



NOTICE is hereby given that the following ordinances were adopted by the City of Brownsville City Commission:

Ordinance Number 2026-1794

An ordinance of the Brownsville City Commission, repealing and replacing Chapter 110, Wreckers, in its entirety, of the City of Brownsville's Code of Ordinances, to regulate the wrecker service and providing for a penalty clause; providing for an effective date; and dealing with related matters. (02/03/2026)

Ordinance Number 2026-1795

An Ordinance of The City Commission of The City of Brownsville, Texas, Amending Chapter 6, to ratify Exhibit "A" of the "Amusements and Entertainment", of the City of Brownsville Code of Ordinances to add Article IV establishing the "Midtown Entertainment District" along Pablo Kisel from Morrison Road to its point of intersection with Frontage Road, to regulate bars and restaurants; adding civil and criminal penalties. (02/03/2026)

Section 6-206. – Offenses.

Any person violating any provision of this Article shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be fined an amount as prescribed in Section 1-13, General Penalty, of this code. Each day that such a violation continues shall be a separate offense. Prosecution or conviction under this section shall never be a bar to any other remedy or relief for violations of this article.

Section 1-13. - General penalty.

(a) Notwithstanding any contrary provision in the city Charter, whenever in this Code or in any ordinance of the city an act is prohibited or is made or declared to be unlawful or an offense or a misdemeanor or wherever in such Code or ordinance the doing of any act is required or the failure to do any act is declared to be unlawful, and no specific penalty is provided therefor, the violation of any such section of this Code or any such provision of an ordinance shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$1.00 for each offense nor more than the following:

(1) For each offense under a rule, ordinance, or police regulation that governs fire safety, zoning, or public health and sanitation, including dumping of refuse, \$2,000.00;

or

(2) For each offense under any other rule, ordinance, or police regulation, \$500.00.

(b) Whenever state law conflicts with this section, state law shall govern.

(c) Each day any violation of this Code or of any ordinance shall continue shall constitute a separate offense.

(d) Under no circumstances shall the imposition of any such fine for any violation constitute an estoppel for other relief against any such violation available at law.

(e) If any such violation is designated as a nuisance under this Code, such nuisance may be summarily abated by the police department.

A copy of these ordinances may be reviewed in the Office of the City Secretary, City Plaza, 1st Floor, 1034 E. Levee Street, Brownsville, TX 78520.

/s/ Brownsville City Secretary