

**ORDINANCE NO. 18-18**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND, KENTUCKY AMENDING  
ORDINANCE NO. C-023 REGARDING THE CARRYING OF A CONCEALED  
WEAPON BY ON AND OFF-DUTY CITY POLICEMEN OUTSIDE THE BOUNDARIES  
OF THE CITY**

**WHEREAS**, Ordinance No. C-023 was enacted by the City in 1970 to authorize City police officers to carry concealed deadly weapons not only within the City but also in any place within the Commonwealth and while both on-duty and off-duty; and

**WHEREAS**, the Kentucky statute which permitted local jurisdictions to so authorize their policemen has been amended since that time, and the Board of Commissioners wishes to amend existing City ordinance so as to bring it into compliance with the presently-existing state statute;

**SECTION I**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** that Section 3 of Ordinance No. C-023 is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

Section 3. ~~That~~This ordinance is ~~herewith~~enacted for the express purpose of protecting the policemen of the City of Richmond from prosecution under the provisions of ~~KRS 435.230 (1)~~ KRS 527.020 when he or she may be within the Commonwealth but outside the corporate limits of the City of Richmond as is authorized by KRS 527.020 (3). ~~and for no other purpose.~~

**SECTION II**

This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon enactment following second reading, and publication in accordance with the requirements of applicable Kentucky law.


**DATE OF FIRST READING:** August 14, 2018  
**MOTION BY:** Commissioner Eaves  
**SECONDED BY:** Commissioner Blythe

**DATE OF SECOND READING:** August 28, 2018  
**MOTION BY:** Commissioner Eaves  
**SECONDED BY:** Commissioner Blythe

<b>VOTE</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
Commissioner Blythe	x	
Commissioner Eaves	x	
Commissioner Morgan	x	
Commissioner Newby	x	
Mayor Barnes	x	

  
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Mayor Barnes

ATTEST:

  
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City Clerk

Approved as to form:

  
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City Attorney, Garrett Fowles