

ORDINANCE NO. 18-19

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND, KENTUCKY AMENDING §128.03
OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND, KENTUCKY CODE OF ORDINANCES**

WHEREAS, Chapter 128 of the City of Richmond, Kentucky imposes on jewelry stores, dealers in precious metals, junk dealers, scrap metal dealers, second hand dealers, and second hand stores, as those terms are defined in that Chapter, the obligation to prepare, maintain, and make available to City law enforcement personnel records relating to those businesses' acquisition of specified goods which are all too often stolen from homes, businesses, and motor vehicles; and

WHEREAS, included among the goods so specified for record keeping are firearms purchased by or placed in pawn to pawn shops; and

WHEREAS, the Kentucky legislature has now amended KRS 226.040 to make it mandatory that pawn shops comply with the same requirements relating to firearms that appear in Chapter 128, and the provisions of that Chapter pertaining to firearms are hence not required;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED that:

SECTION I

§128.03 (A) of the City of Richmond Code of Ordinances be, and hereby is, amended in the following particulars:

§128.03 RECORDS; DAILY REPORTS TO POLICE DEPARTMENT

(A) All jewelry stores, dealers in precious metals, junk dealers, scrap metal dealers, second hand dealers, and second hand stores, as those terms are defined herein, shall keep a record of their transactions involving the purchase of automobile parts, trailers, or other used motor vehicle parts, electronic communication devices, textbooks, cameras, electronic games or gaming devices, DVD's, gift cards, watches, coins, knives, jewels, jewelry, precious metals (in whatever form), scrap metal, power tools, televisions, computers and computer equipment, music devices, stereos, and musical instruments ~~and firearms~~.

SECTION II

This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its 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 Morgan
SECONDED BY: Commissioner Blythe

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

SECONDED BY:

Commissioner Blythe

VOTE

YES

NO

Commissioner Blythe

x

Commissioner Eaves

x

Commissioner Morgan

x

Commissioner Newby

x

Mayor Barnes

x



Mayor Barnes

ATTEST:



City Clerk

Approved as to form:



City Attorney, Garrett Fowles