
CHAPTER 98. GENERAL BUILDING REGULATIONS**8.15. Agency Designation to Assume the Michigan Building, Electrical, Mechanical and Plumbing Codes.**

Pursuant to the provision of the Michigan Building, Electrical, Mechanical and Plumbing Codes, in accordance with Section 8b(6) of the State Construction Act, Public Act 230 of 1972, as amended, the Building, Electrical, Mechanical and Plumbing Officials of the City of Frankenmuth are hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge responsibility of the City of Frankenmuth under Public Act 230 of 1972, as amended, State of Michigan. The City of Frankenmuth assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement of said Act throughout its corporate limits.

(Ordinance No. 1999-03, 04-06-1999; Ord. No. 2001-06, 06-05-2001)

8.16. Codes on File. Complete printed copies of the Michigan Building Code, Michigan Mechanical Code, Michigan Plumbing Code, and the Michigan Electrical Code, all assumed, shall be kept on file at the office of the City Clerk, where they shall be available for public use and inspection.

(Ordinance No. 1991-10, 08-06-1991; Ordinance No. 1999-03, 04-06-1999; Ord. No. 2001-06, 06-05-2001)

8.17. References in Code. References in these Codes to "State" shall mean the State of Michigan; references to "municipality" shall mean the City of Frankenmuth; references to the "municipal charter" shall mean the Charter of the City of Frankenmuth, and references to "local ordinances" shall mean the City Code.

(Ordinance No. 1991-10, 08-06-1991; Ordinance No. 1999-03, 04-06-1999)

8.18. Repeals. All ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

8.19 Violation; References in Code; Municipal Civil Infractions. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Uniform Codes adopted by the City, references in the Uniform Codes to "fines," "penalties," or "sanctions" shall mean "municipal civil infraction fines or sanctions." Further, any provision of a Uniform Codes providing that a violation of the code is a "misdemeanor" or "criminal" act subject to a maximum criminal penalty or imprisonment, or both penalty and imprisonment, is hereby amended to provide that a violation is a municipal civil infraction subject to payment of a civil fine of not less than \$100.00 nor more than \$500.00, plus costs and other sanctions, for each violation. Repeat offenses under the Uniform Codes shall be subject to increased fines as provided by Section 1.12(3)(b) of this Code. The Building Inspector is hereby designated as the authorized City official to issue municipal civil infraction citations (directing alleged violators to appear in court) or municipal civil infraction violation notices (directing alleged violators to appear at the City of Frankenmuth Municipal Ordinance Violations Bureau) for violations of the Uniform Codes as provided by this Chapter of the Code.

(Ordinance No. 1991-10, 08-06-1991; Ordinance No. 1999-03, 04-06-1999; Ordinance No. 2001-06, 06-05-2001; Ordinance No. 2002-05, 08-07-2002)