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Ordinance No. 3195 Summary

On November 8, 2022 the City of Paola, Kansas, adopted Ordinance No. 3195, amending Chapter 7. Fire, Article 2. Fire Prevention of the Code of the City of Paola, Kansas, 2021, incorporating by reference the 2018 International Fire Code, excepting only such parts or portions thereof as are specifically deleted or amended by this ordinance and including such new and additional provisions added to said code by this ordinance. A complete copy of this ordinance may be obtained or viewed free of charge at the Office of the City Clerk at City Hall, 19 E Peoria Street or at www.cityofpaola.com. This summary is certified by Lee H. Tetwiler, Paola City Attorney pursuant to K.S.A. 12-3001, et seq.

ORDINANCE NO. 3195

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE FIRE CODES IN THE CITY OF PAOLA INCORPORATING BY REFERENCE THE 2018 EDITION OF THE INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Paola as follows:

Section 1. That Chapter 7. Fire, Article 2. Fire Prevention of the Code of the City of Paola, Kansas, 2021, is hereby amended as follows:

7-201. International fire code incorporated.

(a) There is incorporated by reference, for the purpose of adopting regulations, provisions, terms and specifications, for the prevention of fire and explosion within the City of Paola and the Community Growth Area, the 2018 International Fire Code dated August 2017, as published by the International Code Council, Inc., excepting only such parts or portions thereof as are specifically deleted or amended by this Section and including such new and additional provisions added to said code by this Section. Not less than one (1) copy of said 2018 International Fire Code shall be marked Official Copy as Adopted by Ordinance No. 3194, to which shall be attached a copy of the ordinance codified herein and filed with the City Clerk to be open to inspection and available to the public at all reasonable business hours. All references to "Fire Code Official" in the adopted code shall refer to the Chief of the Fire Department.

(b) Establishment And Duties of Bureau of Fire Prevention. The 2018 International Fire Code shall be enforced by the Fire Department of the City of Paola, which is hereby established, and which shall be operated under the supervision of the Chief of the Fire Department.

(1) International Fire Code—appendices adopted. The following appendices are adopted as part of the International Fire Code.

- (A) Appendix B–Fire Flow Requirements for Buildings.
- (B) Appendix C–Fire Hydrant Locations and Distribution.
- (C) Appendix D–Fire Apparatus Access Roads.
- (D) Appendix N–Indoor Trade Shows and Exhibitions.

(c) Amended definition. The following definition shall apply in lieu of the definition listed in Chapter 2:

1. FIRE CODE OFFICIAL. The Fire Chief of the City of Paola Fire Department.

(d) Amended codes and standards. The edition of the following codes and standards shall apply in lieu of the standard reference number of the same codes and standards listed in Chapter 80:

1. NFPA 495-2013 (Explosive Materials Code) as adopted and amended by the State of Kansas – Office of the Kansas State Fire Marshal in Kansas Administrative Regulations (K.A.R.) 22-4-5.

7-202. Opening Fire Hydrant.

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation, other than authorized City employees, to open or close any fire hydrant belonging to the City of Paola.

7-203. Open Burning.

Open burning is not allowed in the City limits of the City of Paola except by permit as allowed under Section 307 and 308 of the 2018 International Fire Code.

7-204. Regulation of Fires for Two-Family and Multi-Family Dwellings.

Burning shall be allowed when the fire is for non-commercial preparation of food such as barbecuing; provided that the fire is in a container or structure designed for that purpose. No person shall burn charcoal or wood for any purpose, including non-commercial preparation of food, on wooden decks or balconies attached to apartment buildings or other multi-family dwelling containing more than two (2) living units. Each occurrence shall constitute a separate offense.

7-205. Enforcement.

All provisions of this Article shall be enforced by the Chief of the Fire Department and by the Building Official of the City of Paola, Kansas.

7-206. Conflicting Ordinances.

Where this Article conflicts with any other local, State or Federal ordinance or regulation, the most restrictive ordinance or regulation shall apply.

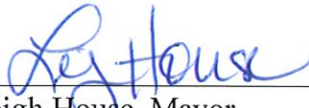
Section 2. That this ordinance shall become effective after its passage, approval, and publication in the official city newspaper pursuant to KSA 12-3001, et seq.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Governing Body this 8th day of November, 2022.

APPROVED by the Mayor this 8th day of November, 2022.



ATTEST: [seal]



Leigh House, Mayor



Stephanie Marler, City Clerk