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COUNTY OF WINNEBAGO    )

**CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION IN PAMPHLET FORM**

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I am the duly qualified and acting Legal Director and ex officio Keeper of the Records and Seal of the City of Rockford, Winnebago and Ogle Counties, Illinois (the "City"), and as such official I am the keeper of the official journal of proceedings, books, records, minutes and files of the City and of the City Council (the "City Council") thereof.

I do further certify that on the 3rd day of November, 2015, there was published in pamphlet form, by authority of the City Council, a true, correct and complete copy of Ordinance No. **2015-223-O** and said resolution was so published on said date readily available for public inspection and distribution, in sufficient number, at my office as Legal Director and ex officio Keeper of the Records and Seal located in the City.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have affixed hereto my official signature and the seal of the City, this 4th day of December, 2015.

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LEGAL DIRECTOR AND EX OFFICIO  
KEEPER OF THE RECORDS AND SEAL

AH:sa Committee report passed: November 2, 2015

ORDINANCE NO. 2015-223-0

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS, THAT:

Chapter 105 of the City of Rockford Code of Ordinances, and the 2015 International Plumbing Code are hereby amended and modified, repealing and replacing any provision of ordinances, as attached hereto.

The provisions and sections of this Ordinance shall be deemed severable, and the invalidity of any portion of this Ordinance shall not affect the validity of the remainder.

All orders, resolutions, or ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed insofar as such conflict exists, and this Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage, approval, and publication, as required by law.

A full, true and complete copy of this Ordinance shall be published within ten (10) days after passage in pamphlet form by and under authority of the Corporate Authorities.

APPROVED: November 3, 2015.

  
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MAYOR

AYES: DURKEE, GETCHIUS, MCNAMARA, FROST, CONNELL, THOMPSON-KELLY,  
ODDO, NEWBURG, BEACH, ELYEA, BECK, CHIARELLI

NAYS: MCNEELY  
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ABSENT: HERVEY  
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ABSTAIN: \_\_\_\_\_

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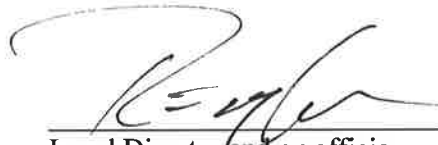
  
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LEGAL DIRECTOR

PASSED:

APPROVED:

PUBLISHED:


FILED in my office this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of November, 2015, and published in pamphlet form this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of November, 2015 by order of the City Council of the City of Rockford, Illinois.

  
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Legal Director and ex officio  
Keeper of the Records and Seal

APPROVED BY:

  
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Patrick W. Hayes, Legal Director

RECOMMENDED BY:

  
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Angela Hammer, Assistant City Attorney

## **Amendments to the Plumbing Code:**

### **The Illinois Plumbing Code is amended as follows:**

(1) Section 890.120 is amended as follows:

#### **Section 890.120 Definitions**

**“Quick Closing Valves”:** A valve or faucet that closes automatically when released or one that has fast action closing, or one that closes with (1/2) one half turn or less.

(2) Section 890.180 is amended by adding a) 1) and 2) as follows:

#### **Section 890.180 Sewer and Water Pipe Installations**

a)

- 1) Sewer trenching and/or tunneling not to exceed ten feet (10') total distance.
- 2) Ditches shall be left accessible for inspection of sewer and/or water piping.

(3) Section 890.420 is amended by as follows:

#### **Section 890.420 Pipe Cleanouts**

a) Location of Cleanouts within a Building Drain or Building Sewer.

- 1) Cleanouts shall be not more than 50 feet apart, including the developed length of the cleanout pipe, in horizontal drainage lines of four (4) inches or less size. Cleanouts shall be not more than 100 feet apart, including the developed length of the cleanout pipe, in horizontal drainage lines of over four (4) inches to ten (10) inches in size. Cleanouts shall not be more than 150 feet apart, including the developed length of the cleanout pipe, in horizontal drainage lines exceeding ten (10) inches in size. For underground drainage lines exceeding ten (10) inches in size, manholes instead of cleanouts shall be provided and shall be located at intervals of not more than 150 feet.

(4) Section 890.510 is amended by adding a) 7) as follows:

#### **Section 890.510 Grease Interceptor Requirements**

a)

- 7) All new or altered installations serving institutions or commercial establishments in which grease, fats, culinary oil, or similar waste products from kitchens or food processing areas, or in which grease, fats, or culinary oils are wasted in connection with utensil, vat, dish, or floor cleaning processes shall install grease interceptors.

All waste lines and drains carrying culinary oil, grease, or fats in the above type establishments shall be directed to one or more interceptors before connecting to the plumbing system. If interceptors are located outside the building, they shall be accessible for maintenance purposes within ten (10) feet of the building.

(5) Section 890.750 is amended by adding c), d), and e) as follows:

**Section 890.750 Hydro Massage/Whirlpool Bathtubs**

- c) Manufacturer's instructions. The product shall be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's installation instructions.
- d) Access to pump. Access shall be provided to circulation pumps in accordance with the fixture or pump manufacturer's instructions. Where the manufacturer's instructions do not specify the location and minimum size of field-fabricated access openings, and where pumps are located more than 2 feet (609mm) from the access opening, an 18-inch by 18-inch (457mm by 457mm) minimum sized opening shall be installed. A door or panel shall be permitted to close the opening. In all cases, the access opening shall be unobstructed and the size necessary to permit the removal and replacement of the circulation pump.
- e) Leak testing. Leak testing and pump operation shall be performed in accordance with the manufacturer's installation instructions.

(6) Section 890.1150) is amended by adding a) 5) as follows:

**Section 890.1150 Water Service Pipe Installation**

a)

5) Combination services (Fire and Domestic) shall split outside the building with an individual stop on the domestic service located a minimum of 5 feet (152.4cm) from the building.

(7) Section 890.1200 is amended by adding a) 1) as follows:

**Section 890.1200 Water Service Sizing**

a)

1) In existing structures which have a ¾" (1.905cm) water service and the service is being replaced, ¾" pipe may be used provided that the building's water supply fixture unit count (WSFU) does not exceed Appendix A Table N limits.

(8) Section 890.1210 is amended by adding j) as follows:

**Section 890.1210 Design of a Building Water Distribution System**

j) All new family dwellings shall have provisions made for soft water hookup, with three valves for bypass, except for outside lawn hydrants and cold water in kitchen sink with proper bypass. Connections and provisions shall be made of properly sized and vented trap within five feet (5') distance of water softener. Bypass connection for future use shall be capped. Exceptions must be requested in writing to the Board of Appeals and will be granted only after inspection has been conducted.

(9) Section 890.1430 is amended by adding d) as follows:

**Section 890.1430 Stack Vents, Vent Stacks, Main Vents**

d) Minimum Size of Stack Vent. Any structure in which a building drain is installed/repared shall have each stack vent or vent stack carried full size to the roof and shall increase to a minimum of four (4) inches, 12 inches below the roof line and 12 inches above the roof line.

(10) Section 890. APPENDIX A - Plumbing Materials, Equipment, Use Restrictions and Applicable Standards is amended as follows:

**Section 890. TABLE A – Approved Building Drainage/Vent Pipe.**

1) Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene (ABS) Pipe shall not be permitted.

**Section 890. TABLE A – Approved materials for Building Sewer**

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**Section 890. TABLE A - Approved Materials for Water Service Pipe.**

1) Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene (ABS) Pipe shall not be permitted.

7) Galvanized Steel Pipe shall not be permitted.

(11) Section 890. TABLE B – Minimum Number of Plumbing Fixtures is amended as follows:

**Section 890. TABLE B - Minimum Number of Plumbing Fixtures**

All facilities for employee use

Other fixtures – 1 Service sink per floor