## ORDINANCE NO. 92-12

## AN URGENCY ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AMERICAN AMENDING MUNICIPAL CODE SECTION 12609 REGARDING EXEMPTIONS FROM SIGN REGULATIONS

The City Council of the City of American Canyon does ordain as follows:

- SECTION 1. Section 12609(b) of the City of American Canyon Municipal Code which currently provides that bench signs located at designated public transit bus stops shall be exempt from the signage regulations provided that such signs have any necessary permits is hereby amended to also exempt signs on bus passenger shelters and shall read as follows:
  - (b) Signs on bus passenger shelters located at designated public transit bus stops; provided, however, that such signs have any necessary permits.
- SECTION 2. Declaration of Facts Constituting Urgency. This ordinance is an urgency ordinance and is for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, safety and general welfare. The facts constituting urgency are these: the City through a franchise agreement may raise revenues from advertising on bus shelters; the City has an immediate need to raise such revenues and presently there is a franchisee who is ready to construct bus shelters at designated public transit bus stops and place advertising on those shelters. It is necessary that this ordinance take effect immediately in order to allow the City to obtain revenues to the greatest extent possible from the bus shelter/advertising franchise.

SECTION 3. Taking Effect. This ordinance being an urgency ordinance for the immediate protection of the public peace, health, safety and general welfare, containing a declaration of the facts constituting the urgency, and passed by at least a 4/5ths vote of the City Council, shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

The foregoing ordinance was introduced, approved and adopted at a meeting of the City Council held on August 6, 1992 by the following vote:

AYES: anderson, Bennett, Winters, Makonay, Onlando

NOES: Vlore

ABSTAIN: None

ABSENT: None

Tom Orlando

Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Stephen J. Kimbrough

City Clerk

William D. Ross

City Attorney