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ORDINANCE

An Ordinance to create Section 16.020 of the Manitowoc Municipal Code adopting commercial building codes.

The Mayor and Common Council of the City of Manitowoc do ordain as follows:

Section 1. Section 16.020 is created to read as follows:

"16.020 Commercial Building Codes.

- (1) <u>Authority</u>. These regulations are adopted under the authority granted by Wis. Stat. § 101.12, as amended from time to time.
- (2) <u>Purpose</u>. The purpose of this ordinance is to promote the general health, safety and welfare by enforcing the adopted codes.
- (3) Adoption of Codes. The following Wisconsin Administrative Codes, their referenced codes and standards, and subsequent revisions are adopted for municipal enforcement by the building inspector:

SPS 360-366, Wisconsin Commercial Building Code

SPS 375-379, Buildings Constructed Prior to 1914 Code

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect the day after publication.

- (4) <u>Building Inspector</u>. <u>Building inspectors authorized by the City to enforce the adopted codes</u> <u>shall be commercially certified by the State of Wisconsin Division of Industry Services</u>.
- (5) <u>Building Permit Required.</u> No person shall build or cause to be built any new public building or alter a public building without first submitting plans and specifications to the building inspector and obtaining a building permit for such building.
- (6) <u>Building Permit Fee</u>. Building permit fees shall be determined by resolution, except for commercial plan review fees, which are set forth by the State Department of Safety and Professional Services in Table 302.31-2 as amended from time to time.
- (7) <u>Penalties</u>. Enforcement of this section shall be by means of withholding of building permits, imposition of forfeitures and injunctive action. Forfeitures shall be not less than \$25.00 nor more than \$1,000 for each day of noncompliance."