

ORDINANCE NO. 863 (17)

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING PART 5, CHAPTER 3, ARTICLE B, SECTIONS 5-312, 5-315, 5-317, 5-319, 5-320, 5-324, 5-329, AND DELETING SECTIONS 5-326 THROUGH 5-328 AND SECTION 5-330 REMOVING CITY REGISTRATION OF PLUMBING APPRENTICE AND JOURNEYMEN; REMOVING BONDING REQUIREMENT FOR PLUMBING CONTRACTORS; AND REPEALING ANY INCONSISTENT ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF MOORE, STATE OF OKLAHOMA.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOORE, OKLAHOMA THAT PART 5, CHAPTER 3, ARTICLE B, SECTIONS 5-312, 5-315, 5-317, 5-319, 5-320, 5-324, 5-329, AND 5-326 THROUGH 5-330 ARE HEREBY AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 5-312 - CONTRACTORS TO BE REGISTERED, ~~BONDED~~.

No person shall operate a place of business or engage in the business of contracting to do plumbing or the installation of plumbing fixtures or any sanitary equipment or installation of lawn sprinklers or making connections with a water sewer main until he has complied with the requirements of this article and has been registered ~~and bonded~~ as a plumbing contractor. The certificate of registration shall be issued only to individuals who have furnished satisfactory evidence of compliance with the laws of the state, and satisfactory evidence of responsibility and skill as provided by this article. The registration shall show thereon the individual's business address and his business connections.

SECTION 5-315 - EMPLOYMENT OF CONTRACTOR.

No person other than a plumbing contractor shall hire, engage, or employ any person to do any plumbing within the city, or work that connects with a city water or sewer main outside the city, who is not a licensed and registered ~~and bonded~~ plumbing contractor under the terms of this article.

SECTION 5-317 - DISPLAY OF CONTRACTOR'S SIGN AND ~~REGISTRATION~~ STATE LICENSE NUMBER.

It shall be the duty of every plumbing contractor to display his sign and ~~registration~~ State License number on all cars and trucks used in the operation of his business. The signs and ~~registration~~ State License numbers on all cars and trucks used in the operation of his business shall be printed on both sides of the vehicles with letters and figures of not less than two (2) inch lettering and numbers.

SECTION 5-319 - PARTNERSHIPS, FIRMS AND CORPORATIONS IN PLUMBING BUSINESS.

A partnership, firm, corporation or business trust may only engage in the plumbing business within the city through one bona fide member of the partnership, firm or business trust, or one officer of the corporation, who carries and holds a license and certificate of registration as a plumbing contractor ~~and~~

~~who is bonded~~ as such. In the event the person or member holding the license or certificate of registration should leave the employment of, or be discharged by, or sever his connections with, or lose his status as a member or officer of the partnership, firm, corporation or business trust which is operating under his license and certificate of registration and through him, the authority of the firm, corporation or business trust to do business shall immediately cease and they or it must qualify under and comply with the terms of this article before any further business is conducted, except that the partnership, firm, corporation, or business trust may continue to engage in the plumbing business within the city for a period of sixty (60) days from the time the license-carrying and registered member thereof is called for and is actually engaged in military service or training for any branch of the armed services of the United States of America, provided the fees and bonds required by this article are kept in full force and effect.

SECTION 5-320 - ISSUANCE OF CONTRACTOR'S REGISTRATION; EXPIRATION, RENEWAL, FEES.

An applicant for a plumbing contractor's certificate of registration, after complying with the laws of the state and with this article, and after payment of the fee hereinafter specified, shall be registered by the city clerk. The initial registration fee shall be One Hundred Thirty-five Dollars (\$135.00) and each annual renewal fee shall be Fifty Dollars (\$50.00). Plumbing contractors desiring to renew their registration shall furnish the same evidence of compliance with state licensing laws ~~and the same bond~~ as furnished and required upon initial registration.

SECTION 5-324 - JOURNEYMEN TO BE LICENSED, ~~REGISTERED~~; FEE.

No person shall engage in or work at the trade of journeyman plumber in the city without having first been licensed as provided by state law, ~~and obtaining a certificate of registration from the city. Journeyman plumbers shall be registered with the plumbing inspector and the charge for such registration (or license) shall be Ten Dollars (\$10.00) for the first year and Ten Dollars (\$10.00) for each renewal thereof.~~

SECTION 5-325 - SUPERVISION OF JOURNEYMEN.

A journeyman plumber shall at all times while working at his trade be in the employment of a plumbing contractor who is ~~bonded~~, licensed and registered under the terms of this article as a plumbing contractor.

SECTION 5-326 - ~~TIME FOR JOURNEYMAN REGISTRATION; PARTIAL YEAR REGISTRATION; EXPIRATION.~~

~~A journeyman plumber's registration or license with the city may be applied for and secured at any time during the year, however, the license fee will be that for the full year. All licenses shall expire on the last day of August.~~

SECTION 5-327 - ~~FAILURE TO RENEW JOURNEYMAN'S REGISTRATION.~~

~~All journeyman plumber's registration not renewed within thirty (30) days after the date of the expiration thereof shall be canceled and a new application must be made and the fee for a new registration paid; provided that if upon application for reinstatement the applicant desires to pay the registration fee from the date of cancellation to the date of application for reinstatement, a renewal registration may be issued.~~

~~SECTION 5-328—COUNTERSIGNING OF CERTIFICATES.~~

~~All certificates of registration or licensing granted under the provisions of this article must be countersigned by the plumbing inspector.~~

~~SECTION 5-3296- REGISTRATION OF APPRENTICES REQUIRED; SUPERVISION.~~

~~Any person desiring to serve as an apprentice at the trade of plumbing in the city must first be licensed as provided by state law, and registered with the plumbing inspector. An apprentice plumber must at all times be under the direct supervision of a licensed journeyman plumber. His registration with the plumbing inspector and the date thereof shall constitute proof of his service as an apprentice.~~

~~SECTION 5-330—EMPLOYING UNREGISTERED APPRENTICE.~~

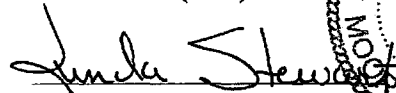
~~It is hereby declared unlawful and an offense for any plumbing contractor who employs an apprentice to fail to have him register within thirty (30) days after the date of his employment.~~

Severability: If any of the provisions of this ordinance are determined to be unconstitutional or unlawful by any court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder shall be several and unaffected.

Repealer: Any ordinance or parts thereof in conflict with this section are hereby repealed.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 7 day of August, 2017.


ATTEST: (Seal)


LINDA STEWART, City Clerk




GLENN LEWIS, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM & LEGALITY:


RANDY BRINK, City Attorney