## ORDINANCE NO. 2023- 23

## CITY OF COLUMBIA CITY, INDIANA

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 94 TO ADD LIFE SAFETY AND FIRE PROTECTION REPORTS FOR THE CITY OF COLUMBIA CITY, INDIANA

WHEREAS, the Common Council of the City of Columbia City, Indiana, upon review and consideration, has determined that an addition to the City Fire Prevention Code is important for the safety of the citizens of Columbia City, Indiana, to provide for the requirement of life safety and fire protection reports.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Columbia City in Whitley, Indiana, that Chapter 94 of the City of Columbia City's Code of Ordinances is amended as follows:

1. The following Section is added to Chapter 94, Fire Prevention Code:

Life Safety and Fire Protection Reports.

- (A) Itemized Report. A copy of an itemized report upon completion of an inspection, maintenance, repair, or replacement performed in accordance with the applicable standards on any and all life safety or fire protection appliances and systems, including, but not limited to, fire sprinkler systems, standpipe systems, fire alarms, smoke detection, monitoring systems, fire extinguishing hood systems, private fire hydrants, private water main systems, fire extinguishers, other extinguishing systems, or fire hoses, shall be forwarded by the entity, contractor, company, service provider, or individual performing the service to the Chief, or the Chief's designee, of the Columbia City Fire Department, Columbia City, Indiana. The report shall include a pass or fail along with a listing of any and all deficiencies found. The report shall also include any repairs or replacements that were completed at the time of inspection or maintenance.
- (B) Enforcement. The Columbia City Fire Department shall be charged with the duty of enforcing the terms of this section.
- 2. If any section, sentence or provision of this ordinance, or the application thereof to any person or circumstances shall be declared invalid, such invalidity shall not affect any of the other sections, sentences, provisions, or applications of this ordinance in which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.
- 3. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its adoption by the Common Council and approval by the Mayor of the City of Columbia City, Indiana.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Common Council of the City of Columbia City in Whitley County, State of Indiana, this day of	
	COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBIA CITY, INDIANA, BY:
	Daniel Weigold
	Theodore J. Varga, Jr.
	Walter C. Crowder
	Jennifer B. Zartman-Romano
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ATTEST:  Rosie Coyle, Clerk-Treasurer	APPROVED AND SIGNED BY:
City of Columbia City, Indiana	Ryan Daniel, Mayor (Dated:)