

**ORDINANCE NO. 857**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF CITY OF BURLINGTON, KANSAS (EDITION 1-2017) CHAPTER IV BUILDINGS, ARTICLE 3 ELECTRICAL CODE, SECTION 4-329(a) ELECTRICIAN'S OR ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR'S BOND REQUIRED, CONDITIONS, APPROVAL, RIGHTS RESERVED; AND SECTION 4-330 INSURANCE.**

**SECTION 1:** NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF BURLINGTON, KANSAS:

**SECTION 2:** Chapter IV 4-329(a). Code of the City of Burlington, Chapter IV, Buildings; Article 3, Electrical Code; Section 4-329(a) Electrician's or Electrical Contractor's Bond Required; Conditions, Approval, Rights Reserved, part (a) shall be amended to read:

(a) Before any license shall be issued to any electrician or electrical contractor required by this article to obtain a license and pay a fee to the city, the electrician or electrical contractor shall secure and file with the City Clerk a good and sufficient corporate surety bond in the principal sum of **\$10,000**, as set by the governing body conditioned the the principal named therein shall faithfully and fully observe all laws of the city relating to the business or occupation for which a license is desired and further conditioned to hold and save the city harmless and free of claims for loss or damage to persons or property, or from damage, injury or destruction of property belonging to the city, resulting from or arising out of, the negligence or failure of the principal or any of his, her or its employees, agents or servants to use due care of diligence respecting any opening or excavation made in, or adjacent to any street, alley or public ground in the city, or any materials stored, placed or used in any such places, or the operation or use of any vehicle, machinery or equipment in the streets, alleys or public grounds in connection with the business or occupation licensed. Each such bond shall be issued by a company authorized to do business in the state and shall be executed by an agent of the company residing in the county and further conditioned that in the event of cancellation or expiration that the company or agent will give ten days' notice of such fact to the City Clerk. Each such bond shall be approved as to form by the City Attorney and approved as to surety by the City Treasurer and the approval thereof shall be endorsed on the bond by the City Attorney and by the Mayor over their signatures.

**SECTION 3.** Chapter IV, 4-330. Code of the City of Burlington, Chapter IV, Buildings; Article 3, Electrical Code; Section 4-330 Insurance shall be amended to read:

In addition to obtaining a corporate surety bond as required by **Sections 4-327 and 4-329**, an electrician or electrical contractor must procure and maintain a liability insurance policy in the amount of **\$250,000** for the death or injury of any one person, and **\$500,000** for the death or injury of any number of persons in any one accident, and **\$100,000** for property damage in any one accident. Such policies of insurance shall be issued by some insurance company authorized to do business in the State of Kansas. An electrician or electrical contractor may qualify as to the insurance requirements by filing a certificate with the City Clerk executed by the resident agent of such company stating that the required policy of insurance has been issued by such company for the purpose required by this article and that such insurer will not cancel the policy except upon giving 30 days' notice in writing to the city; and that the certificate shall be filed for an annual period beginning January 1 and ending December 31 of such year.

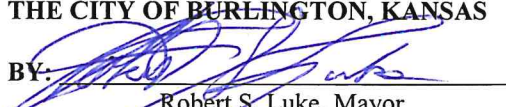
**SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE** This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect on and after its passage and publication of a Summary in the official city newspaper, and publication in full on the city's website (burlingtonkansas.gov).

**ADOPTED AND APPROVED** by the Governing Body this 20th day of June, 2018.

(CITY SEAL)

**THE CITY OF BURLINGTON, KANSAS**

BY:

  
Robert S. Luke, Mayor

ATTEST;

  
Regina R. Kewley, City Clerk

**APPROVED AS TO FORM ONLY**

  
Thomas F. Robrahn, City Attorney

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**ORDINANCE NO. 857 SUMMARY DRAFT**

**On 6-20-2018, City of Burlington adopted Ordinance 857, Amending the City Code Chapter IV, Buildings; Article 3, Electrical Code; Section 4-329, Electrician's or Electrical Contractor's Bond Required; Conditions, Approval; and Section 4-330, Insurance. The full Ordinance is available at [www.burlingtonkansas.gov](http://www.burlingtonkansas.gov) and City Hall, 301 Neosho, Burlington, Kansas.**

Certified by:

  
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Thomas F. Robrahn, City Attorney of Burlington, Kansas