

SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
BUSINESS REGISTRATION ORDINANCE
ORDINANCE NO. 95

AN ORDINANCE DEFINING ENGAGING IN BUSINESS AND RELATED TERMS; PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SYSTEM OF LOCAL BUSINESS REGISTRATION; PROVIDING FOR FIRE INSPECTIONS; PROHIBITING OPERATING AN UNREGISTERED BUSINESS; AND PROVIDING FOR A FINE FOR VIOLATION.

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE

This Ordinance shall be known as the San Juan County Business Registration Ordinance.

SECTION 2. PURPOSE

The Board of County Commissioners finds and declares that the registration of businesses is conducive to the promotion of the health, general welfare and safety of the public and that registering businesses enhances efficiency and economy in furnishing public services, tax collection, and information to the public.

SECTION 3. AUTHORITY

This Ordinance is adopted under the authority of the following provisions of New Mexico law: NMSA 1978, Section 4-37-1 (County Ordinances); NMSA 1978, Section 4-37-3 (Enforcing County Ordinances); and NMSA 1978, Sections 3-38-1 through 3-38-6 (Business Registration and Licensing).

SECTION 4. JURISDICTION

This Ordinance shall apply to all unincorporated areas of San Juan County, but not to the area within a federally created American Indian reservation.

SECTION 5. DEFINITIONS

For the purpose of this article, the following definitions shall apply unless the context clearly indicates or requires a different meaning.

Agricultural Exemption. Receipts from selling livestock and the receipts of growers, producers, trappers or nonprofit associations from selling livestock, live poultry, hides, pelts, or unprocessed agricultural products (e.g. bales of hay, heads of lettuce, unroasted bags of green chile).



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