

**ORDINANCE NUMBER 2026-019**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF THOMPSON'S STATION, TENNESSEE TO  
AMEND THE TOWN CODE TITLE 18, CHAPTER 1 RELATED TO PUMP AND HAUL  
FOR WASTEWATER DISPOSAL**

WHEREAS, the Town Code at Title 18, Chapter 1 controls the minimum standards for wastewater reclamation and reuse systems;

WHEREAS, the Town desires to set standards for the use of pump and haul related to wastewater; and

WHEREAS, the Town Staff and the Utility Board recommend to the Board of Mayor and Alderman the Town Code be amended at Title 18, Chapter 1 to add Section 135 as follows:

It shall be prohibited for any property to utilize Pump and Haul as a means of wastewater disposal, unless a Temporary Pump and Haul Permit is issued by the Board of Mayor and Alderman, after recommendation by the Utility Board. Temporary Pump and Haul Permit requests may be considered for existing structures, but only for a necessary situation, as determined by the Board of Mayor and Alderman until regular wastewater service is available or restored. Temporary shall be defined as a timeframe of no more than (90) days or as determined by the Board of Mayor and Alderman. Any Pump and Haul approvals existing prior to the effective date of this ordinance are exempted from this provision.

WHEREAS, BOMA finds that it is in the best interest of the Town to amend the town code; and

WHEREAS, the Town finds that it is in the best interest of the Town to update the Town Code, Title 18, Chapter 1;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Thompson's Station, Tennessee, that Title 18, Chapter 1 shall be amended to add as follows:

**Section 1.** That the Town Code at Title 18, Chapter 1 be amended to add as follows:

**Section 18-135.** It shall be prohibited for any property to utilize Pump and Haul as a means of wastewater disposal, unless a Temporary Pump and Haul Permit is issued by the Board of Mayor and Alderman, after recommendation by the Utility Board. Temporary Pump and Haul Permit requests may be considered for existing structures, but only for a necessary situation, as

determined by the Board of Mayor and Alderman until regular wastewater service is available or restored. Temporary shall be defined as a timeframe of no more than (90) days or as determined by the Board of Mayor and Alderman. Any Pump and Haul approvals existing prior to the effective date of this ordinance are exempted from this provision.

**Section 2.** After final passage, Town Staff is directed to incorporate these changes into an updated ordinance document and Town Code.

**Section 3.** If any section or part of the Ordinance, including any amendments thereto, is determined to be invalid for any reason, such section or part shall be deemed to be a separate and independent provision. All other sections or parts shall remain in full force and effect. If any section or part of the Ordinance is invalid in one or more of its applications, that section or part shall remain in effect for all other valid applications.

**Section 4.** This Ordinance shall take effect upon the final reading and approval by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, the public welfare requiring it.

Duly approved and adopted by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Thompson's Station, Tennessee, on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2026.

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**Brian Stover, Mayor**

ATTEST:

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Regina Fowler, Town Recorder

First Reading \_\_\_\_\_

Second Reading \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

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Town Attorney