

BILL NO. 17-029

ORDINANCE NO. 4767

FIRST READING 11.21.2017

SECOND READING 12.5.2017

**AN ORDINANCE REGARDING CHAPTER 15 OF THE ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF HANNIBAL, AMENDING SECTION 15-49 (a) (9) AND SECTION 15-49 (b)(9)c. RELATING TO ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS WHO POSSESS STATE LICENSURE**

**WHEREAS**, the state of Missouri has revised the laws of the state of Missouri, and pursuant to the provisions of RSMo 324.925, any contractor holding a State Electrical Contractor's license is not required to also obtain a City License, and

**WHEREAS**, however, such law specifically allows municipalities to continue to require a license of any electrical contractor who does not hold such a State License, and

**WHEREAS**, after review of the ordinances of the City of Hannibal, the City Council has determined that a revision of the existing ordinance pertaining to an electrical contractor's license is in the best interests of the City to avoid any confusion on the part of electrical contractors operating within the confines of the City of Hannibal

**NOW THEREFORE**, the City Council makes the following amendments to Section 15-49 (a) (9) and Section 15-49 (b)(9)c. , of the Ordinances of the City of Hannibal:

**SECTION ONE:** The City Council hereby amends Section 15-49 (a)(9). to read as follows:

(9) Contractors, unless said Contractor holds a valid State License which by law authorizes them to operate inside the City Limits without first obtaining a City License.

**SECTION TWO:** The City Council hereby amends Section 15-49 (b)(9)c. to read as follows:

Unless said individuals already hold a State Electrical Contractor's License, Contractors applying for a license to do electrical work must pass the required electrical exam. Fee for the exam is \$10.00. Contractors applying for license to do plumbing work must pass the required plumbing exam. Fee for the exam is \$10.00. If the first exam is failed there will be a two-week waiting period before the applicant is allowed to re-take the exam. Fee to re-take the exam is \$10.00. If the contractor's license expires the applicant must retake the required exam and pay the exam fee.

**SECTION THREE:** It hereby is declared to be the intention of the City Council that each and every part, portion and sub-portion of this Ordinance shall be separate and severable from each and every other part, portion or sub-portion hereof and that the City Council intends to adopt each said part, portion or sub-portion separately and independently of any other part, portion or sub-portion. In the event that any part of this Ordinance shall be determined to be or to have been unlawful or unconstitutional, the remaining parts, portions and sub-portions shall be and remain in full force and effect.

**SECTION FOUR:** All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance, in so far as they conflict, are hereby repealed.

**SECTION FIVE:** That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

Adopted this 5<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2017.

Approved this 5<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2017.

  
James R. Hark, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

  
Angelica N. Zerbonia, MRCC - City Clerk