that I am the duly appointed and now acting City Clerk of the City of Nokomis, Illinois; that I have caused Ordinance No. 707, which was duly passed by the City Council of the City of Nokomis, Illinois, at a regular meeting thereof, held on func 23, 1980, and was approved by the Mayor of said City on the said date, to be published in the Free Press Progress, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of Nokomis, on func 1980.

Given under my hand and official seal this 23 day of func , A.D. 1980.

Mary Jean Scheller