

ORDINANCE NO. 14, 1962

An Ordinance establishing a Fire Safety Commission and designating the districts, and providing for the organization thereof.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, INDIANA:

SECTION 1. The Commission shall consist of the following ex-officio members: The Fire Chief, The Chief of the Fire Prevention Bureau, the Captain of the Fire Prevention Bureau, the Chairman of the Public Safety Committee of the Common Council; and the following appointed by the Mayor: A member from each of the seven districts described below, a chairman from the City at large, two high school students one each from Bloomington High School and University High School; and a student from the ninth grade of each junior high school within the city.

The seven districts shall be made up of the following areas of the City of Bloomington:

District #1 - 3rd Street North to 17th
Walnut Street west to City limits

District #2 - Walnut Street east to Fee Lane
10th Street north to 17th Street

District #3 - Walnut Street east to Woodlawn
3rd Street north to 10th

District #4 - Indiana Ave. east to State Highway 46 by-pass
3rd Street north to 17th

District #5 - 3rd Street south to City limits
Walnut Street west to Walker Street

District #6 - Miller Drive north to 3rd Street
Walnut Street east to Woodlawn

District #7 - 3rd Street south to Hillside
Woodlawn Avenue east to City limits

Each district representative shall be a resident of the district from which he is appointed.

Each district representative shall appoint a committee consisting of not less than five nor more than fifteen persons who are residents of his district.

The district representative will hold district meetings and shall be the chairman thereof.

The district representative will represent his district at all Fire Safety Commission meetings.

Fire Safety Commission meetings will be held on the third Thursday of each month at 7:30 P.M. All meetings will be held in the Fire Department at City Hall unless otherwise designated.

The Fire Safety Commission shall establish its own rules of procedure which may be amended from time to time by a majority of the membership.

Special meetings of the Fire Safety Commission may be called by the chairman upon giving three days notice thereof.

The Chairman shall establish districts outside the city limits and within the fire protective area of the City of Bloomington as he may deem expedient and designate the areas for each of such districts so established.

It shall be the duty of the Bloomington Fire Safety Commission to coordinate and assist in promoting all phases of fire safety and fire prevention activities within the areas so designated in this ordinance and to recommend to the Fire Department, the Common Council and other city officials ways and means of improving fire hazardous conditions, to receive complaints having to do with fire hazardous conditions, to carry on educational activities in Fire Prevention and to recommend to proper officials ways and means for the administration and enforcement of the Fire Prevention Code and similar fire safety regulations.

SECTION 2. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, promulgation and publication in accordance with the law.

Passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington, Indiana, on the 3rd day of July, 1962.

s/ Mary Alice Dunlap

Mary Alice Dunlap, Presiding Officer

ATTEST:

s/ Timothy Ellis

Timothy Ellis, Clerk-Treasurer

Presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Bloomington, on the 17th day of July, 1962, at the hour of 4:00 o'clock P.M.

s/ Timothy Ellis

Timothy Ellis, Clerk-Treasurer

This Ordinance approved and signed by me on the 17th day of July, 1962, at the hour of 4:00 o'clock P.M.

s/ Mary Alice Dunlap

Mary Alice Dunlap, Mayor