TOWN OF WEST NEW YORK COUNTY OF HUDSON, STATE OF NEW JERSEY

ORDINANCE #15/18

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 198 OF THE CODE OF THE TOWN OF WEST NEW YORK ENTITLED "FIRE PREVENTION"

WHEREAS, the Uniform Fire Safety Act, <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 52:27D-192 <u>et seq.</u> and the Uniform Fire Code, <u>N.J.A.C.</u> 5:70-1 <u>et seq.</u> are locally enforced in the Town of West New York by the Fire Prevention Bureau; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 198 of the Code of the Town of West New York ("Code") creates and governs the Fire Prevention Bureau; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 198-9C of the Code sets forth the application fee for a certificate of smoke detector and carbon monoxide alarm compliance (CSDCMAC), as required by N.J.A.C. 5:70-2.3; and

WHEREAS, the State of New Jersey, Department of Community Affairs has changed the application fees for a certificate of smoke detector and carbon monoxide alarm compliance (CSDCMAC), as set forth in N.J.A.C. 5:70-2.9(d); and

WHEREAS, N.J.A.C. 5:70-2.9(f) provides that a Municipality having a local agency may establish a different permit and certificate of smoke detector compliance fee schedule; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the Town of West New York now seek to amend Chapter 198 with respect to the application fees for certificates of smoke detector and carbon monoxide alarm compliance (CSDCMAC).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the Town of West New York, that Chapter 198 entitled "Fire Prevention" shall be amended as follows:

Section One

Chapter 198-9C shall be deleted and replaced as follows:

The application fee for a certificate of smoke detector and carbon monoxide alarm compliance (CSDCMAC), as required by N.J.A.C. 5:70-2.3, shall be \$150.00.

Section Two

Severability. The provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable and if any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase thereof for any reason be held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections, subsections, sentences, clauses and phrases of this Ordinance, but shall remaining in effect; it being the legislative intent that this Ordinance shall stand notwithstanding the invalidity of any part.

Section Three

Repealer. All ordinances or portions thereof in conflict or inconsistent with this Ordinance are hereby repealed, but only however, or the extent of such conflict or inconsistency, it being legislative intent that all ordinances or portions of ordinances now existing or in effect shall remain in effect unless the they are in conflict or inconsistent with any provision of this Ordinance.

Section Four

When Effective. This ordinance shall take effect upon passage and publication as required by law.

SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE

This Ordinance amends Chapter 198-9 by changing the application fee for a certificate of smoke detector and carbon monoxide alarm compliance (CSDCMAC).

Introduced: 8/22/18

Notice

The foregoing Ordinance was adopted for first reading by the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the Town of West New York, New Jersey, on **August 22, 2018** and ordered published, and will be further considered before final passage at a public hearing on **September 19, 2018** at **6:30 p.m.** at the Commission Chambers, Municipal Building, West New York, NJ. A copy of this Ordinance has been posted on the bulletin board upon which public notices are customarily posted on in the Town Hall of the Town of West New York, and a copy (at no charge) is available up to and including the time of such meeting to the members of the public of the Town who shall request such copies, at the Office of the Town Clerk in said Town Hall in West New York, N.J.

Carmela Riccie, RMC Town Clerk