

ORDINANCE NO. 2018-04

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF TARPON SPRINGS, FLORIDA, AMENDING SECTION 7-12 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO PROVIDE FOR ADOPTION OF THE FLORIDA FIRE PREVENTION CODE; PROVIDING FOR MODIFICATIONS THAT MAY ARISE AT PUBLIC HEARING; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF TARPON SPRINGS, FLORIDA; AND PROVIDING FOR THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ORDINANCE.

WHEREAS, the Florida Fire Prevention Code is adopted by the State Fire Marshal at three year intervals as required by Chapter 63.202, Florida Statutes; and;

WHEREAS, the State Fire Marshal has adopted the Florida Fire Prevention Code Sixth Edition; and,

WHEREAS, the provision of the Florida Fire Prevention Code are enforced by the local fire official within each county, municipality and special fire district in the state.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF TARPON SPRINGS, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Section 7-12 of the Code of Ordinances is amended as follows:

§ 7-12. Florida Fire Prevention Code Adopted;

The Florida Fire Prevention Code Sixth Edition, as adopted under Section 633.202, F.F. is adopted by reference as if set out at length in its entirety in this Section.

1. NFPA 1, Fire Code, 2015
2. NFPA 101, Life Safety Code, 2015 Edition

SECTION 2. All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 3. In the event a court of competent jurisdiction finds any part or provision of this Ordinance unconstitutional or unenforceable as a matter of law, the

same shall be stricken and the remainder of the Ordinance shall continue in full force and effect.

SECTION 4. The keeper of Code of Ordinances for the City of Tarpon Springs is directed to include this Ordinance in the Code of Ordinances and may renumber and reclassify the same as may be required for inclusion in the Code of Ordinances of the City of Tarpon Spring.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption in the manner provided by law.