

2.42.010 - Fire prevention bureau.

There shall be a bureau of fire prevention to be known as the "fire prevention bureau," which shall be under the jurisdiction of the fire chief of the fire department. No person except members of the fire department shall be eligible to appointment to such bureau. All appointments to such bureau shall be made by the board of fire commissioners. The rules and regulations governing the members of the fire department shall govern the officers and members of such bureau. All appointees to such bureau shall be continued therein as long as they perform their duties to the satisfaction of the fire chief.

8.04.310 - Open burning—Restricted generally.

Except as provided in Sections [8.04.320](#) and [8.04.330](#), no person shall cause, suffer, allow or permit an open fire in any public or private place outside any building. During the existence of an air pollution alert, as may be declared by the director, all exceptions are void.

8.04.320 - Open burning—With permit.

Open burning may be carried out under permits issued as follows:

A. Application for burning permits shall be on forms provided by the bureau.

B. No permit shall be issued unless the issuing officer is satisfied that:

1. There is no practical available alternate method for the disposal of the material to be burned;
2. No hazardous condition will be created by such burning;
3. No salvage operation by open burning will be conducted; and
4. No leaves will be burned in those areas where provision is made for public collection thereof.

C. Any permit issued may be limited by the imposition of conditions to:

1. Prevent the creation of smoke as prohibited by this chapter; or
2. Protect property and the health, safety and comfort of persons from the effects of the burning.

D. If it becomes apparent at any time to the director that limitations need to be imposed for any of the reasons stated in subsection C of this section, the director or his duly designated agent shall notify the permittee in writing; and any limitations so imposed shall be treated as conditions under which the permit is issued.

8.04.330 - Open burning—Without permit.

Open fires may be set without permit in performance of an official duty as designated by the fire marshal and/or the director if the fire is necessary for one or more of the following reasons or purposes:

- A. For the prevention of a fire hazard which cannot be abated by other means;
- B. For the instruction of public fire fighters or industrial employees under supervision of the fire marshal; or
- C. For the protection of public health.

Chapter 8.28 - FIRE PREVENTION REGULATIONS

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Chapter 12.04 - STREET AND BUILDING NUMBERS

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12.04.050 - Requirements in numbering of buildings.

Entrances of all buildings shall be given the numbers of the sections in which such entrances stand according to the city engineer's maps, and such numbers shall be attached to such buildings in a conspicuous place near such entrances. All figures used in numbering buildings in accordance with this chapter shall be not less than three inches in height and of a conspicuous color.

12.04.090 - Violations—Penalty.

Any owner of any building or part of any building who shall neglect or refuse to number or renumber his building in accordance with any section of this chapter, or who shall place or maintain any wrong number on his building within the meaning of this chapter, or any person who shall maliciously remove, destroy, deface or in any way injure any properly established building number, or who shall violate any provision of this chapter shall be punished as provided in [Chapter 1.12](#) of this code.

15.12.160 - Minimum space, use and location requirements.

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No person shall occupy or let to another for occupancy any dwelling or dwelling unit, for the purpose of living therein, which does not comply with the following requirements:

A. Total Floor Area Required per Occupant of Sleeping Rooms. In every dwelling unit of two or more rooms, every room occupied for sleeping purposes by one occupant shall contain at least seventy (70) square feet of floor space, and every room occupied for sleeping purposes by more than one occupant shall contain at least fifty (50) square feet of floor space for each occupant thereof.

B. Arrangement of Sleeping Rooms. No dwelling or dwelling unit containing two or more sleeping rooms shall have such arrangements that access to a bathroom or water closet compartment intended for use by occupants of more than one sleeping room, can be had only by going through another sleeping room; nor shall room arrangements be such that access to a sleeping room can be had only by going through another sleeping room or bathroom or water closet compartment.

C. Ceiling Height. At least three-quarters (seventy-five (75) percent) of the floor area of every habitable room in a multiple dwelling shall have a ceiling height of at least seven feet, eight inches, except for attic rooms which shall be at least seven feet, four inches high in one-half (fifty (50) percent) of its area; and the floor area of that part of any room where the ceiling height is less than five feet shall not be considered as part of the floor area in computing the floor area of the room for the purposes of determining the maximum permissible occupancy thereof.

D. Cellar Space. No cellar space shall be used as a habitable room or dwelling unit.

E. Basement Space. No basement space shall be used as a habitable room or dwelling unit unless:

1. The floor and walls are impervious to leakage of underground and surface run-off water and are insulated against dampness;
2. The total of window area in each room is equal to at least the minimum window area sizes as required in [Section 15.12.100\(A\)](#);
3. Such required minimum window area is located entirely above the grade of the ground adjoining such window area;

4. The total of openable window area in each room is equal to at least the minimum as required under [Section 15.12.100](#), except where there is supplied some other device affording adequate ventilation and approved by the housing code enforcement officer;

5. Such room or rooms shall be at least eight feet, six inches high in part from the floor to the ceiling and such ceiling shall be at least four feet, six inches above the outside ground level.

F. Temporary Housing. No person shall occupy any structure defined as temporary housing for the purpose of living therein commonly classified as a shed, shack, houseboat, trailer, body of any vehicle or any other structure of similar category within the city.

G. Minimum Gross Floor Area. Every dwelling unit shall contain a minimum gross floor area of not less than one hundred fifty (150) square feet for the first occupant and one hundred (100) square feet for each additional occupant. The floor area shall be calculated on the basis of the total area of all habitable rooms.