ORDINANCE NO. 45-2

"AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE MUNICIPAL CODE, ELIZABETHTON, TENNESSEE, 2000, AS AMENDED BY REVISING IN TITLE 12, CHAPTER 4, SECTION 12-404, BY DELETING SUBSECTION (2) AND BY REVISING IN THEIR ENTIRETY IN TITLE 12, CHAPTER 4, SECTIONS 12-407(3) AND 12-408 IN ORDER TO UPDATE THE ELIZABETHTON GAS CODE."

WHEREAS, the City Staff has reviewed the Elizabethton Gas Code contained in Title 12, Chapter 4 and determined that minor changes were necessary to update the Code; and,

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest and welfare of the citizens and residents of the City of Elizabethton that these revisions be made.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELIZABETHTON, TENNESSEE, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That Title 12, Chapter 4, Subsection (2) shall be deleted in its entirety.

Section 2. That Title 12, Chapter 4, Subsection 12-407(3) shall be revised in its entirety to read as follows:

12-407(3). The Gas Company shall not be required to obtain permits to set meters, remove, or repair its service lines, mains.

Section 3. That Title 12, Chapter 4, Subsection 12-408 shall be revised in its entirety to read as follows:

12-408. Inspections.
(1) A rough piping inspection shall be made after all new piping authorized by the permit has been installed, and before any such piping has been covered or concealed or any fixtures or gas appliances have been attached thereto.
(2) A final piping inspection shall be made after all piping authorized by the permit has been installed and after all portions thereof which are to be concealed by plastering or otherwise have been so concealed, and before any fixtures or gas appliances have been attached thereto. This inspection shall include a pressure test, at which time the piping shall stand an air pressure equal to not less than the pressure of a column of mercury six (6) inches in height, or ten (10) pound air pressure on air gauge for a period of at least ten (10) minutes without perceptible drop on a residential dwelling or a system having less than ten (10) cubic feet of volume. All tools, apparatus, labor, and assistance necessary for the test shall be furnished by the installer of such piping.
Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect ten (10) days from and after its final passage.

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