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## **PRESS RELEASE**

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### **City ordinance regulates high grass and weeds**

**Kerrville, Texas (July 20, 2023)** – The City of Kerrville has adopted an ordinance that regulates high grass and weeds. You will find the code section that addresses high grass and weeds under Chapter 58 - Health and Sanitation, Article V, - Sanitary Maintenance of Property, Sec. 58-105(a) in the city's Code of Ordinances. The code states that it is unlawful to allow weeds or brush to grow more than 12 inches, or regardless of height, to remain on the property in an unsightly manner.



Maintaining high grass and weeds that exceed 12 inches in height creates a potential fire hazard when the grass or weeds become dry, a potential visual obstacle for drivers, may harbor rodents and snakes, and contributes to pests like mosquitoes and chiggers.

To learn more about the regulation of high grass and weeds, please visit [https://library.municode.com/tx/kerrville/codes/code\\_of\\_ordinances?nodeId=PTIICOOR\\_CH5\\_8HESA\\_ARTVSAMAPR](https://library.municode.com/tx/kerrville/codes/code_of_ordinances?nodeId=PTIICOOR_CH5_8HESA_ARTVSAMAPR), or contact the City of Kerrville's Development Services office at (830) 258-1514.

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