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**ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER SIX OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE TOWN OF SELMA
No. 20260305A**

WHEREAS The Town of Selma regulates special events to protect public health, safety, and welfare and to ensure the orderly use of public streets and municipal resources; and
WHEREAS, the Town Council recognizes that street closures require the coordination and commitment of Town personnel, equipment, services, and traffic control; and
WHEREAS, the Town Council finds that serving street closures for events sponsored by the Town of Selma ensures appropriate oversight, accountability, and responsible allocation of municipal resources; and
WHEREAS, on March 10, 2026, during regular session, the Town Council reviewed the formal amendments and voted to approve the proposal as presented.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED THAT:

Section 1. The Code of the Town of Selma is hereby amended as follows:

Sec. 6-172. Scope and purpose.

The purpose is to ensure that the town and its residents and visitors will have adequate advance notice of a proposed non-town sponsored special event and the cooperation of promoters, sponsors, organizers, and enablers in order to properly plan for a town service such as public safety, sanitation, and traffic control.

By regulating special events frequency duration, intensity, time, place, and manner, the town intends to strike this balance, and provide a predictable and coordinated process for applicants seeking to conduct a special event and abate the cost thereof. The costs to be recouped include, but are not limited to, personnel, equipment, and supplies, sanitation, utilities, public facility maintenance, and restoration and monitoring. **Street closures are reserved for Town Sponsored Events.**

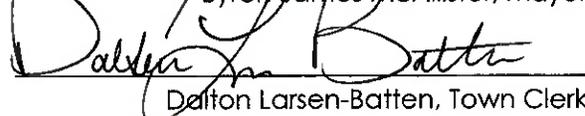
Section 2. The Town Clerk is hereby authorized to insert such amendments into the official Code of Ordinances for the Town of Selma kept on file in the Office of the Town Clerk.

Section 3. This ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

This the 10 day of March, 2026.

[ATTEST]




Byron James McAllister, Mayor

Dalton Larsen-Batten, Town Clerk