

**ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING Chapter 21, Article V, Division 1, Section 21-64 OF THE CITY OF JOLIET CODE OF ORDINANCES**

**(Removing language restricting type of clothing which may be worn)**

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**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council of the City of Joliet, Illinois (City) has the authority to adopt ordinances which govern conduct within the City of Joliet; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council have seen fit to regulate certain activities within the City of Joliet in order to promote health and welfare; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council recognize that the Code of Ordinances should be amended from time to time in order to reflect the evolving standards of society; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council recognize that Code of Ordinances should reflect a policy of inclusion and acceptance; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Joliet is a home rule unit of local government.

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOLIET, ILLINOIS, PURSUANT TO ITS STATUTORY AND HOME RULE AUTHORITY, AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1:** The Mayor and City Council hereby find that the recitals contained in the remainder of this Ordinance are true, correct and complete and are hereby incorporated into this Ordinance by reference.

**SECTION 2:** That the following phrase shall be deleted from Section 21-64:  
**“or dress not becoming to his or her sex”**

**SECTION 3:** In the event that any provision or provisions, or portion or portions of this ordinance shall be declared to be invalid or unenforceable by a Court of competent jurisdiction, such adjudication shall in no way affect or impair the validity or enforceability of any of the remaining provisions or portions of this ordinance that may be given effect without such invalid or unenforceable provision or provisions, portion or portions.

**SECTION 4:** All ordinances directly in conflict with the terms of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

**SECTION 5:** This Ordinance shall be deemed severable and the invalidity of any portion hereof shall not invalidate the remainder.

**SECTION 6:** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

**PASSED** this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

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MAYOR

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CITY CLERK

**VOTING YES:**

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**VOTING NO:**

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**NOT VOTING:**

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