SUMMARY - An ordinance to amend Title 25 by deleting Chapter 25.16 in its entirety; adopting a new Chapter 25.16 entitled the Mechanical Code of Clark County; adopting by reference the 2018 Uniform Mechanical Code and the Southern Nevada Amendments to the 2018 Mechanical Code; providing penalties for violations thereof; and other matters properly relating thereto.

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE 25 BY DELETING CHAPTER 25.16 IN ITS ENTIRETY; ADOPTING A NEW CHAPTER 25.16; ENTITLED THE MECHANICAL CODE OF CLARK COUNTY; ADOPTING BY REFERENCE THE 2018 UNIFORM MECHANICAL CODE AND THE SOUTHERN NEVADA AMENDMENTS TO THE 2018 MECHANICAL CODE; PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF; AND OTHER MATTERS PROPERLY RELATING THERETO.

THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF CLARK, STATE OF NEVADA, DOES HEREBY ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Title 25, Chapter 25.16, of the Clark County Code is deleted in its entirety.

SECTION 2. Title 25, Chapter 25.16 is adopted to read as follows:

25.16.010 Adoption.

(A) That certain document, three copies of which are on file in the office of the County Clerk of Clark County, being marked and designated as the “Uniform Mechanical Code 2018 Edition” (referenced herein as the UMC) published by the International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials (IAPMO), together with all tables of contents, definitions, articles, tables, indexes, examples and appendices, is hereby adopted and made a part of this chapter, the same as if it were fully set forth herein, except as amended by the Southern Nevada Amendments to the 2018 Mechanical Code and by this chapter.
That certain document, three copies of which are on file in the office of the County Clerk of Clark County, being marked and designated as the "Southern Nevada Amendments to the 2018 Mechanical Code Amendments," together with all tables of contents, definitions, articles, tables, indexes, examples and appendices, is hereby adopted and made a part of this chapter, the same as if it were fully set forth herein, except as amended by this chapter.

(B) Name. The UMC, as adopted and amended by the Southern Nevada Amendments to the 2018 Mechanical Code and by this chapter, is known as the Mechanical Code of Clark County. It is referenced herein as "this code".

(C) Conflict. In the event there is a conflict between this chapter and the UMC and/or the Southern Nevada Amendments to the 2018 Mechanical Code, or a substantive difference in the meanings of wording included in a topic or subject area common to all three documents, the wording of this chapter shall supersede the UMC and the Southern Nevada Amendments to the 2018 Mechanical Code Amendments and govern.

In the event there is a conflict between the Southern Nevada Amendments to the 2018 Code and the UMC, or a substantive difference in the meanings of wording included in a topic or subject area common to both documents, the wording of the Southern Nevada Amendments to the 2018 Mechanical Code Amendments shall supersede the UMC and govern.


The provisions of Chapter 22.02 known as the "Building Administrative Code of Clark County" shall serve as the governing rules and regulations for the administration, organization and enforcement of the Mechanical Code of Clark County.

25.16.030 Violation and Penalties.

It is unlawful for any person to erect, install, alter, repair, relocate, add to, replace, use, or maintain buildings or structures in this jurisdiction, or cause the same to be done, contrary to or in violation of any of the provisions of this code. Maintenance of any building or structure which was unlawful at the time it was installed and which would be unlawful under this code if installed after the effective date of this code constitutes a continuing violation of this code.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this code shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor. Each such person shall be deemed guilty of a separate offense for each and every day or portion thereof during which any violation of any of the provisions of this code is committed, continued, or
permitted. Upon conviction for any such violation such person shall be punishable by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars ($1,000) or by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than 6 months, or by both such fine and imprisonment. Whenever in this chapter any act is prohibited or is made or declared to be unlawful or an offense or a misdemeanor, the doing of any such required act constitutes a violation of this chapter. Any day of any violation of this ordinance constitutes a separate offense.

SECTION 3. If any section of this ordinance or portion thereof is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, the other sections of this ordinance shall remain valid.

SECTION 4. All ordinances, parts of ordinances, chapters, sections, subsections, clauses, phrases, or sentences contained in the Code of Clark County in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the date set forth below, after its passage and the publication thereof by title only, together with the names of the County Commissioners voting for or against its passage, in a newspaper published in and having a general circulation in Clark County, Nevada, at least once a week for a period of two (2) weeks.

PROPOSED on the 7th day of August, 2018

PROPOSED BY ________________ Steve Sisolak ________________

PASSED on the 21st day of August, 2018

AYES: ________________________ Susan Brager ________________

__________________________ Lawrence L. Brown III

__________________________ James B. Gibson

__________________________ Chris Giunchigliani
This ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after the 4th day of February, 2019.
Leslie McCormick, being 1st duly sworn, deposes and says: That she is the Legal Clerk for the Las Vegas Review-Journal and the Las Vegas Sun, daily newspapers regularly issued, published and circulated in the City of Las Vegas, County of Clark, State of Nevada, and that the advertisement, a true copy attached for, was continuously published in said Las Vegas Review-Journal and / or Las Vegas Sun in 2 edition(s) of said newspaper issued from 08/28/2018 to 09/04/2018, on the following days:

08/28/18
09/04/18

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 4th day of September, 2018

Notary

MARY A. LEE
Notary Public, State of Nevada
Appointment No. 09-8941-1
My Appt. Expires Dec 15, 2020