A BILL FOR AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE CONSTRUCTION OF FAMILY FALLOUT SHELTERS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY. ORDINANCE BILL NO. 16 for 1961 ORDINANCE NO. 1098

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

Section 1. That due to the specialized purpose and emergency nature for which family fallout shelters are designed, any such shelter which complies with paragraphs 2, 3 and 4 of this Ordinance is hereby exempt from the provisions of the Building Code of the City of Lebanon, except as otherwise provided herein.

Section 2. Definition. A family fallout shelter is a structure designed and constructed in accordance with this Ordinance, for emergency use only, to afford minimum protection from nuclear radiation, commonly known as "fallout," resulting from a nuclear incident which recently has been, or is, or is likely to be of catastrophic proportions.

Section 3. A family fallout shelter shall be of a design conforming to that recommended or accepted by the Federal Department of Defense, Office of Civil Defense.

Section 4. A family fallout shelter shall, in all matters relating to construction and structural stability, comply with not less than the equivalent of the provisions relating to Design Loads and General Building Requirements specified in the Uniform Building Code (1955 ed.).

Section 5. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the provisions contained in the Building Code of the City of Lebanon relating to Administration, Permits, Inspections and Penalties shall be applicable to family fallout shelters.

Section 6. Inasmuch as the provisions of this Ordinance are necessary for the immediate preservation of the peace, health and safety of the people of the City of Lebanon, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this 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 December, 1961.

Jean Blalour

ATTEST:

City Recorder