

**ORDINANCE NO. 2023-19**

**ORDINANCE VACATING AND DELETING THE TITLES OF CITY OF VINELAND TREASURER AND ASSISTANT TREASURER AS NO LONGER NEEDED AND AMENDING ORDINANCE 88-59, AS AMENDED, ESTABLISHING SIGNATURE PRACTICE FOR CHECKS**

**WHEREAS**, in the past, the City of Vineland has appointed an individual to serve as Treasurer and three other people to serve as Assistant Treasurer (Positions) for the City of Vineland; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Financial Officer has found that the Positions are no longer necessary as all of the historical duties of the Treasurer and Assistant Treasurers are handled electronically and by and through the Office of Finance under the direction of the Chief Financial Officer of the City and further, wet signatures are no longer necessary; and

**WHEREAS**, the City’s auditing firm, Ford Scott and Associates, LLC has further confirmed there is no need for the position of Treasurer or Assistant Treasurer; and

**WHEREAS**, Ordinance 88-59, as amended by Ordinance 2016-39 specifies that authorized persons to execute checks includes the Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer and therefore must be amended to delete the titles of Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer as authorized signors.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the City Council of the City of Vineland that the position of Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer for the City of Vineland shall be vacated and deleted and Ordinance 88-59 as amended by Ordinance 2016-39, shall be amended to delete the position of Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer as authorized signors for checks drawn on the treasury of the City of Vineland.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that those persons serving as Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer are relieved of said position.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that should any portion of this Ordinance be deemed unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, that portion so determined to be unenforceable, shall be void and the balance hereof shall remain in full force and effect.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that should any Ordinance or portion thereof be inconsistent herewith, such Ordinance or portion thereof shall be void to the extent of such inconsistencies.

This Ordinance shall take effect upon adoption and publication according to law.

Passed first reading:

Passed final reading:

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President of Council

Approved by the Mayor:

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk