

ORDINANCE NO: \_\_\_\_\_

**ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 15, SECTION 15-11  
OF THE CITY OF MEMPHIS CODE OF ORDINANCES REGARDING  
THE DIMENSIONS OF LIMBS AND LOGS COLLECTED BY THE CITY**

**WHEREAS**, Chapter 15, Section 15-11(d) of the existing City Code of Ordinances does not adequately address the dimensions of trees and logs collected by the City; and

**WHEREAS**, it is deemed appropriate to amend Section 15-11(d) to increase the size of trees and logs collected by the City from three (3) inches to thirteen (13) inches in diameter to allow residents greater flexibility and to provide the City better manageability.

**SECTION 1. NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MEMPHIS**, that Chapter 15, Section 15-11(d) is hereby amended to read as follows:

(d) Limbs or logs in excess of thirteen (13) inches in diameter and five (5) feet in length will not be collected by the City.

**SECTION 2. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED**, That the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby severable. If any of these sections, provisions, sentences, clauses, phrases or parts are held unconstitutional or void, the remainder of this Ordinance shall continue in full force and effect.

**SECTION 3. BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED**, That this Ordinance shall take effect from and after the date it shall have been passed by the Council, signed by the Chairman of the Council, certified and delivered to the office of the Mayor in writing by the Comptroller, and become effective as otherwise provided by law.

Harold Collins,  
Chairman of the Council

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Attest  
Patrice Thomas, Comptroller

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