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## **ADOPTED AMENDMENTS TO 2014 NATIONAL ELECTRIC CODE**

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Annex H Administration and Enforcement - Section 80.13 Authority

Insert at end: “The authority having jurisdiction is authorized to approve minor building alterations, improvements, or changes after making a determination that such alterations, improvements, or changes do not affect the safety or structural integrity of a building or structure or negate the intent of these regulations.”

Annex H Administration and Enforcement - Section 80.15 Electrical Board,

Subsection 80.15 (B) Appointments: Delete subsections 3 and 4.

Subsection 80.15(C) Terms and (D) Compensation: Delete in their entirety.

### **WOODSTOCK MUNICIPAL CODE**

#### **7.2.1.B ADDITIONS, INSERTIONS, AND CHANGES**

1. The use of non-metallic sheathed cable (types NM and NMC wire), commonly referred to as “Romex wire” is not allowed within the City except in the extension of an existing circuit of the same material.
2. Conduits
  - a. Wiring exposed in an unfinished basement shall be in rigid, intermediate or thin wall metal conduit.
  - b. Above ground electrical services must be in galvanized rigid or intermediate metal conduit only and installed in accordance with the height and location requirements set forth in the National Electrical Code.

- c. No conduit smaller than three-fourths inch (3/4") shall be installed underground.
3. Armored Cable
- a. Type AC wire, commonly referred to as "BX wire", may only be used in one- and two-family residential dwellings. Wiring in residential buildings greater than two-family shall be in conduit.
  - b. In one- and two-family residential dwellings Type AC wire may be used in an unfinished basement ceiling if the ceiling is sealed before occupancy. Where additional outlets are to be installed in dwellings that already have the basements wired in AC, AC wire may be used for the additional outlets.

Sections 3.9.2.B and 3.9.2.C, pertaining to electrical contractors licensing, are as follows:

- B. Application. Except as provided for in Section 3.9.2.A herein, any person engaging in the business of an electrical contractor must first take and pass the electrical contractor's license/registration exam prepared by the Woodstock Electrical Commission. A one hundred dollar (\$100.00) exam fee must be paid prior to taking this exam. If the applicant is successful in passing the exam, the exam fee shall be applied to the electrical contractor's annual registration fee. All passing grades must be approved by the City of Woodstock Electrical Inspector before an application for electrical contractor's license/registration can be submitted. Upon passing said examination, a written application for an electrical contractor's license must be filled out and submitted to the Building and Zoning Department, and upon approval of said application, the certificate of license/registration shall be issued.
- C. Annual Fee. An electrical contractor licensed by the City shall pay a seventy-five dollar (\$75.00) annual registration fee. The registration shall expire on December 31<sup>st</sup> of the year in which it has been issued.