

ORDINANCE # 12-04-86

AN ORDINANCE IMPOSING A BUSINESS REGISTRATION FEE: SETTING FORTH DEFINITIONS; ESTABLISHING PENALTIES AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF GRANT COUNTY, NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. TITLE

This Ordinance shall be referred to as the "Business Registration Fee Ordinance."

SECTION 2. DEFINITIONS:

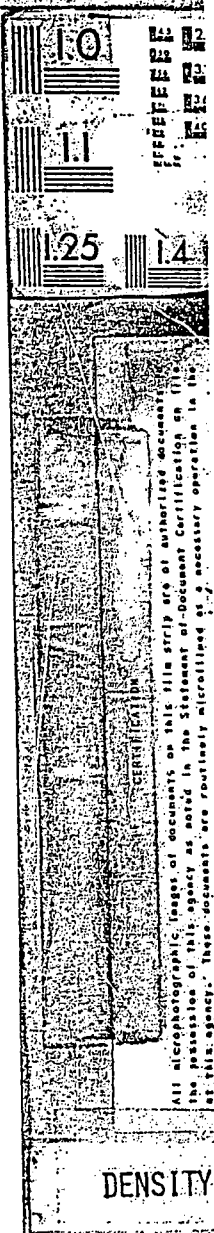
- A. "Board" means the Board of County Commissioners of Grant County.
- B. "Business" means any person, occupation, profession, trade, pursuit, corporation, institution, establishment, utility, article, commodity, or device engaged in making a profit but does not include an employee.
- C. "County" mean Grant County.
- D. "County Clerk" means the Grant County Clerk.
- E. "Fee" means the fee imposed by the Business Registration Fee Ordinance.

SECTION 3. IMPOSITION OF FEE

A fee is imposed on any person, occupation, profession, trade, pursuit, corporation, institution, establishment, utility, article, commodity or device engaged in making a profit, but does not include an employee, for the regulation of doing business within the County. The fee applies only to the entities and persons named above whose main or branch office is located within the boundaries of Grant County but outside the boundaries of an incorporated municipality.

"Filed for record on 5th day of Dec, 1986, A.M. 10:11

Carol Ponce
County Clerk



SECTION 4. FEE RATE

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Each business will pay a business registration fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) a year. The fee may not be protron of the year.

SECTION 5. PAYMENT OF FEE

Prior to engaging in any business any person proposing to engage in a business shall pay to the county clerk the business registration fee. Prior to March 16 of each year, any person engaging in a business within the county shall apply for the renewal of any applicable business registration. Any person filing an application for issuance or renewal of any bysiness license shall include on the application his current revenue division taxpayer identification number or evidence of application for a current revenue division taxpayer identification number. The county clerk shall not issue or renew a business registration authorizing the conduct of a business to any person who has not furnished to the county the information required. Upon valid application being made, the clerk shall issue a business registration certificate authorising the conduct of business for the calendar year covered by the application. The certificate should be promerately posted in the place of business.

SECTION 7. FAILURE TO PAY FEE

If any business fails to register as required by the Business Registration Fee Ordinance, the county may bring an action for the collection of any fees due, including without limitation the cost of collection and reasonable attorney's fees incurred in connecrion therewith.

The Board may also prevent, throught appropriate action or proceeding, the conduct of the business; correct or abate the violation; or prevent the occupancy of the building, structure or land on which the business is located.

SECTION 8. PENALTY CLAUSE.

Any business or person violating the provisions of this Ordinance shall be subject to penalties of not exceeding ninety (90) days in jail or Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) fine for each violation.

SECTION 9. EFFECTIVE DATE

Effective date of this Ordinance shall be
1/5/1987. 1986.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY
 COMMISSIONERS OF GRANT COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, THIS 4th DAY
 OF December 1986.

Angel Plazencia
 Angel Plazencia, Chairman.

David D. Diaz
 David D. Diaz, Member

Manuel T. Berna
 Manuel T. Berna, Member

Carol Baca
 Carol Baca
 Grant County Clerk

By Mayleen Carrillo
 Chief Deputy

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
 County of Grant
 I hereby certify that this instrument
 was filed for record on the 5th
 day of Dec A.D. 1986
 at 11 o'clock A. M. and duly
 recorded in book 204 of the records
 of Ordinances
 at page 557-1
 Witness my hand and seal of office
Carol Baca
 County Clerk, Grant Co., N.M.
Mayleen Carrillo Deputy

DENSITY

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Registration No. _____

BUSINESS REGISTRATION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
) ss
 COUNTY OF GRANT)

I, _____, of the firm of _____,
 whose business mailing address is _____,
 hereby make this application to carry on the business of _____
 at _____ for a period of _____ months,
 commencing _____. Tax ID Number _____.

Please check the applicable sections.

_____ I do not have a Tax ID Number but attached please find a copy of the
 application for a current revenue division taxpayer identification
 number.

_____ This is a new business.

The sum of \$ _____ is enclosed with this registration.

 Applicant

 Address

 Phone

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 19____/

 County Clerk

By: _____
 Deputy