

CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF WEST MAYFIELD

PART SIXTEEN - FIRE PREVENTION CODE

Chap. 1604. American Insurance Association Fire Prevention Code.

FOR THE DIRECTOR OF THE BUREAU OF REVENUE
PART 101-10.1-1.1 PREVIOUS EDITION

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CROSS REFERENCES

- Adoption of fire prevention codes by reference - see
Borough Code §1202(21) (53 P.S. §46202(21))
- Fire zones or limits - see Borough Code §1202(24)
(53 P.S. §46202(24))
- Water supply for fire protection - see Borough Code
§2406 (53 P.S. §47406)
- Volunteer Fire Department - see ADM. Ch. 248

1604.01 1970 ABBREVIATED EDITION ADOPTED; FILE COPIES.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 1202(21) of the Borough Code, there is hereby adopted by reference the Fire Prevention Code, recommended by the American Insurance Association, being particularly the 1970 Abbreviated Edition, save and except such portions as are hereinafter deleted, modified or amended. Not less than three copies of such Code are on file in the office of the Borough Secretary-Treasurer for the information and use of the public, which copies shall be marked "West Mayfield Borough Official Copy." In addition, the Borough Secretary-Treasurer shall have copies available for distribution to the public, at cost.

1604.02 ENFORCEMENT; ANNUAL REPORT; AMENDMENTS.

This chapter and the Code hereby adopted shall be enforced by the Volunteer Fire Department of the Borough. A report of the Volunteer Fire Department shall be made annually by the Chief and transmitted to Council. It shall contain all proceedings under this chapter and the Code hereby adopted, with such statistics as the Chief may wish to include therein. The Chief shall also recommend any amendments to this chapter which, in his judgment, are desirable.

1604.03 DEFINITION.

Wherever the word "Municipality" is used in the Code hereby adopted, it shall mean the Borough of West Mayfield.

1604.04 STORAGE LIMITS.

The limits referred to in Section 53b of the Code hereby adopted, in which storage of explosives and blasting agents is prohibited, the limits referred to in Section 74a of the Code hereby adopted, in which storage of Class I liquids in outside aboveground tanks is prohibited, and the limits referred to in Section 114 of the Code hereby adopted, in which bulk storage of liquefied petroleum gas is restricted, are hereby established as follows: The entire Borough.

1604.05 MOTOR VEHICLE ROUTES FOR VEHICLES TRANSPORTING EXPLOSIVES, DANGEROUS ARTICLES, ETC.

The routes referred to in Section 55i of the Code hereby adopted for vehicles transporting explosives and blasting agents, and the routes referred to in Section 109.1b of the Code hereby adopted for vehicles transporting hazardous chemicals and other dangerous articles, are hereby established as follows: All State routes in the Borough.

1604.06 MODIFICATIONS.

The Chief of the Volunteer Fire Department shall have the power to modify any of the provisions of the Code hereby adopted upon application in writing by the owner or lessee, or his duly authorized agent, when there are practical difficulties in the way of carrying out the strict letter of the Code, provided that the spirit of the Code shall be observed, public safety secured and substantial justice done. The particulars of such modification, when granted or allowed, and the decision of the Chief thereon, shall be entered upon the records of the Department and a signed copy shall be furnished the applicant.

1604.07 APPEALS.

Whenever the Chief of the Volunteer Fire Department disapproves an application or refuses to grant a permit applied for, or when it is claimed that the provisions of the Code do not apply or that the true intent and meaning of the Code have been misconstrued or wrongly interpreted, the applicant may appeal from the decision of the Chief to Council within thirty days from the date of the decision appealed.

1604.08 SEPARABILITY.

Should any of the provisions of this chapter or the Code hereby adopted, that is to say, any section, paragraph, sentence or word, be declared invalid, illegal or unconstitutional, it is the intent of Council that this chapter and the Code hereby adopted would have been enacted, except for the elimination of the section, paragraph, sentence or word which has been declared invalid, illegal or unconstitutional.

1604.99 PENALTY.

Whoever violates or fails to comply with any of the provisions of this chapter or the Code hereby adopted shall be fined not more than three hundred dollars (\$300.00) or imprisoned not more than thirty days for each offense. A separate offense shall be deemed committed each day during or on which a violation or noncompliance occurs or continues.

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