City of Oberlin, Ohio

ORDINANCE No. 12-52 AC CMS

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 1501.05 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF OBERLIN, OHIO, IN ORDER TO ESTABLISH CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR FIRE SAFETY INSPECTORS WITHIN THE CITY OF OBERLIN AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Oberlin, County of Lorain, State of Ohio, five-sevenths (5/7ths) of all members elected thereto concurring:

SECTION 1. That Sections 1501.05 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Oberlin, Ohio, are hereby amended to read as set forth in **Attachment A**. hereto, in order to reflect certification requirements for Fire Safety Inspectors in conformance with the provisions of Ohio R.C. 4765.55.

SECTION 2. It is hereby found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning or relating to the adoption of this ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 3. That this ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the citizens of the City of Oberlin, Ohio, or to provide for the usual daily operation of a municipal department, to wit:

"to amend the current requirements for Fire Safety Inspectors to ensure the fire safety of Oberlin residents",

and shall take effect immediately upon passage.

PASSED:

1st Reading – June 18, 2012 (S, E)

2nd Reading -

3rd Reading -

ATTEST:

BELINDA B. ANDERSON, CMC

CLERK OF COUNCIL

POSTED: 6/19/2012

RONNIE J. RIMBERT

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

EFFECTIVE DATE: 6/18/2012

ATTACHMENT A

1501.05 ESTABLISHMENT OF BUREAU OF FIRE PREVENTION

- (a) The Bureau of Fire Prevention in the Oberlin Fire Department is hereby established, and shall be operated under the supervision of the Fire Chief.
- (b) No person shall serve as Municipal Fire Safety Inspector unless he/she has received a certificate issued by the Ohio Department of Public Safety under former Sections 3303.07 or Section 4765.55 of the Revised Code, evidencing satisfactory completion of a Certified Fire Safety Inspector training program.
- (c) The Fire Chief may appoint members of the Fire Department as Fire Safety Inspectors to assist in the enforcement of the Fire Prevention Code and, under the direction of the Fire Chief, issue citations.