

ORDINANCE NO. 77-99

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 17.12 OF THE
BLOOMINGTON MUNICIPAL CODE, THAT CHAPTER
BEING THE ELECTRICAL CODE

WHEREAS, the present Section 17.12.050 of the Electrical Code causes undue hardship to people who are capable of installing residential wiring; and

WHEREAS, there are many electricians who are interested only in installing residential wiring, as opposed to heavier construction techniques; and

WHEREAS the present Code provisions would permit violations and misuse of the licensing ordinance by out-of-town contractors; and

WHEREAS, the present fee schedule is insufficient to meet the numerous expenses of the Electrical Board for Examination and Registration of Electrical Contractors;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, THAT:

SECTION 1. Chapter 17.12 of the Electrical Code, §17.12.050 is hereby repealed and re-enacted as follows:

17.12.050 Classification of Licenses. There shall be two types of electrical contracting licenses as follows:

- a. Residential Electrical Contractor, for the construction of a single, duplex and two story or less multi-family dwelling with single phase service.
- b. Commercial, Industrial Electrical Contractor, for the construction of multi-family dwellings over two stories, commercial and industrial construction, and structures covered in part A.

Any person desiring to qualify and obtain a license to engage in the business as an electrical contractor shall pay to the controller of the city the following sums as registration fees:

- a. Residential: A registration fee of \$35.00 be assessed for registration and examination with an additional fee of \$50.00 for license issue. Annual renewal fees will be payable January 1 and non-renewable after January 31.
- b. Commercial, Industrial: A registration fee of \$50.00 be assessed for registration and examination with an additional fee of \$100.00 for license issue. Annual renewal fees will be \$100.00 payable January 1 and non-renewable after January 31.

SECTION 2. Chapter 17.12 of the Electrical Code is hereby amended so as to include §17.12.060 as follows:

17.12.060 Reciprocity of Licenses. The Electrical Board may establish a reciprocity agreement with any other municipality or other governmental body. License applications on this basis shall be accompanied by the appropriate registration fee and upon board approval of such registration the applicable license fee shall also be paid prior to issuing the license.

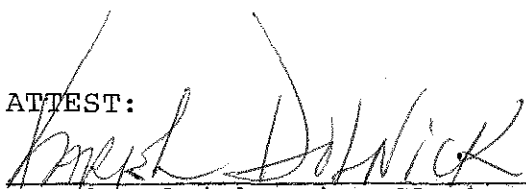
SECTION 3. Severability. If any part of this ordinance shall be held void such part shall be deemed severable, and the invalidity thereof shall not affect the remaining parts of this ordinance.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Common Council and approval by the Mayor.

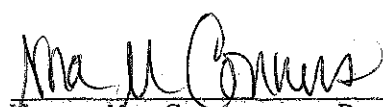
Passed and adopted by the Common Council upon the 1 day of December, 1977.


Thomas O Middleton, President

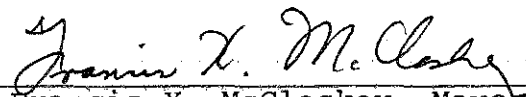
ATTEST:


Karel Dolnick, City Clerk

Presented by me to the Mayor of the City of Bloomington, Indiana, this 2 day of December, 1977, at the hour of 9:00 a.m.


Nora M. Connors, Deputy City Clerk

SIGNED AND APPROVED by me upon the 2 day of December, 1977, at the hour of 2:00 p.m.


Francis X. McCloskey, Mayor
City of Bloomington

SYNOPSIS
ORDINANCE 77-99

To Amend the Electric Code

The Bloomington Municipal Code requires the City Engineer and Electrical Board to annually present recommendations for changes in the Electrical Code or ordinances of the City. The present ordinance provides for two classifications of electrical contractor registration (presently there is one); provides for an increase in fees to cover actual costs of administration, and, sets conditions for extension of reciprocity to electrical contractors from other jurisdictions.

I HEREBY MOVE THAT ORDINANCE # 77-99

BE INTRODUCED AND READ FOR FIRST READING BY TITLE

ONLY AT THE COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON Nov. 17, 77

Royal W. Orcutt
(Signature)