

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE 2023 NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE BY AMENDING CHAPTER 18, ARTICLE V, SECTION 18-225, WITHIN THE CITY ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF DEER PARK RELATING TO THE ELECTRICAL CODES; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DEER PARK:

I.

That the 2023 National Electrical Code is hereby adopted by replacing the complete Chapter 18, Article V, Section 18-225 within the City Ordinances of the City of Deer Park relating to the Electrical Code as follows:

Section 18-225 – Scope of article.

“This article shall govern electrical installations and the operation and maintenance of electrical wiring, electrical equipment, apparatus and appliances in the city, pursuant to the 2023 National Electrical Code and all appendixes.”

The 2023 National Electrical Code and all appendixes are attached hereto and made a part of this Ordinance for all purposes, and will be in effective July 15, 2025.

II.

In the event any portion of this Ordinance, or the application of the same to any person or circumstances shall, for any reason, be adjudged invalid or held unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, the same shall not affect, impair or invalidate this Ordinance, as amended, as a whole, or any part or provision thereof, other than the part so decided to be invalid or unconstitutional.

III.

It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was adopted was open to the public, and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given, all as required by Chapter 551 Of The Government Code Of The State Of Texas.

In accordance with Article VIII, Section 1 of the City Charter, this Ordinance was introduced before the City Council of the City of Deer Park, Texas, **passed, approved and adopted** on this the ____ day of _____, 2025 **by a vote of** _____ **“Ayes” and** _____ **“Noes”**.

MAYOR, City of Deer Park, Texas

ATTEST:

City Secretary

APPROVED:

City Attorney