

ORDINANCE NO. 8.

An ORDINANCE to Regulate the Location and Installation of Gasoline Filling Stations and Appurtenances Within the City of Alexandria.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Alexandria, Virginia:

SECTION 1. Gasoline filling stations may be installed at the curb and on private property, except in prohibited districts, under the following conditions:

SECTION 2. The installation of gasoline filling stations at the curb is hereby prohibited on King Street from the Potomac River to the westerly corporate limits, on Russell Road from King Street to the northerly corporate limits, and on Washington Street from Franklin Street to Wythe Street. All gasoline filling stations on the above mentioned streets shall be removed should the business be discontinued or change ownership.

SECTION 3. Gasoline filling stations may be installed at the curb or on private property in all sections of the City, except as prohibited in Section 2 of this Ordinance, upon application to the City Manager and under the direction of the City Engineer; provided, however, that the consent of the owners of fifty percent (50) of the property facing the street or on the nearest cross street within two hundred (200) feet of the proposed location of the filling station must be obtained and be presented with the application. The City reserves the right through its City Manager to revoke any permit so granted or to refuse to grant any permit when in the opinion of the City Manager, the filling station would be a nuisance or not for the best interest of the City in general.

SECTION 4. All gasoline tanks installed under the provisions of this Ordinance shall be installed in accordance with the requirements of the Southeastern Underwriters Association.

SECTION 5. Permits will be granted for the installation of water and air lines when practical in connection with the installation of gasoline filling stations, when requested. Application for said installations to be made to the City Manager.

SECTION 6. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be subject to a fine of not more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00), or imprisonment in the City Jail not exceeding sixty (60) days, or both such fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the Court.

SECTION 7. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances, or Resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 8. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

Approved this 15th day of February, 1923.

W. A. SMOOT,
Mayor.