

ORDINANCE NO. 14-\_\_\_\_\_

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING PART 4 (ALARM LICENSES AND REGISTRATION) OF ARTICLE 3 (SALES OF GOODS AND SERVICES) OF CHAPTER 2 (BUSINESS LICENSING, LIQUOR REGULATION AND TAXATION) OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS 2001, AS AMENDED, PERTAINING TO ALARM LICENSES

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLORADO SPRINGS:

Section 1. Section 403 (License Required; Exemptions) of Part 4 (Alarm Licenses and Registration) of Article 3 (Sales of Goods and Services) of Chapter 2 (Business Licensing, Liquor Regulation and Taxation) of the Code of the City of Colorado Springs 2001, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

2.3.403: LICENSE REQUIRED; EXEMPTIONS; **EXPIRATION:**

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**E. A license of an alarm company shall expire one year from the date of issuance, unless suspended or revoked earlier.**

Section 2. Section 404 (Application Requirements) of Part 4 (Alarm Licenses and Registration) of Article 3 (Sales of Goods and Services) of Chapter 2 (Business Licensing, Liquor Regulation and Taxation) of the Code of the City of Colorado Springs 2001, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

2.3.404: ~~APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS~~ **FEES:**

~~A. Every application for a new or renewal alarm company license shall be subject to article 1 of this chapter.~~

~~B. An application for an original or renewal license shall be accompanied by the fees~~ **shall be as established by City Council under** ~~authorized by article 1, part 5 of this chapter.~~

Section 3. Section 405 (Insurance Requirements) of Part 4 (Alarm Licenses and Registration) of Article 3 (Sales of Goods and Services) of Chapter 2 (Business Licensing, Liquor Regulation and Taxation) of the Code of the City of Colorado Springs 2001, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

2.3.405: INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS:

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A. Workers' compensation and employers' liability **insurance** as required by statute **or a statement that workers' compensation insurance coverage is not required.** Employers' liability coverage is to be carried for a minimum limit of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00).

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~~E. Each insurance policy of insurance required shall contain an endorsement requiring the insurance carrier to notify the City at least thirty (30) days in advance of the effective date of any reduction or cancellation or change of the policy.~~ **not be reduced, suspended, voided or canceled except after prior written notice has been given to the City. Such notice shall be sent directly to the Deputy Licensing Officer, City Clerk's Office, 30 S. Nevada Ave., Ste. 101, Colorado Springs, CO 80903. If any insurance company refuses to provide the required notice, the licensee or its insurance broker shall notify the City of any reduction, suspension, voiding, cancellation, or non-renewal of any insurance upon receipt of an insurer's notification to that effect.** ~~All policies shall be kept in force and effect for the period of the license.~~

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G. The **suspension, voiding, non-renewal,** cancellation or reduction of insurance shall be cause for automatic suspension of the license until the coverage shall be reinstated. All policies shall be kept in force and effect for the ~~period~~ **term** of the license.

Section 4. Section 409 (Registration Requirements for Alarm Sites) of Part 4 (Alarm Licenses and Registration) of Article 3 (Sales of Goods and Services) of Chapter 2 (Business Licensing, Liquor Regulation and Taxation) of the Code of the City of Colorado Springs 2001, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

2.3.409: REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ALARM SITES:

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C. A registration fee ~~authorized pursuant to article 1, part 5 of this chapter~~ **as established by City Council** will be collected and remitted to the City by the alarm company when a new alarm system is installed or when an alarm user contracts with an alarm company to begin monitoring an existing alarm system. Federal, State and local governments shall be exempt from payment of the alarm registration fee.

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Section 5. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect as of January 1, 2015, and after its final adoption and publication as provided by Charter.

Section 6. Council deems it appropriate that this ordinance be published by title and summary prepared by the City Clerk and that this ordinance shall be available for inspection and acquisition in the office of the City Clerk.

Introduced, read, passed on first reading and ordered published this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014.

**Finally passed:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Keith King, Council President

Delivered to Mayor on \_\_\_\_\_.

**Mayor's Action:**

- Approved on \_\_\_\_\_.
- Disapproved on \_\_\_\_\_, based on the following objections:

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Steve Bach, Mayor

**Council Action After Disapproval:**

- Council action on \_\_\_\_\_ failed to override the Mayor's veto.
- Finally adopted on a vote of \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_.

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Keith King, Council President

ATTEST:

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Sarah B. Johnson, City Clerk