

The following Ordinance proposed at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Patrick, held at the Courthouse thereof, on Monday, March 14, 1977 and having been duly advertised for adoption as provided by law, and after a hearing thereon, on motion by Wm. Marshall Hall, seconded by J. Cornelius Stovall and carried, is hereby adopted:

AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A LOCAL FENCE LAW".

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of Patrick County, Virginia as follows:

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Patrick County, Virginia has authority under the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, and more specifically under the provisions of Section 8-880 of the 1950 Code of Virginia, as amended, to adopt an ordinance establishing boundary lines of each lot or tract of land, or any stream in such county, or any magisterial district thereof, or any selected portion of such county, to be a lawful fence as to any horses, mules, cattle, hogs, sheep, or goats;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF PATRICK COUNTY, VIRGINIA:

That the said Board of Supervisors of Patrick County, Virginia, hereby declares the boundary line of each lot or tract of land, or any stream in said county, to be a lawful fence as to any horses, mules, cattle, hogs, sheep, or goats.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of Patrick County, Virginia, that upon adoption of this ordinance, the same shall repeal the existing fence laws which may be in effect in said County of Patrick, or any magisterial district or selected portion of said county at the time of its adoption.

Voting Aye: Slate, Hall, Joyce, Pilson, and Stovall

Voting Nay: None