

**CITY OF PEKIN**

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**ORDINANCE NO. 2975-21/22**

**AMENDING NUMBER OF FIRE PERSONNEL**

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PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF PEKIN  
THE 14TH DAY OF JUNE 2021

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PUBLISHED IN PAMPHLET FORM BY AUTHORITY OF THE CITY  
COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PEKIN, TAZEWELL COUNTY, ILLINOIS,  
THIS 14TH DAY OF JUNE 2021

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### **Amending Number of Fire Personnel**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Pekin is a home rule municipality as described in Section 6(a), Article VII of the 1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Pekin, as a home rule municipality, may exercise power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs, including, but not limited to, the power to legislate for the protection of the public health, safety, and welfare; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Code currently lists the number of officers of each rank within the Fire Department; and

**WHEREAS**, the Fire Department desires to amend the Code to simplify the breakdown of members of the Department.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PEKIN, TAZEWELL COUNTY, ILLINOIS, THAT:**

**Section 1.** The findings and recitations set forth above are found to be true and correct and are adopted herein.

**Section 2.** Chapter 2, Article IV, Division 6, Subdivision 1, Section 8 of the City Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

**Sec. 2-4-6-1-8. - Members of Department—Number of members.**

The Fire Department of the City shall consist of the following personnel:


- (1) One Fire Chief.
- (2) One Deputy Fire Chief.
- (3) Three Battalion Fire Chiefs.
- (4) Fourteen Fire Captains.
- (5) Fifteen Engineers.
- (6) Twenty-two Firefighters.

In case of a vacancy in any office or position herein designated, neither the Fire Chief nor the Manager shall be required to fill such office or position if in their judgment and discretion there is no necessity therefor.

**Section 3.** This Ordinance is in addition to all other ordinances on the subject and shall be construed therewith excepting as to that part in direct conflict with any other ordinance, and in the event of such conflict, the provisions hereof shall govern.

**Section 4.** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval in the manner provided by law.

**ADOPTED AND APPROVED** at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Pekin this 14<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2021.

  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
CITY CLERK

**CERTIFICATE**

THE UNDERSIGNED CERTIFIES THAT SHE IS THE CITY CLERK FOR THE CITY OF PEKIN, ILLINOIS, AND THAT THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULARLY CONSTITUTED MEETING OF SAID CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PEKIN ON THE 14<sup>th</sup> DAY OF June, 2021 ADOPTED ORDINANCE NO. \_\_\_\_\_ A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF WHICH IS CONTAINED IN THIS PAMPHLET

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL THIS 14<sup>th</sup> DAY OF June, 2021

(SEAL)

Sue<sup>e</sup>. McMillan  
CITY CLERK