## **Town of Bostic**

## **Grass Ordinance**

## Adopted June 27, 2005

It shall be unlawful for any person owning, occupying, possessing, or controlling any lot or parcel of land to have on such lot or parcel of land any of the following conditions which are hereby declared to be noxious, dangerous, detrimental, and prejudicial to the public health and safety, and constitute a public nuisance:

- (1) Any uncontrolled growth of weeds, grasses or bushes to a height in excess of fifteen (15) inches, causing or threatening to cause:
  - a. The infestation by rats, mice, snakes, or vermin of any kind;
  - b. A fire hazard; or
  - c. A condition which in any other way is detrimental to the public health, safety, or general welfare. This subsection shall not apply to areas which customarily have such growth in its natural condition, such as predominantly forested areas with numerous trees, or area that consist of managed landscaped plantings, shrubs, or other cultivated and managed vegetation, including but not limited to planted areas with landscape plants for screening or buffering purpose required by other sections of this Code.

The governing body of the Town of Bostic adopts the grass ordinance this the 27<sup>th</sup> day of June 2005.

Angie Gwnbey
Angie Ownbey, Town Clerk

Mitch Harrill, Mayor