

ORDINANCE NO. 793

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ARTICLE IV ("COIN-OPERATED MACHINES")
OF THE REVISED CODE OF ORDINANCES

WHEREAS Article IV of the Revised Code of Ordinances of the City of Nokomis did, in and by its adoption, constitute a significant departure from the guidelines previously established by Ordinance No. 753, entitled "An Ordinance to Regulate and License Mechanical Amusement Devices, Pool Tables, Billboards and Music Boxes",

AND WHEREAS such departure was, in retrospect, in denigration of a licensing plan and regulatory policies which had shown themselves to be effective and in the mutual best interests of both the said City and the persons maintaining all such amusement devices,

AND WHEREAS the said City, upon the general consensus of such persons, following due deliberation of the fairness and efficacy of the pre-existing ordinance, now seeks to re-adopt such ordinance with a modification assessing the same fee for all such devices,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NOKOMIS:

Section 1: That Article IV, entitled "Coin-operated Machines", of the Revised Code of Ordinances of the City of Nokomis shall be, and it is hereby, rescinded in its entirety and Ordinance No. 753 shall be, and is hereby, re-adopted and re-published in its stead.

Section 2: That SECTION I(a) of Ordinance No. 753 shall be, and it is hereby, amended to read,

"Keepers of billiard and pool tables shall pay the sum of \$25.00 per annum, or at that rate for a less period than one year; provided, that if more than one such table shall be kept or used in such place, an additional sum of \$15.00 shall be paid for each additional table used."

Section 3: That SECTION I(c) of Ordinance No. 753 shall be, and it is hereby, amended to read,

" Owners or operators of music boxes commonly known as "juke boxes" shall pay \$25.00 per annum for each music box operated and said license shall be payable in advance."

Section 4: That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect (nunc pro tunc to February 1, 1993, for the mutual benefit of the City and those persons regulated hereby) from and after its passage, approval and publication in pamphlet form as provided by law.

Introduced: February 22, 1993

Passed: February 22, 1993

Voting Yes: Donald Petty-John McCall-Leon Brummet-
Anthony Hard

Voting No: None

Abstaining: None

Absent: Mayor James Cohan

Approved: February 22, 1993

James F Cohan
Mayor

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

Mary Jean Scheller
City Clerk

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