

## **ORDINANCE NO. 139-25**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ORCHARD, TEXAS, REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 093-2010, REPEALING THE CURFEW FOR MINORS PROVIDING SEVERABILTY; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Texas legislature enacted House Bill 1819, effective September 1, 2023, mandating the repeal of juvenile curfew ordinances statewide; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Orchard seeks to comply with state law and ensure its ordinances align with current legislative requirements;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ORCHARD, TEXAS:

## **SECTION 1. REPEAL**

Ordinance 09-2010, Passed and Approved on March 10, 2010, in the Code of Ordinances of the City of Orchard, entitled "ESTABLISHING CURFEW TIMES FOR MINORS, ESTABLISHING DEFINITIONS AND PUNISHMENT FOR THE VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE," is hereby repealed in its entirety.

## **SECTION 2. SEVERABILITY**

If any provision of this ordinance or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or applications of this ordinance that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end, the provisions of this ordinance are severable.

## **SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE**

This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval, or as otherwise required by law.

PASSED APPROVED, AND ADOPTED this 02<sup>nd</sup> day of September 2025.

Matthew Perreault

Mayor

Danielle Perreault

City Secretary

ATTEST: