

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 3 “CODE HEARING  
UNIT ADJUDICATION” AND CHAPTER 38 “ENVIRONMENT”**

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that it is in the best interest of the City to provide that a light trespass onto adjoining property is a nuisance; and

WHEREAS, prohibiting light trespass is in the best interests of the health, peace and comfort for persons in the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Rolling Meadows, Illinois, as follows:

SECTION ONE: Chapter 3, “Code Hearing Unit Adjudication” is hereby amended at Section 3-37 by adding thereto, the following:

Violations of Division 1 of Chapter 38.

SECTION TWO: Chapter 38, “Environment” is hereby amended by adding thereto the following at section 38-34:

(13) Light Trespass. To allow light emitted by a luminaire that shines in excess of 1 foot candle between dusk and dawn beyond the property on which the luminaire is located. The following are exempt from this subsection 13:

- A. Traffic control signals and devices.
- B. Street lights.
- C. Temporary emergency lighting (i.e. fire, police, repair workers).
- D. Moving vehicle lights.
- E. Lighted signs that conform with the City’s sign ordinance.
- F. Seasonal decorations with individual lights in place no longer than 60 days.
- G. Sports field outdoor lighting (i.e. ball fields, football, soccer, ice rink, etc.).

SECTION THREE: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval as required by law.

SECTION FOUR: This Ordinance shall be printed and published in pamphlet form by order of the City Council of the City of Rolling Meadows, Illinois.

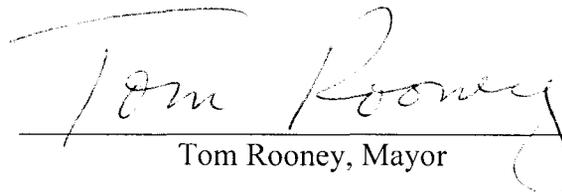
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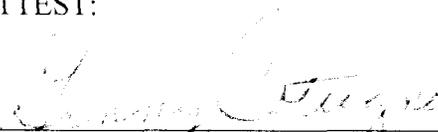
ABSENT: Prejna

Passed this 9<sup>th</sup> day of July 2013.

Approved this 9<sup>th</sup> day of July 2013.

  
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Tom Rooney, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Ginny Cotugno, Deputy City Clerk

Published this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July 2013.

  
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Ginny Cotugno, Deputy City Clerk