

**CITY OF ELYSIAN
LE SUEUR COUNTY, MINNESOTA**

ORDINANCE NO. 93/19

**AN ORDINANCE ORDERING A MORATORIUM
ON SOLAR ENERGY PRODUCTION SYSTEMS
WITHIN THE CITY OF ELYSIAN, MINNESOTA**

WHEREAS, the City of Elysian Zoning Ordinance does not contain standards for the issuance of land use permits for solar energy production systems; and

WHEREAS, the City of Elysian Planning and Zoning Commission is reviewing the City of Elysian Zoning Ordinance with respect to solar energy production systems and changes may be necessary to protect public health, safety, and general welfare; and

WHEREAS, it will take approximately six to nine months to complete such a study; and

WHEREAS, The City of Elysian wishes to complete the study prior to issuing any new land use permits for solar energy production systems;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELYSIAN, MINNESOTA, as follows:

1. The City of Elysian hereby adopts a Moratorium on land use permits for solar energy productions systems for a period of twelve (12) months unless earlier ended by action of the City Council.
2. No land use permits for solar energy production systems shall be issued in the City of Elysian.

Adopted by the City Council this 9th day of September, 2019.

Tom McBroom
Mayor

ATTEST:

Lorri Kopischke
City Administrator