

ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 7 (“BUILDINGS”), ARTICLE 3 (“ELECTRIC CODE”) OF THE OAK PARK VILLAGE CODE TO ADOPT THE 2020 NATIONAL ELECTRIC CODE

WHEREAS, the Village of Oak Park (“Village”) is a home rule unit of government as provided by the provisions of Article VII, Section 6 of the Illinois Constitution of 1970; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the authority granted by Section 11-30-1 *et seq.* of the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/11-30-1 *et seq.*, and pursuant to its home rule powers, the Village has determined to adopt *2020 National Electric Code* as set forth in this Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Municipal Adoption of Codes and Records Act, 50 ILCS 220/0.01 *et seq.* (hereinafter referred to as the “Act”), the Village is authorized to adopt by reference any code, as that term is defined in the Act; and

WHEREAS, the *2020 National Electric Code* (hereinafter referred to as the “NEC”) is a code as defined in the Act and the *Code* has been available for viewing as required by the Act and pursuant to Section 1-2-3.1 of the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/1-2-3.1.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Oak Park, Cook County, Illinois, in the exercise of their home rule powers, as follows:

Section 1. Recitals Incorporated. The above recitals are incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth.

Section 2. Village Code Amended. Chapter 7 (“Buildings”), Article 3 (“Electric Code”), Section 7-3-1 (“Adoption”) of the Oak Park Village Code is amended by deleting the overstricken language and adding the underlined language as follows:

7-3-1: ADOPTION:

A. The ~~2017~~ 2020 National Electric Code (“NEC”), as published by the National Fire Protection Association, is hereby adopted by the Village by reference and is made a part hereof as if fully set forth in this section with the additions, insertions, deletions and changes set forth in section 7-3-2 of this article. To the extent that the provisions of the NEC are inconsistent with any codes previously adopted by the Village by reference, the provisions of the NEC shall govern unless specifically set forth in this code. In the event of a conflict between any provisions of the NEC and any provision of the Oak Park Village Code, the provisions of the Oak Park Village Code shall govern.

B. There shall be three (3) copies of the NEC kept on file for public inspection in the office of the ~~Village Clerk~~ Chief Building Official.

Section 3. Identification of Ordinance with the Illinois Capital Development Board.

This Ordinance shall be identified on the Internet by the Illinois Capital Development Board or any successor agency of the State of Illinois pursuant to Section 1-2-3.1 of the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/1-2-3.1.

Section 4. Severability and Repeal of Inconsistent Ordinances.

If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, the invalidity thereof shall not affect any of the other provisions of this Ordinance. All ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 5. Effective Date.

This ordinance shall be accepted at the time of adoption and will be in full force and effect after its passage, approval and publication January 1, 2024.

ADOPTED this 20th day of June, 2023, pursuant to a roll call vote as follows:

Voting	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
President Scaman				
Trustee Buchanan				
Trustee Enyia				
Trustee Parakkat				
Trustee Robinson				
Trustee Straw				
Trustee Wesley				

APPROVED this 20th day of June, 2023.

Vicki Scaman, Village President

ATTEST

Christina M. Waters, Village Clerk

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Christina M. Waters, Village Clerk

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
) ss.
COUNTY OF COOK)

CERTIFICATE

I, Christina M. Waters, Village Clerk of the Village of Oak Park, County of Cook and State of Illinois, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Ordinance Number 23-49, "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 7 ("BUILDINGS"), ARTICLE 3 ("ELECTRIC CODE") OF THE OAK PARK VILLAGE CODE TO ADOPT THE 2020 NATIONAL ELECTRIC CODE," which was adopted by the corporate authorities of the Village of Oak Park and will become in effect thirty days after its approval.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of the Village of Oak Park, Illinois aforesaid, at the said Village, in the County of Cook and State of Illinois, on _____, 2023.

Christina M. Waters, Village Clerk

(SEAL)