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5-1986 WEST WYOMING ORDINANCE _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF WEST WYOMING
LICENSING BUILDING, PLUMBING, AND ELECTRICAL
CONTRACTORS PERFORMING WORK IN THE BOROUGH OF
WEST WYOMING AND PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION

The West Wyoming Borough Council hereby ordains:

Sec. 1. General Scope. The subject matter of this ordinance is licensing and fines for building, plumbing and electrical contractors performing work in the Borough of West Wyoming.

Sec. 2. License Required. It is the purpose of this law that after the effective date of this ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any building, plumbing, or electrical contractors to perform any work in the Borough of West Wyoming without first having obtained the proper license from the Borough Administrator.

Sec. 3. License Application. The application for the aforementioned license shall be filed in writing with the Borough Administrator on a form to be provided by the Borough of West Wyoming and shall specify:

A. Name and address of the applicant, and if a firm, corporation, partnership or association, the principal officers thereof and their addresses.

B. Fee that is paid and the effective dates of the application which shall be from whatever date the applicant first obtains employment as a contractor in West Wyoming Borough until December 31st of that year.

Sec. 4. License Fee. No license shall be issued under this ordinance to any building, plumbing, or electrical contractor until the annual fee shall have been paid to the Borough Administrator. This annual license fee shall be Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars as set by the West Wyoming Borough Council for each contractor performing services in West Wyoming Borough. For purposes of yearly renewal, the fee shall be paid on or before January 31st of each year.

However, should any contractor obtain employment in West Wyoming Borough for the first time after July 1st of any year and application is made after that date, then the license fee for that contractor shall be one-half (1/2) or fifty percent (50%) of the annual license fee provided for in this section.

This license shall not be transferable from one contractor to another contractor.

Sec. 5 Display of License. Contractors must prominently display their contractor's license on the premises on which they are working in the Borough of West Wyoming.

Sec. 6. Violations and Penalties. Any contractor who violates any provision of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine not more than Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars, and/or imprisonment for a term not to exceed ninety (90) days. Each day that a violation of this ordinance continues shall constitute a separate offense.

Sec. 7. Repealer. All ordinances or parts of ordinances which are inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 8. Severability. If any sentence, clause, section, or part of this ordinance is for any reason found to be unconstitutional, illegal, or invalid, such unconstitutionality, illegality or invalidity shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions, sentences, clauses, sections, or parts of this ordinance. It is hereby declared as the intent of the West Wyoming Borough Council that this ordinance would have been adopted had such unconstitutional, illegal, or invalid sentence, clause, section or part thereof not been included herein.

Sec. 9. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective on December 8, 1986.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 8th day of December, 1986.

William LeHells
President

Attest: Thomas C Loftus
Secretary

Approved By: Alfred Hertz
Mayor

This is to certivy that the foregoing Ordinance was duly approved by the Board of Directors of West Wyoming Borough, County of Luzerne, and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at this meeting on *December* 8 , 1986. 2

Thomas C Loftus
Secretary