

ORDINANCE NO. 023-03

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 13.01.010 (ADOPTION) AND 13.01.020 (UPDATED REFERENCES) OF THE LAUREL MUNICIPAL CODE RELATED TO THE ADOPTION OF THE INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE.

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to keep the Laurel Municipal Code current by modifying and updating Chapters, Sections, and Subsections to address situations and problems within the City and to remain in accordance with Montana law; and

WHEREAS, City Staff prepared, reviewed, and approved the following amendments to the existing LMC § 13.010.010 and 13.010.020, as noted herein, and hereby recommends the same to the City Council for their full approval.

13.01.010 Adoption.

The City of Laurel hereby adopts by reference per MCA 7-5-4202(1) and 7-33-4208 the International Fire Code, 2021~~12~~ edition as modified by the Administrative Rules of Montana (ARM) 23.12.601 (1) through (5), and 23.12.603, 23.12.605 as the Fire Code of the Ceity of Laurel. It regulates and governs the safeguarding of life and property from fire and explosion hazards arising from the storage, handling and use of hazardous substances, materials and devices, and from conditions hazardous to life and property in the occupancy of buildings and premises as herein provided; provides for the issuance of permits and collection of fees therefor; and each and all regulations, provisions, penalties, conditions, and terms of said Fire Code on file in the office of the Laurel City Clerk-Treasurer are hereby referred to, adopted, and made a part hereof, as if fully set out, with the additions, insertions, deletion and changes, if any, set by ordinance.

(Ord. No. 008-07, 7-15-08; Admin. Order AO-15-01 § 5, 2-24-2015; Ord. No. 021-01, 1-26-2021)

13.01.020 Updated Rferences.

The International Fire Code, 2021~~12~~ edition, as published by the International Code Council as referenced in section 13.01.010 of this Chapter, may be amended by Resolution or Aadministrative Oorder of the Mayor.

(Ord. No. 008-07, 7-15-08; Admin. Order AO-15-01, § 5, 2-24-2015; Ord. No. 021-01, 1-26-2021)

This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after final passage by the City Council and approved by the Mayor.

Introduced and passed on first reading at a regular meeting of the City Council on the 12th day of September 2023, upon Motion by Council Member Wilke.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Laurel City Council on second reading on the 26th day of September 2023, upon Motion by Council Member Wheeler.

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR on the 26th day of September 2023.

CITY OF LAUREL



Dave Waggoner, Mayor

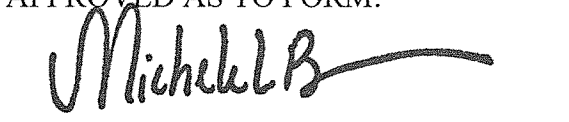
ATTEST:



Kelly Strecker, Clerk-Treasurer



APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Michele L. Braukmann, Civil City Attorney