

Ordinance No. O-2223-24

AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AMENDING ARTICLE I OF CHAPTER 16 (PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS) OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF NORMAN BY ADOPTING AND INCORPORATING BY REFERENCE THEREIN THE CITY OF NORMAN STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS AND CONSTRUCTION DRAWINGS AND THE ENGINEERING DESIGN CRITERIA FOR STREETS, STORMWATER, WATER LINES, AND SANITARY SEWERS DATED FEBRUARY 28, 2023; PROVIDING ENFORCEMENT REMEDIES INCLUDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY THEREOF.

§ 1. WHEREAS the City of Norman is in the process of Municipal Code recodification, which recodification, if approved, would provide for the repeal of certain provisions and for the manner of amendment to the remaining code provisions.

§ 2. WHEREAS the portions of the Norman Municipal Code addressed in this Ordinance would be, upon such recodification, renumbered and modified as set forth in therein.

§ 3. WHEREAS, amendments to the current code which predate the effective date of said recodification shall, upon approval, be fully implemented therein.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA:

§ 4. That Article I (Public Improvements In General) of Chapter 16 (Public Improvements), which will ultimately be recodified as Article 26-I of Chapter 26, of the Code of the City of Norman shall be amended to read as follows:

26-101 Engineering Design Criteria And Standard Specifications And Construction Drawings For Streets, Stormwater, Water Lines, And Sanitary Sewers; Adoption and Amendment.

(a) The City of Norman Engineering Design Criteria and Standard Specifications and Construction Drawings for Streets, Storm Drainage, Water Lines, and Sanitary Sewers as adopted by City Council in Ordinance No. O-9697-13, and as was amended from time to time thereafter, shall be fully replaced with the City Engineering Design Criteria and Standard Specifications and Construction Drawings for Streets, Stormwater, Water Lines, and Sanitary Sewers dated February 28, 2023, and shall hereafter read as attached to Ordinance No. O-2223-24, as may thereafter be amended, and which is incorporated herein by reference.

(b) The City of Norman Engineering Design Criteria and Standard Specifications and Construction Drawings for Streets, Stormwater, Water Lines, and Sanitary Sewers as referred to above shall not become effective until at least three (3) copies of each have been filed in the Office of the City Clerk for examination by the public.

26-102 Standard Specifications And Construction Drawings And Engineering Design Criteria; Penalties For Violation.

(a) Any person convicted of violating the provisions of the City's Standard Specifications and Construction Drawings and/or Engineering Design Criteria or material referenced therein, or of failing to act or comply with the provisions thereof, shall be subject to the enforcement mechanisms as set forth more fully therein, and further shall be punished by a fine as provided in the City penalty and fine schedule for each violation or failure to comply

(b) Each day that a violation or failure to comply exists shall constitute a separate and distinct offense, and any one or more of such offenses may be set out in any citation or complaint or information filed.

§ 5. Severability. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this ordinance is, for any reason, held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance, except that the effective date provision shall not be severable from the operative provisions of the ordinance.

ADOPTED this 28th day
of February, 2023.

NOT ADOPTED this _____ day
of _____, 2023.

[Signature]
(Mayor)

(Mayor)

ATTEST:
[Signature]
(City Clerk)

