

**TOWNSHIP OF SHELBY
COUNTY OF OCEANA, STATE OF MICHIGAN**

ORDINANCE NO. _____

ADOPTED: _____, 2022

EFFECTIVE: _____, 2022

SHELBY TOWNSHIP FIRE CODE ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE TO ADOPT THE 2021 EDITION OF THE INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE REGULATING AND GOVERNING 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 OR PROPERTY IN THE OCCUPANCY OF BUILDINGS AND PREMISES IN SHELBY TOWNSHIP; AND TO PROVIDE FOR ENFORCEMENT AND PENALTIES; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT AND FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

THE TOWNSHIP OF SHELBY, OCEANA COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ORDAINS:

Section 1. Title. This ordinance shall be known and may be cited as the “Shelby Township Fire Code Ordinance.”

Section 2. Adoption of Fire Code. That a certain document, a copy of which is on file at the office of the Clerk of the Township, being marked and designated as the International Fire Code, 2021 Edition, including Appendix Chapters A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, and N as published by the International Code Council, be and is hereby adopted and incorporated as the Fire Code for Shelby Township, Oceana County, Michigan, for regulating and governing 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 in Shelby Township and providing for the issuance of permits for hazardous uses or operations; and each and all of the regulations, provisions, and conditions and terms of such International Fire Code, 2021 Edition, published by the International Code Council, on file in the offices of Shelby Township are hereby referred to, adopted and made a part hereof as if fully set out in this Ordinance.

Section 3. Enforcement and Penalties. The duly appointed Fire Chief (or his or her designee) of the Shelby-Benona Fire Department shall have the authority to enforce this Ordinance and shall be responsible for fire prevention, inspection activities, and code enforcement of buildings and occupancies as related to the risk of fire or explosion within Shelby Township. A violation of this Ordinance is a municipal civil infraction. Each day that a violation of this Ordinance exists shall constitute a separate offense. Penalties and enforcement for a violation of this Ordinance shall be

as provided in the Shelby Township Municipal Civil Infraction Ordinance.

Section 4. Repeal. All prior ordinances, or parts thereof, in conflict with the terms of this ordinance are deemed rescinded.

Section 5. Severability. This ordinance and the various parts, sections, sub-sections, phrases, sentences, paragraph, and clauses thereof are hereby declared to be severable. If any part, sentence, paragraph, section, sub-section, phrase, or clause is adjudged unconstitutional or invalid, it shall not affect the remainder of the ordinance.

Section 6. Effective Date. This ordinance shall be effective 30 days after the date of publication pursuant to MCL 41.184.

AYES: Members: _____.

NAYS: Members: _____.

ABSENT: Members: _____.

ORDINANCE DECLARED ADOPTED.

We, Marilyn Glover, Township of Shelby Clerk, and Richard Raffaelli, Township of Shelby Supervisor, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing Ordinance, known as Ordinance No. _____ of the Township of Shelby, Michigan, was introduced and passed at a regular meeting of the Township Board, held on _____, 2022, by an affirmative vote of the majority of the Township Board members.

Date: _____, 2022

Richard Raffaelli, Supervisor

Date: _____, 2022

Marilyn Glover, Clerk