

**ORDINANCE NO. 1999-N  
WAS REPEALED ON MARCH 16, 2011  
AND REPLACED WITH  
ORDINANCE NO. 2011-01**

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**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF EDGEWOOD ADOPTING A BUSINESS REGISTRATION FEE; PROVIDING FOR REGISTRING ALL BUSINESSES NOT OTHERWISE LICENSED BY THE TOWN; PROVIDING FOR ENFORCEMENT.**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE TOWN OF EDGEWOOD, NEW MEXICO THAT:

**SECTION 1. Imposition of Business Registration Fee.** There is imposed on each place of business conducted in this Town a business registration fee of Thirty Five Dollars (\$35.00). The fee is imposed pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 3-38-3 as it now exists or is amended and shall be known as the "Business Registration Fee." The Business Registration Fee shall be prorated for businesses conducted for a portion of the year. For purposes of construing this ordinance a "year" is that time on the calendar from January 1 to December 30.

**SECTION 2. Exemption.** No business registration fee shall be imposed on any business which is licensed under any Ordinance that the Town Council may in the future adopt pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 3-38-1.

**SECTION 3. Application to do Business.** Any person proposing to engage in business within the municipal limits of the Town of Edgewood shall apply for and pay a business registration fee for each outlet, branch or location within the Town limits of the Town of Edgewood prior to engaging in business, unless such person is required to obtain a business license fee under Ordinance No. 1999- O, "Business License Fee".

**SECTION 4. Renewal.** Prior to 5:00 p.m. on December 30 of each year, any person with a place of business in the Town of Edgewood and subject to this Ordinance shall apply for renewal of business registration with the Town Clerk.

**SECTION 5. Application.** Any person filing an application for issuance or renewal of any business registration shall include in the application his current revenue division taxpayer identification number or evidence of application for a current revenue division taxpayer identification number. The Town Clerk shall on proper application issue a certificate of business registration to qualifying businesses. The business shall display the certificate of registration on its premises.

**SECTION 6. Late Charge.** Any person who fails to apply for a Business Registration or to renew the Business Registration and pay the fee by 5:00 p.m. on December 30 of any year shall be charged an additional late fee of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and shall not be registered until the original fee and late fee are paid. Provided, however, for the year beginning January 1, 1999 persons or businesses subject to this Ordinance shall not be charged a late fee for failure to

register prior to December 30, 1998. Businesses that were in operation prior to July 1, 1999 and have paid their Business Registration to the County of Santa Fe are not subject to pay the Town of Edgewood until December 30, 1999 for calendar year 2000. New businesses are subject to pay the Town.


**SECTION 7. Enforcement.** The Town may enforce payment of the Business Registration Fee by filing a charge of violation of this Ordinance in municipal court, as well as by any of the other means provided in NMSA 1978, Section 3-38-5.


**SECTION 8. Severability.** Should any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this ordinance, for any reason, be held to be invalid or unenforceable, the invalidity or enforceability of such section, paragraph, clause or provision shall not affect any of the remaining provisions of this ordinance.

**SECTION 9. Repeal.** All ordinances or resolutions, or parts thereof, inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed to the extent only of such inconsistency. The repealer shall not be construed to revive any ordinance or resolution, or part thereof, heretofore repealed.

**SECTION 10. Effective Date.** This ordinance shall be in full force and effect five days after its adoption, approval and publication as provided by law.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE TOWN OF EDGEWOOD, NEW MEXICO THIS 1<sup>ST</sup> DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1999.

  
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Mayor - Lawrence Keaty

ATTEST:  
  
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Town Clerk-Treasurer - Karen Alarid

