

ORDINANCE NO. 2-3-97

**AN ORDINANCE DECLARING FAILURE TO RETURN
PROPERTY OF THE RAINSVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY TO BE A
MISDEMEANOR**

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Rainsville, DeKalb
County, Alabama, as followed :

(1) It shall be unlawful for any person to willfully detain or fail to return any book, periodical, or any other property of the Rainsville Public Library for thirty (30) days after a notice is given to return the same, and any violator shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

(2) Any person violating any provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined not less than One Dollar (\$1.00) or more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) or may be sentenced to the City Jail of the City of Rainsville, Alabama for a term not exceeding thirty (30) days, either or both, at the discretion of the Municipal Court Judge.

(3) This Order shall take effect immediately upon its approval and publication as required by law.

(4) All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

(5) Each and every provision of this ordinance is hereby declared to be an independent provision, and the holding of any provision hereto to be unconstitutional or invalid, shall not effect any other provision of this ordinance so long as such holding does not destroy the essence of the ordinance as it remains.

Adopted this 3rd day of February, 1997.

ATTEST:


CLERK

APPROVED:


MAYOR

I, Judy Lewis, City Clerk of the City of Rainsville, DeKalb County, Alabama, hereby certify that the above ordinance was published One (1) time in the Weekly Post, a newspaper published in the City of Rainsville, Alabama in the issue of said newspaper on 2-13-97.