

1 BILL NO. G-14-09-30 - AS-AMENDED

2 GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. G-23-14

3 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 94 "FIRE
4 PREVENTION CODE" OF THE CODE OF
5 ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE,
6 INDIANA.

7 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL
8 OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, ALLEN COUNTY, INDIANA:

9 SECTION 1. Chapter 94 entitled "Fire Prevention Code" of the Code
10 of Ordinances of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, is hereby amended as
11 follows:

12 **CHAPTER 94: FIRE PREVENTION CODE**

13 Section

14 *Fire Prevention Provisions*

- 15 94.01 Title
- 16 94.02 Purpose
- 17 94.03 Applicability
- 18 94.04 Adoption
- 19 94.05 Administration
- 20 94.06 Enforcement authority
- 21 94.07 Inspections
- 22 94.08 Right of entry
- 23 94.09 Violations; orders to correct
- 24 94.10 Administrative appeals
- 25 94.11 Remedies

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- 94.12 Investigations
- 94.13 Review and final inspection of site plans
- 94.14 Review of building plans and certificate of occupancy

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- 94.19 Portable fire extinguishers
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- 94.21 Life Safety and Fire Protection Reports
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- 94.60 Smoke detectors
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- 94.90 Temporary propane tank storage permit
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Registration
- 94.95 Enforcement of provisions

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- 94.100 Fireworks and pyrotechnics permits

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94.101 Sky lanterns/open flame aerial devices

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94.199 Penalties

94.200 Severability

94.201 Authority

FIRE PREVENTION PROVISIONS

§94.14 REVIEW OF BUILDING PLANS AND CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY.

§94.14 AMEND THIS SECTION AS FOLLOWS:

ADD: (D)

(D) The Fire Department shall be charged with the duty of enforcing 94.14 (A), (B), and (C).

ON-SITE FIRE PROTECTION

§94.15 ON-SITE FIRE PROTECTION - PLANS & CONNECTIONS.

§94.15 AMEND THIS SECTION AS FOLLOWS:

ADD: (C)

(C) Installation Certification; upon completion of installation of any and all on-site fire, smoke and/or life safety protection appliances or systems, the contractor shall submit to the Fire Marshal and/or Fire Code Enforcement Division, a written certification that any and all appliances or systems have been installed in accordance with the approved plans and NFPA Standards.

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4 (D) Enforcement of Provisions. The Fire Department shall be charged with the
5 duty of enforcing the terms of 94.15

6 ADD NEW §94.21 LIFE SAFETY AND FIRE PROTECTION REPORTS.

7 §94.21 LIFE SAFETY AND FIRE PROTECTION REPORTS.

8 (A) A copy of an itemized report upon completion of an inspection, maintenance,
9 repair, or replacement performed in accordance with the applicable standards on any
10 and all life safety or fire protections appliances and systems including but not limited
11 to fire sprinkler systems, standpipe systems, fire alarms, smoke detection, monitoring
12 systems, fire extinguishing hood systems, private fire hydrants, private water main
13 systems, fire extinguishers, other extinguishing systems, fire hose shall be forwarded
14 by the entity, contractor, company or individual performing the service to the Fort
15 Wayne Fire Department Code Enforcement Division, Fort Wayne Fire Marshal or a
16 Designee set forth by the Fire Marshal. The report shall include a pass or fail along
17 with a listing of any and all deficiencies found. The report shall also include any
18 repairs or replacements that were completed at the time of inspection or
19 maintenance.

20 (B) Enforcement of Provisions.

21 The Fire Department shall be charged with the duty of enforcing the terms of §
22 94.21.

23 ADD NEW §94.22 HOOD SUPPRESSION SYSTEMS – Mobile Food Unit.

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25 (A) A Type 1 hood shall be installed at or above all commercial food heat
26 processing appliances that produce grease vapors in a mobile food unit as
27 defined by the Board of Health.

28 (B) The Fort Wayne Fire Department shall be charged with the duty of
29 enforcing § 94.22.

30 ADD NEW §94.23 STRUCTURES USING ENGINEERED LUMBER.

§ 94.23 STRUCTURES USING ENGINEERED LUMBER.

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1. Definitions:

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2. All structures constructed with engineered lumber after the effective date of this ordinance must have a reflective symbol affixed to each electrical meter serving the structure.
 3. The reflective symbol shall be in the form of a sticker, issued by the City of Fort Wayne that states that the structure is constructed with engineered lumber.
 4. The owner of any structure that was constructed with engineered lumber prior to the effective date of this ordinance is requested to place the reflective symbol on the electrical meter serving the structure on a voluntary basis.
- (C)(B) The Fort Wayne Fire Department shall be charged with the duty of enforcing § 94.23.

AMEND §94.80 INDOOR/OUTDOOR TIRE STORAGE PERMIT.

INDOOR TIRE STORAGE

§ 94.80 INDOOR/OUTDOOR TIRE STORAGE PERMIT.

(A) The provisions of this section concerning tire storage apply to all structures where an excess of 100 tires, new, used or waste, are stored on a property or inside a structure.

1 (B) The owner, occupant or representative of the business or structure where an
2 excess of 100 tires are stored shall obtain an information permit issued by the Fort
3 Wayne Fire Department for the storage of tires inside a structure. The permit must
4 be made available upon request of a Fire Department official.

5 (C) The owner, occupant or representative of the business must submit the
6 following information:

- 7 (1) Name of the business;
- 8 (2) Name, date of birth, and social security number of business owner;
- 9 (3) Address where the tires are stored; location of storage on property to be
10 included;
- 11 (4) Estimated maximum number of tires stored at the site;
- 12 (5) Name, date of birth, and social security number of the person
13 responsible for the tires;
- 14 (6) Address and phone number of person responsible for the tires; and
- 15 (7) A statement of acknowledgment, with the structure owner's signature,
16 that the structure owner is aware that tires are being stored inside the
17 structure.

18 ADD §94.92 ABOVE AND UNDERGROUND TANKS REGISTRATION

19 § 94.92 ABOVE AND UNDERGROUND TANKS REGISTRATION

20 (A) The provisions of this section apply to all businesses where above or below
21 ground tanks are located.

22 (B) The owner, occupant or representative of the business where above or below
23 ground tanks are located shall register with an informational permit when installing,
24 removing, abandoning in place, and/or placing temporarily out of service issued by
25 the Fort Wayne Fire Department Code Enforcement Division. The permit must be
26 made available upon request of a Fire Department official.

27 (C) The owner, occupant or representative of the business must submit the
28 following information for each site having above or below ground tanks:

- 29 (1) Name of the business;
- 30 (2) Name of business owner;

- 1 (3) Address; location of storage on property to be included
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3 (4) Number of tanks located at the site;
4 (5) Name of the person responsible for the tanks;
5 (6) Address and phone number of person/company responsible for the tanks

6 (D) The owner, occupant or representative of the business must submit the
7 following information for each site when installing, removing, abandoning in place,
8 or placing temporarily out of service, above or below ground tanks:

- 9 (1) Name of the business;
10 (2) Name of business owner;
11 (3) Address of installation or removal
12 (4) Number of tanks installing or removing;
13 (5) Name of the company responsible for the tanks installation and/or
14 removal.
15 (6) Address and phone number of said company

16 ADD §94.93 ENFORCEMENT OF PROVISIONS.

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18 **§ 94.93 ENFORCEMENT OF PROVISIONS.**

19 The Fire Department shall be charged with the duty of enforcing the terms of
20 94.92

21 If the contractor, entity, company or individual performing the service fails to
22 register as required they are in violation of 94.92 (D) and the penalty shall be \$250.
23 Notice of violation shall be left with the contractor, entity, company, individual or
24 other agent in charge. If the violator fails to appear in response to a notice issued
25 after 30 calendar days from the date and time shown the penalty shall be \$300

26 ADD §94.94 FIRE AND LIFE SAFETY PROTECTION SERVICE
27 CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION.

28 **§ 94.94 FIRE AND LIFE SAFETY PROTECTION SERVICE CONTRACTOR
29 REGISTRATION.**

30 (A) All persons, companies or corporations including but not limited to; service,
inspect, repair, maintain, alter, charge, recharge, hydro-test, install, remove,

1 sensitivity test or replacement of any life safety appliances and systems including but
2 not limited to fire sprinkler systems, standpipe systems, fire alarms, smoke detection,
3 monitoring systems, fire extinguishing hood systems, private fire hydrants, private
4 water main systems, fire extinguishers, other extinguishing systems, and fire hose
5 shall register on an annual basis with the Fort Wayne Fire Code Enforcement
6 Division of the Fort Wayne Fire Prevention Bureau. Registration form may be done
7 online or downloaded with the Fort Wayne Fire Department's website.

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ADD §94.95 ENFORCEMENT OF PROVISIONS.

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The Fire Department shall be charged with the duty of enforcing the terms of § 94.94

If the contractor, entity, company or individual performing the service fails to register as required they are in violation of 94.94 and the penalty shall be \$100. Notice of violation shall be left with the contractor, entity, company, individual or other agent in charge. If the violator fails to appear in response to a notice issued after 30 calendar days from the date and time shown the penalty shall be \$150.

FIREWORKS & PYROTECHNICS

ADD §94.101 SKY LANTERNS/OPEN FLAME AERIAL DEVICES.

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No person shall release or cause to be released a sky lantern/open flame aerial device with the intention of causing the lantern to lift into the atmosphere unless the lantern is anchored or tethered to the person's property such that the lantern cannot freely lift into the atmosphere.

AMEND §94.102 ENFORCEMENT OF PROVISIONS.

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The Fire Department shall be charged with the duty of enforcing the terms of § 94.100.

Any person who causes an sky lantern/open flame aerial device to be released into the atmosphere not permitted in § 94.102 shall be in violation of § 94.102. The penalty shall be \$100. If the violator does not appear in response to a notice issued

1 to them or placed in a noticeable location at the place of residence, business, or burn
2 site within a period of 30 calendar days from date and time shown on said notice, the
3 penalty shall be \$150

4 AMEND: PENALTIES, SEVERABILITY, AUTHORITY.

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6 **PENALTIES, FEES, SEVERABILITY, AUTHORITY**

7 AMEND §94.199 PENALTIES.

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9 **§ 94.199 PENALTIES AND FEES.**

10 (A) If any person, firm or corporation shall violate any of the provisions of this
11 chapter, or shall do any act prohibited herein, or shall fail to perform any duty
12 lawfully enjoined, within the time prescribed by the Fire Chief, or shall fail, neglect
13 or refuse to obey any lawful order given by the Fire Chief, in connection with the
14 provisions of this code, for each such violation, failure or refusal, such person, firm
15 or corporation shall be liable to the city for a civil forfeiture in a sum not less than
16 \$20.00, not more than \$2,500.00. Each day of such unlawful activity as is prohibited
17 by the first sentence of this section shall constitute a separate offense. In all cases
18 where the same offense may be made punishable, or may be created by different
19 clauses or sections of the ordinances of the city, the City Attorney may elect under
20 which to proceed, but not more than one recovery shall be had against the same
21 person for the same offense.

22 (B) There is hereby established the following citation schedule of penalties for
23 violations of the provisions of the City of Fort Wayne Fire Prevention Code.
24 Penalties shall be paid to the Fort Wayne Ordinance Violations Bureau who shall
25 deposit the funds in the Fire Fund of the Fort Wayne Fire Department.

26 (1) If the owner, operator, or agent fails to correct a cited violation of the
27 Indiana Fire Prevention Code as adopted in § 94.04, the penalty shall be \$100 for
28 each violation cited. Each day such violation is permitted to continue may be
29 deemed to constitute a separate offense. If the violator fails to appear in response to
30 a notice issued to the owner, operator, or agent after 30 calendar days from the date
and time shown on said notice issued, the penalty shall be \$150.

(2) If the owner, occupant, manager or other agent obstructs a fire hydrant,
fire department connection, or fire protection control valve they are in violation of §
94.18 and the penalty shall be \$100. Notice of violation shall be left with the owner,
occupant, manager or other agent in charge. If the violator fails to appear in
response to a notice issued after 30 calendar days from the date and time shown the
penalty shall be \$150.

1 (3) If the owner, occupant, manager or other agent fails to install or maintain
2 portable fire extinguishers as required they are in violation of § 94.19, the penalty
3 shall be \$100. Notice of violation shall be left with the owner, occupant, manager or
4 other agent in charge. If the violator fails to appear in response to a notice issued
after 30 calendar days from the date and time shown the penalty shall be \$150.

5 (4) If the owner, operator, manager or agent of a commercial, industrial, or
6 public building fails to establish and maintain open fire lanes, said owner, operator,
7 manager, or agent shall be in violation of § 94.40. The penalty shall be \$100. Each
8 day such violation is permitted to continue may be deemed to constitute a separate
offense. If the violator fails to appear in response to the notice issued after 30
calendar days from the date and time shown on said notice the penalty shall be \$150.

9 (5) If a vehicle with or without a licensed driver is parked or obstructs a fire
10 lane in violation of § 94.056, the penalty shall be \$100. If the violator does not
11 appear in response to a notice affixed to such vehicle within a period of 30 calendar
12 days from the date and time shown on said notice, the penalty shall be \$150.

13 (6) Any person, firm or corporation violating provisions of §§ 94.60 through
14 94.64, or who shall fail to comply with an order as affirmed or modified by the
15 authority having jurisdiction, shall be subject to a fine of \$100. Each day such
16 violation is permitted to continue may be deemed to constitute a separate offense.
17 The violation and penalty as described in §§ 94.60 through 94.65 shall not be subject
18 to any other fine or penalty within this chapter.

19 (7) Any person who maintains burning of combustible materials out of
20 doors or open burning not permitted in § 94.70 shall be in violation of § 94.70. The
21 penalty shall be \$100. If the violator does not appear in response to a notice issued
22 to them or placed in a noticeable location at the place of residence, business, or burn
23 site within a period of 30 calendar days from date and time shown on said notice, the
penalty shall be \$150.

24 (8) If the owner, operator, or representative fails to obtain a Tire Storage
25 Permit as required in § 94.80, the penalty shall be \$100 for each violation cited.
26 Each day such violation is permitted to continue may be deemed to constitute a
27 separate offense. If the violator fails to appear in response to a notice issued to the
owner, operator, or representative after 30 calendar days from the date and time
shown on said notice issued, the penalty shall be \$150.

28 (9) If the owner, operator, or representative fails to obtain a Temporary
29 Propane Tank Storage Permit as required in § 94.90, the penalty shall be \$100 for
30 each violation cited. Each day such violation is permitted to continue may be
deemed a separate offense. If the violator fails to appear in response to a notice
issued to the owner, operator or representative after 30 calendar days from the date
and time shown on said notice issued, the penalty shall be \$150.

1 (10) If the owner, operator, or representative fails to obtain a Fireworks and
2 Pyrotechnics Permit as required in § 94.100, the penalty shall be \$100 for each
3 violation cited. Each day such a violation is permitted to continue may be deemed a
4 separate offense. If the violator fails to appear in response to a notice issued to the
5 owner, operator, or representative after 30 calendar days from the date and time
6 shown on said notice issued, the penalty shall be \$150.

7 (11) If the fire protection contractor, owner, occupant, manager, or other
8 agent fails to submit written certifications of installed life safety appliances or
9 systems as required they are in violation of § 94.15 (C) and the penalty shall be
10 \$100. Notice of violation shall be left with the contractor, owner, occupant, manager
11 or other agent in charge. If the violator fails to appear in response to a notice issued
12 after 30 calendar days from the date and time shown the penalty shall be \$150.

13 (12) If the fire protection contractor, entity, company or individual
14 performing the service fails to submit a detailed report upon completion of an
15 inspection, maintenance or repair performed on any and all life safety protections
16 appliances and systems including but not limited to fire sprinkler systems, standpipe
17 systems, fire alarms, smoke detection, monitoring systems, fire extinguishing hood
18 systems, private fire hydrants, private water main systems, fire extinguishers, other
19 extinguishing systems, and fire hose as required they are in violation of § 94.21 and
20 the penalty shall be \$100. Notice of violation shall be left with the contractor, entity,
21 company, individual or other agent in charge. If the violator fails to appear in
22 response to a notice issued after 30 calendar days from the date and time shown the
23 penalty shall be \$150

24 (13) If a mobile food unit operator fails comply with the installation of a
25 Type 1 Hood system over heat producing appliances that produce grease laden
26 vapors they are in violation of § 94.22 and the penalty shall be \$100. If the violator
27 fails to appear in response to a notice issued after 30 calendar days from the date and
28 time shown the penalty shall be \$150.

29 (14) Any person violating 94.23 by refusing to use the reflective symbol or
30 by removing the reflective symbol shall be subject to a fine in an amount of \$100 per
violation. Each day that a violation occurs shall constitute a separate violation,
subject to a separate fine. If the violator fails to appear in response to a notice issued
after 30 calendar days from the date and time shown the penalty shall be \$150.

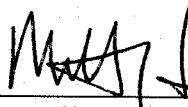
(15) If the contractor, entity, company or individual performing the service
fails to register as required they are in violation of § 94.92 (D) and the penalty shall
be \$250. Notice of violation shall be left with the contractor, entity, company,
individual or other agent in charge. If the violator fails to appear in response to a
notice issued after 30 calendar days from the date and time shown the penalty shall
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(16) Failure to submit fire and life safety protection contractor registration §
94.94.

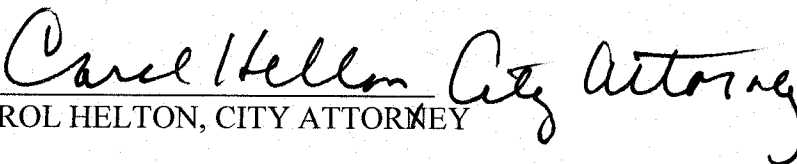
1 \$100; \$150 if failure to appear after 30 calendar days from date of notice.
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3 (C) There is hereby established the following fees of the City of Fort Wayne Fire
4 Prevention Code. Fees shall be paid to the **Fort Wayne Fire Department** who shall
5 deposit the funds in the Fire Fund of the Fort Wayne Fire Department.

6 **SECTION 2.** That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and
7 after its passage and any and all necessary approval by the Mayor.

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10 Councilmember

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12 APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY

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15 CAROL HELTON, CITY ATTORNEY

G-14-09-30 AS Amended

Handout
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11-18-14

Suggestions for Fireworks Use in the City

1. Use of fireworks is legal on one day only, Fourth of July and New Year's Eve.
2. Time of use from 5:00PM to 1:00AM
3. Any fireworks that fly into the air and can land on a neighbor's property are forbidden. They must be confined to owner's property.
4. Excessive loud military type fireworks are also forbidden.
5. Fireworks are confined to owner's property but must be at least twenty feet from neighbor's property line.
6. It is a conflict of interest for police or fire departments to collect tax money from the sale of fireworks.
7. The street and alleys are not to be used for the setting off of fireworks.
8. The noise ordinance should be strictly enforced during the summer and the setting off of fireworks.
9. Fines should be 250.00 for the first offence and 500.00 for the second offense and each offense thereafter.
10. This ordinance should be published and televised weekly during the summer so that all residents know the ordinance. It should also be given out at all stores that sell fireworks in the city.

Mary Kay Matasky

1026 E. Rudisill Blvd.

Ft. Wayne, IN 46806

744-5553

Introduced 9-23-14

Public Hearing Date, if applicable _____

Read the first time in full and on motion by Councilman Harper

Read the second time by title and referred to the Regulations

Committee. Read the third time in full and on motion by Councilman Harper

, placed on passage by the following vote:

	<u>AYES</u>	<u>NAYS</u>	<u>ABSTAINED</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
<u>TOTAL VOTES</u>	<u>9</u>	_____	_____	_____
BENDER	✓	_____	_____	_____
CRAWFORD	✓	_____	_____	_____
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SHOAFF	✓	_____	_____	_____
SMITH	✓	_____	_____	_____

DATED: 11-18-14 Sandra E. Kennedy
SANDRA E. KENNEDY, CITY CLERK

Passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, as
(ANNEXATION) (APPROPRIATION) (GENERAL) (SPECIAL) (ZONING) ORDINANCE
(RESOLUTION) NO. 9-23-14 on the 18th day of
November, 2014

ATTEST:
Sandra E. Kennedy
SANDRA E. KENNEDY,
CITY CLERK

Martin A. Bender
PRESIDING OFFICER

Presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, on the 20th day
of November, 2014, at the hour of 2:00 o'clock PM E.S.T.

Sandra E. Kennedy
SANDRA E. KENNEDY, CITY CLERK

Approved and signed by me this 21st day of NOVEMBER
2014, at the hour of 10:30 o'clock AM E.S.T.

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THOMAS C. HENRY, MAYOR

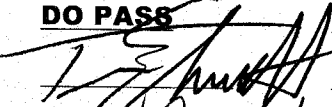
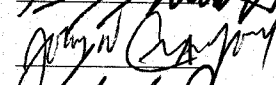
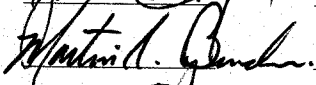
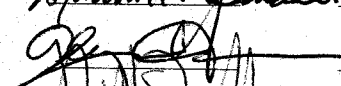

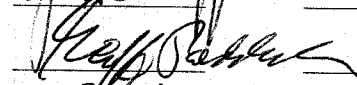
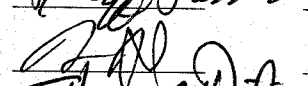
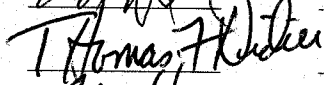
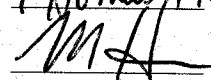
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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON REGULATIONS

NOVEMBER 18, 2014

*Mitch Harper, Chair
Thomas Didier, Co-Chair
All Council Members*

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**SANDRA E. KENNEDY
CITY CLERK**

BILL NO. G-14-09-30 (*A s Amended*)

*Held 2 weeks
11-18*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON REGULATIONS

NOVEMBER 4, 2014

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Thomas Didier, Co-Chair
All Council Members*

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**SANDRA E. KENNEDY
CITY CLERK**

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BILL NO. G-14-09-30

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON REGULATIONS

OCTOBER 21, 2014

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All Council Members*

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Jim Murua

From: John Maxwell <pugmax7@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, November 04, 2014 5:06 PM
To: Jim Murua
Subject: Fire systems/mobile trucks

Greetings, to whom it may concern:

My name is John Maxwell and I am the owner/Operator of The Ragin' Cajun Food Truck based here in Ft. Wayne Indiana.

I am writing to support the proposed legislation concerning fire suppression systems in and on mobile food kitchens operating in our city. As a member in good standing in Ft. Wayne Food Trucks Inc. (a local non-profit group) I think I can speak for all of our members in stating that we take safety issues on our trucks VERY seriously and look forward to working with city government as well as our Local Fire Department in addressing all issues regarding the safety of our staff as well as the public in general.

My only concern about this particular legislation is that having not read it in its entirety, and only being made aware of it this afternoon, is that as much as we all want to provide a safe environment for everyone, I think a bill like this that will certainly impact the bottom line of several local operators, that these operators be given adequate time to come into compliance before facing any adverse fines or fees.

And with that I turn my trust in the matter over to our city leaders and Fire Department, who I am sure will try to govern and regulate for the safety and best interests to all involved.

Thank you,
John Maxwell

Jim Murua

Subject: FW: Fire department meeting

From: Dan Campbell [<mailto:affinefoods@gmail.com>]
Sent: Tuesday, November 18, 2014 3:45 PM
To: Jim Murua
Subject: Re: Fire department meeting

Jim,

Thanks again for taking the time to meet with me and listen to my concerns moving forward with the food trucks in this city. As president of the FWFT inc. I want to assure you that safety is our highest priority. We understand the need for the safety that this ordinance will bring. We agree with this and look forward to working with the FWFD and other city officials in creating guidelines for food trucks that are necessary.

Regards,

Dan Campbell
Affine Foods LLC
(574) 286-8977

AffineFoodTruck.com

Jim Murua

Subject: FW: City Council Meeting - Nov 4, 2014

From: Jon Hembree [<mailto:jhembree@tjnowak.com>]
Sent: Tuesday, November 18, 2014 4:06 PM
To: Jim Murua
Cc: John James
Subject: RE: City Council Meeting - Nov 4, 2014

Sir ~

Per our conversation; Yes, we do support a registration process for fire contractors. It would be imperative that the information on the customer and the contractor be held in confidence. We strongly believe the community would benefit from a process that would allow the fire department to be informed of non-compliant systems.

We look forward to helping in this endeavor.

Thank You,

Jon Hembree
Process Manager



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DATE: November 14, 2014
TO: Jim Murua
FROM: Gail Beucler, Current Fire Protection, Inc.
Service and Inspection Manager
RE: Contractor Registration and Fire Sprinkler Inspection Reports

Please use this letter as confirmation that Current Fire Protection is in agreement and supports the motion to have:

- Fire sprinkler contractor registration.
- Submittal of inspection reports to the fire authorities.

Fire sprinkler systems are an important safety feature for life and property. To have the systems properly installed and properly maintained is critical for correct operation.

Please let me know if you require additional support.

Thank you!

CURRENT FIRE PROTECTION, INC.

Gail Beucler

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