

ORDINANCE BILL NO. 24 FOR 1949

ORDINANCE NO. 704

A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 584, AND
DECLARING AN EMERGENCY:

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LEBANON DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

That Ordinance No. 584 be amended to read as follows:

Section I The National electrical code as approved by the American Standards Association, together with all amendments to it now or hereafter adopted, is made a part of this Ordinance.

Section II No person, firm or association shall install, alter, or repair electric wiring in or on a structure without first obtaining from the City Electrical Inspector a permit to do so.

Section III No electric wiring, after being installed, altered, or repaired, shall be used until the City Electrical Inspector has issued a certificate of inspection approving it. Whenever the installation, alteration, or repair of electric wiring has been completed, the person, firm or association owning or in charge of the wiring may request the inspector to inspect it and issue his certificate of inspection approving it. Within 48 hours after the request the inspector shall inspect the wiring, and if he finds that it complies with this Ordinance, he shall issue his certificate of inspection approving it. The inspector shall not issue any certificate of inspection approving electric wiring which fails to comply with this Ordinance.

Section IV The City Electrical Inspector shall be appointed by the Council. If the inspector is unable because of illness or absence from the City to fulfill his duties, then the chief of the fire department shall perform the duties of the City Electrical Inspector.


Section V The fee for inspection of electrical wiring shall be \$1.50 per hour for the first trip and \$1.00 per hour for each additional trip required for inspecting the wiring, with a minimum fee of \$1.50 for the first trip and \$1.00 for each additional trip.

Section VI The City Electrical Inspector may inspect any electrical wiring at any time and if he finds it unsafe he shall give notice to the person, firm or association owning or in charge of the structure in or upon which the wiring has been installed, altered or repaired. The person, firm or association to whom such notice has been given within a reasonable time after receipt of the notice and not longer than ten days thereafter shall cause the electrical wiring to be made safe.

Section VII Any person, firm or association who violates this Ordinance shall be subject to a fine of not less than \$10.00 and not more than \$50.00 or to imprisonment in the City jail not less than five days and not more than twenty-five days.

Section VIII That it is impossible for the City to provide the inspections required by the increased building under the present schedule of fees, and this Ordinance therefore being required for the peace, health and safety of the said city, an emergency is hereby declared and said Ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage by the Council and approval by the Mayor.

Passed by the Council and approved by the Mayor this 19th day of April, 1949.



Mayor

ATTEST:



City Recorder

