

ORDINANCE NO. 1603

AN ORDINANCE to amend Chapter 1 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1963, as amended, by adding thereto a new section numbered 1-23; which Chapter 1 relates to GENERAL PROVISIONS and which new Section 1-23 relates to WHEN MUNICIPAL COURTS TO BE KEPT OPEN.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. That Chapter 1 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1963, as amended, be and the same hereby is amended by adding thereto a new section numbered 1-23 to read as follows:

Sec. 1-23. When municipal courts to be kept open.

The Municipal Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia shall be kept open for the transaction of business every day of the year except Sundays, Saturdays, legal holidays and such other days or portions thereof that the senior judge of said court may designate.

Nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent the Municipal Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia from holding sessions on any day if in the opinion of the senior judge thereof this be necessary in the dispatch of the business of the court.

Section 2. That this ordinance shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the city not later than five days following its introduction together with a notice containing the time and place for a public hearing. The clerk of the council shall note the date of introduction and first reading, the date of publication, the date of the public hearing, and the date of the second reading and final passage in the minutes of the meeting. This ordinance shall become effective the date of its final passage.

Charles E. Beatley, Jr.  
Mayor

FINAL PASSAGE: NOVEMBER 12, 1969