

## CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON

ORDINANCE NO. 536

AN ORDINANCE, relating to plumbing and plumbing systems; adopting a Plumbing Code for the City of Redmond; requiring licenses and permits; prescribing fees; providing penalties for violations; and repealing Ordinances 443, 460 and 524.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDMOND DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Short Title. This ordinance and amendments hereto shall constitute the "Plumbing Code" of the City of Redmond and may be cited as such.

Section 2. Adoption of Plumbing Code. There is hereby adopted by the City of Redmond, for the purpose of establishing rules and regulations for the construction, alteration, repair, maintenance and operation of plumbing and plumbing systems including lawn sprinkler systems, and their incidents, that certain document and code known as the Uniform Plumbing Code, 1970 Edition, published by the International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials, of 5032 Alhambra Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90032, three (3) copies of which have been filed and shall be kept on file with the City Clerk, and the same is hereby adopted by this reference thereto and incorporated herein, except such portions as may be deleted, modified or amended by this ordinance; and from the effective date of this ordinance, the provisions thereof shall be controlling within the limits of the City of Redmond.

Section 3. Deletions. The following sections of the Plumbing Code are hereby deleted:

- Section 2.3 (Application for Certificate of Qualification or Registration)
- Section 2.4 (Board of Plumber Examiners)
- Section 2.5 (Duties of the Board of Examiners)
- Section 2.6 (Application Fee)
- Section 2.7 (Issuance of Certificate of Qualification or Registration)
- Section 2.8 (Re-Examinations)
- Section 2.9 (Expiration of Certificates of Qualification or Registration)
- Section 2.10 (Fees for Renewal of Certificates of Qualification)
- Section 2.11 (Revocation of Certificates of Qualification or Registration)

Section 4. Amendments. The following sections of the Plumbing Code are hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1.1 Administrative Authority and Assistants. Whenever the term "administrative authority" is used in this code it shall be construed to mean the Building Official appointed to administer the Building Code or his authorized representative.

Section 1.2 Assistants. Whenever the term "assistants" is used in this code it shall be construed to mean the building inspector or his authorized representative.

Section 1.3 Department Having Jurisdiction. Unless otherwise provided for by law, the office of the Administrative Authority shall be a part of the public works department of the City.

Section 2.2 Plumbing Contractor License - Journeyman Plumber. It is unlawful to act as a plumbing contractor without a plumbing contractor's license or certificate of qualification or registration as a plumbing contractor, or as a lawn sprinkler contractor without a lawn sprinkler contractor's license, or as a journeyman plumber without a valid certificate of qualification as a journeyman plumber. Applications for such licenses or certificates shall be made to the Public Works Director, who may inquire into and examine the applicant's qualifications and may require that the applicant apply for and obtain a license or certificate by the City of Seattle or King County as the necessary qualification to act or to obtain a license or certificate in the City of Redmond. Provided, That a plumbing contractor, lawn sprinkler contractor or journeyman plumber who is licensed or certified by the City of Seattle or King County and holds a valid license or certificate therefor, may act within the City of Redmond without any further license required; and the Public Works Director may accept such licenses or certificates issued by other municipalities or appropriate governmental authority without further requirement in his discretion and judgment.

Section 5. Penalties for Violations. Anyone violating or failing to comply with any of the provisions of the Plumbing Code as hereby adopted shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine not exceeding \$500.00, or by imprisonment in jail for a term not exceeding six (6) months, or by both such fine and imprisonment, and each day that anyone shall continue to so violate or fail to comply shall be considered a separate offense.

Section 6. Repeal. Ordinance No. 443, adopted June 13, 1967, Ordinance No. 460, adopted February 20, 1968, and Ordinance No. 524, adopted April 7, 1970, are hereby repealed.

Section 7. Effective Date. This ordinance and the code hereby adopted shall take effect and be in force five (5) days after the date of the publication of this ordinance in the manner provided by law.

PASSED by the Council of the City of Redmond, Washington, at a regular meeting thereof and APPROVED by the Mayor this 15 day of September, 1970.

CITY OF REDMOND

  
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