

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

SENATE BILL NO. 1018

94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR RUPP.

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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

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AN ACT

To repeal section 546.902, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to municipal ordinances.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 546.902, RSMo, is repealed and one new section
2 enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 546.902, to read as follows:

546.902. **Notwithstanding any other provisions of law to the**
2 **contrary**, any municipality located within any county of the first classification
3 with a population in excess of nine hundred thousand **or any municipality**
4 **located within any county with a charter form of government and with**
5 **more than two hundred fifty thousand but fewer than three hundred**
6 **fifty thousand inhabitants**, for any purpose or purposes mentioned in this
7 chapter, may enact and make all necessary ordinances, rules and regulations; and
8 they may enact and make all such ordinances and rules, not inconsistent with the
9 laws of the state, as may be expedient for maintaining the peace and good
10 government and welfare of the city and its trade and commerce; and all
11 ordinances may be enforced by prescribing and inflicting upon its inhabitants, or
12 other persons violating the same, such fine not exceeding one thousand dollars,
13 and such imprisonment not exceeding three months, or both such fine and
14 imprisonment, as may be just for any offense, recoverable with costs of suit,
15 together with judgment of imprisonment, until the fine and costs are paid or
16 satisfied; and any person committed for the nonpayment of fine and costs, or
17 either, may be compelled to work out the same as herein provided; but, in any
18 case wherein the penalty for an offense is fixed by any statute, the council shall
19 affix the same penalty by ordinance for the punishment of such offense, except
20 that imprisonments, when made under city ordinances, may be in the city prison
21 or workhouse instead of the county jail.

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