## **ORDINANCE NO. 683**

AN ORDINANCE LIMITING THE POSTING, PLACING, DISPLAYING, AND ATTACHING OF SIGNS OR ANY OTHER MATTER ON PUBLIC PROPERTY TO ANY TREE, POLE, OR POST SITUATED ON ANY PUBLIC PROPERTY WITHIN THE CITY, AND REPEALING ORDINANCE 316.

## The city of Aumsville, Oregon, ordains as follows:

**Section 1. Definitions.** As used in this ordinance, the following terms are defined asset out herein.

**Public Agency.** The City, County, State, or Federal government.

**Public Property.** Property under the control, dominion, and/or ownership of a Public Agency.

**Public Right-of-Way.** A public area dedicated or deeded to the public for public use under the control of a Public Agency, allowing for the passage of people or goods, including passageways such as streets, setback areas, bike paths, alleys, sidewalks, and walkways.

**Sign.** Any materials placed or constructed or light projected conveying a message or image used to inform or attract the attention of the public. Examples include materials or lights within the scope of the preceding sentence commonly referred to as signs, placards, A-boards, posters, billboards, murals, diagrams, banners, flags, or projected slides, images, or holograms. The scope of the term 'sign' is not dependent upon the content of the message or image conveyed.

**Section 2. Prohibition.** Except as otherwise specifically described below, no person may attach, install, construct or otherwise place any sign in or on building, structure, tree, pole, fence, or post located on Public Property or Public Right-of-Way within the City.

All signs on private property are subject to the standards in the Aumsville Development Code.

**Section 3. Exceptions.** The limitation described above in Section 2 do not apply to signs owned and or installed either by or at the direction and/or permission of a public agency on public property under their control, dominion, and/or ownership.

**Section 4. Abatement.** The Aumsville Police and/or Public Works Departments may remove any sign or other device located in violation of this ordinance.

**Section 5. Penalty.** Violations of this ordinance shall be deemed an offense subject to a penalty not to exceed \$250. Every full business day during which a violation exists constitutes a separate violation.

**Section 6. Repeal.** Ordinance 316 is hereby repealed.

**Section 7. Effective Date**. This ordinance shall take effect on the thirtieth day after its enactment.

Read first on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of November 2020. READ a second time on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2020. ADOPTED AND PASSED by the Aumsville City Council on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2020.

Ron Harding, City Administrator

SIGNED by the mayor this 18th day of December, 2020

Derek Clevenger, Mayor