

ORDINANCE NO. 298-91

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 5, FIRE PROTECTION, OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF WILLOW PARK, TEXAS, RELATING TO THE ADOPTION OF UNIFORM FIRE CODE; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING A PENALTY, AND; PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILLOW PARK, TEXAS:

I.

Chapter 5, Fire Protection, of the Code of Ordinances, City of Willow Park, Texas, is hereby amended by amending Section 1 to read as follows:

SECTION 1: ADOPTION OF UNIFORM FIRE CODE

There is hereby adopted by the City of Willow Park, Texas, for the purpose of prescribing regulations governing conditions hazardous to life and property from fire and explosion, that certain Code and Standards known as the Uniform Fire Code, as published by the Western Fire Chiefs Association and the International Conference of Building Officials, and the hold thereof save and except such portions as may be herein deleted, modified or amended by Ordinance and incorporated into this Chapter of the City of Willow Park Code of Ordinances. The applicable Fire Code shall be the most current edition approved by the respective above mentioned organizations. At least one (1) copy of said Uniform Fire Code shall be kept on file in the office of the City Secretary and the same is adopted and incorporated as fully as if set out at length herein, and from the date on which the Chapter shall take effect, the provision thereof shall be controlling within the limits of the City of Willow Park, Texas.

II.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed.

III.

Should any section, clause or provision of this Ordinance be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of this Ordinance as a whole or any part thereof, other than the part so declared to be invalid.

IV.

Wherever in this Ordinance an act is prohibited or made or declared to be unlawful or an offense or a misdemeanor, or wherever the doing of an act is required or the failure to do an act is declared to be unlawful, the violation of any such provision of this Ordinance shall the be punished of this Ordinance shall be punished as provided in Chapter 1, Section 1F of the Code of the City of Willow Park, Texas, for each offense or for each day such offense shall continue if it is one classified as a continuing offense. No penalties shall be greater or less than the penalty provided for the same or similar offense under the laws of the State of Texas.

V.

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and publication as required by law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this the 16 day of July, 1991.

APPROVED:

Sharon Riley Suarez
SHARON SUAREZ, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kathy Mitchell
City Secretary

APPROVED

Walter W. Leonard
WALTER W. LEONARD, City Attorney