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ORDINANCE BILL NO. 13-23

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE FIRE PREVENTION CODE; AMENDING SRC 58.001, 58.003, 58.004, 58.185, 58.190, 58.325, and 58.334.

The City of Salem ordains as follows:

Section 1. SRC chapter 58 is hereby amended as set forth in Exhibit A, attached hereto and by this reference incorporated herein.

Section 2. Findings. The Fire Prevention Code is an important tool for fire prevention and enforcement of local fire safety regulations. Local administration of the Fire Prevention Code provides for a more efficient and incorporates local needs and conditions. The amendments to the Fire Prevention Code is in the best interest of the public.

Section 3. Codification. In preparing this ordinance for publication and distribution, the City Recorder shall not alter the sense, meaning, effect or substance of this ordinance, but within such limitations, may:

- (a) Renumber sections and parts of sections of the ordinance;
- (b) Rearrange sections;
- (c) Change reference numbers to agree with renumbered chapters, sections or other parts;
- (d) Delete references to repealed sections;
- (e) Substitute the proper subsection, section or chapter, or other division numbers;
- (f) Change capitalization and spelling for the purpose of uniformity;
- (g) Add headings for purposes of grouping like sections together for ease of reference; and
- (h) Correct manifest clerical, grammatical or typographical errors.

Section 4. Severability. Each section of this ordinance, and any part thereof, is severable, and if any part of this ordinance is held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

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PASSED by the City Council this _____ day of _____, 2023.

ATTEST:

City Recorder

Approved by City Attorney: _____

Checked by: M. Niblock