

TITLE

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE 12, TITLED "BUILDING, UTILITY, ETC. CODES," OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF OAK RIDGE, TENNESSEE, BY DELETING CHAPTER 10, TITLED "MECHANICAL CODE," IN ITS ENTIRETY AND SUBSTITUTING THEREFOR A NEW CHAPTER 10, TITLED "MECHANICAL CODE," TO ADOPT THE 2012 EDITION OF THE INTERNATIONAL MECHANICAL CODE, 2012 EDITION, AND TO PROVIDE FOR ANY NECESSARY AMENDMENTS THERETO.

WHEREAS, the City desires to adopt the 2012 edition of the International Mechanical Code and to provide for any necessary amendments thereto, which furthers the City efforts to lessen conflicts between the various codes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAK RIDGE, TENNESSEE:

Section 1. Title 12, titled "Building, Utility, Etc. Codes," of the Code of Ordinances, City of Oak Ridge, Tennessee, is hereby amended by deleting Chapter 10, titled "Mechanical Code," in its entirety and substituting therefor a new Chapter 10, titled "Mechanical Code," which new chapter shall read as follows:

Chapter 10

Mechanical Code

Sec. 12-1001. International Mechanical Code Adopted.

The International Mechanical Code, 2012 edition, is hereby adopted by reference and shall become a part of the mechanical code as if copied herein verbatim, except as such code may be in conflict with other provisions of the mechanical code, in which event such other provisions shall prevail.

Sec. 12-1002. International Mechanical Code – Amendments.

The International Mechanical Code as adopted by §12-1005 is amended as set out in this section.

All references to section numbers in the text of this section shall be construed as if followed by the words "of the International Mechanical Code," unless the context clearly indicates otherwise.

Section 101.1 Title.

Insert "City of Oak Ridge, Tennessee" for name of jurisdiction.

Section 2. There shall be a ninety (90) day grace period from the effective date of the ordinance to allow City Staff time to educate the development community and local contractors on the changes.

Section 3. This ordinance shall become effective ten (10) days after adoption on second reading, the welfare of the City of Oak Ridge requiring it.

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

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Kenneth R. Krushenski, City Attorney

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Thomas L. Beehan, Mayor

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Diana R. Stanley, City Clerk