

CHAPTER 2

SAVING CLAUSE

SECTION:

1-2-1: Repeal of General Ordinances

1-2-2: Court Proceedings

1-2-3: Severability Clause

1-2-1: **REPEAL OF GENERAL ORDINANCES:** All general ordinances of the Town passed prior to the adoption of the Town Code are hereby repealed, except such as are included in this Town Code or are by necessary implication herein reserved from repeal (subject to the saving clauses contained in the following sections), and excluding the following ordinances which are not hereby repealed: tax levy ordinances; appropriation ordinances; ordinances relating to boundaries and annexations; franchise ordinances and other ordinances granting special rights to persons or corporations; contract ordinances and ordinances authorizing the execution of a contract or the issuance of warrants; salary ordinances; ordinances establishing, naming, or vacating streets, alleys, or other public places; improvements ordinances; bond ordinances; ordinances relating to elections; ordinances relating to the transfer or acceptance of real estate by or from the Town; and all special ordinances.

1-2-2: **COURT PROCEEDINGS:** No new ordinance shall be construed or held to repeal a former ordinance whether such former ordinance is expressly repealed or not, as to any offense committed against such former ordinance or as to any act done, any penalty, forfeiture, or punishment so incurred, or any right accrued or claim arising under the former ordinance, or in any way whatever to affect any such offense or act so committed or so done, or any penalty, forfeiture or punishment so incurred or any right accrued or claim arising before the new ordinance takes effect, save only that the proceedings thereafter shall conform the ordinance in force at the time of such proceeding, so far as practicable, if any penalty, forfeiture or punishment be mitigated by any provision of a new ordinance, such provision may be, by consent of the party affected, applied to any judgment announced after the new ordinance take effect.

This Section shall extend to all repeals, either by express words or implication, whether the repeal is in the ordinance making any new provisions upon the same subject or in any other ordinance. Nothing contained in this Chapter shall be construed as abating any action now pending under or by virtue of any general ordinance of the Town herein repealed and the provisions of all general ordinances contained in this Code shall be deemed to be continuing provisions and not a new enactment of the same provision; nor shall this Chapter be deemed as discontinuing, abating, modifying or altering any penalty accrued or to accrue, or as affecting the liability of any person, firm or corporation, or as waiving any right to the Town under any ordinance or provision thereof in force at the time of the adoption of the Town Code.

1-2-3: **SEVERABILITY CLAUSE:** If any section, subsection, subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this Town Code or any part thereof is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid or ineffective by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision


shall not affect the validity or effectiveness of the remaining portions of this Code, each section, subsection, subdivision, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, subdivisions, paragraphs, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional, invalid, or ineffective.

EFFECTIVE DATE- This Ordinance shall go into effect upon passage and publication on June 13, 1995

Amended: Nov, 15, 2022

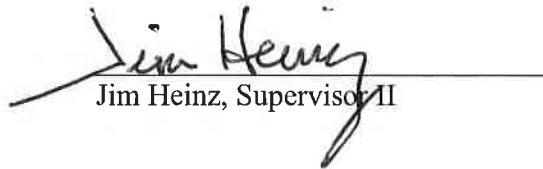
PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town Board of the Town of Lake Mills, Jefferson County, Wisconsin on this 15 day of November, 2022.

Adopted this 15 day of November, 2022.

Attest: 
Robin Untz, Town Clerk


Thomas Buechel, Chairperson


David Schroeder, Supervisor I


Jim Heinz, Supervisor II