

**ORDINANCE # 20051205**

**Title: TREE BOARD**

**AMENDED:** June 1, 2009

WHEREAS; In order to benefit, and cooperate with the WV Division of Forestry, the City of Romney is requested to establish a "Tree Board".

WHEREAS: The Board shall consist of five members, inclusive of two council members and three resident citizens of Romney who shall be appointed by the mayor with the approval of city council.

WHEREAS: In addition the Board shall consist of ad hoc members included from the WV Division of Forestry, Allegheny Power Company, WV Dept. of Environmental Protection, WV State School for the Deaf and Blind, WV Dept. of Transportation – Highway Division, Mayor, City Zoning Officer and City Administrator.

WHEREAS: Terms of office will apply as defined in "CITY OF ROMNEY TREE BOARD & ORDINANCE NO: 20080408"

WHEREAS: The Applicability & Duties of Responsibility will apply as defined in "CITY OF ROMNEY TREE BOARD & ORDINANCE NO: 20080408"

WHEREAS: The standard "Building Permit Forms" will be used by the Board requiring a minimum processing fee of \$5.00.

WHEREAS: In regard to Violations and Penalties, any person, firm or corporation violating or failing to comply with any of the provisions of the "CITY OF ROMNEY TREE BOARD & ORDINANCE NO: 20080408", shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined up to \$500.00.

This amended ordinance shall become effective immediately on the date of passage and adoption. Any and all prior ordinances related to the establishment of the Romney Tree Board are hereby repealed with the exception of "CITY OF ROMNEY TREE BOARD & ORDINANCE NO: 20080408."

Re: AMENDED - Ordinance # 20051205

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Passed on First Reading: June 1, 2009

Passed on Second Reading: June 1, 2009

Passed on Third & Final Reading: June 1, 2009

William F. Hoike, Jr.

June 1, 2009

Mayor

Date

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June 1, 2009

Recorder

Date

The adoption of the "AMENDED" ORDINANCE NO: 20051205 having been moved

by: Don Haleman

And duly seconded by: Dennis Messer

The vote thereon was as follows:

SIGNATURE	VOTE (YES OR NO)
<u>Dennis Messer</u>	<u>Yes</u>
<u>David C. Haleman</u>	<u>Yes</u>
<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>yes</u>
<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>Yes</u>
<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>yes</u>

WHEREUPON, the Mayor has declared said amended ordinance duly adopted, and it is therefore ADJUDGED and ORDERED that the said amended ordinance be, and the same is, hereby adopted as so stated above