

THE CITY COUNCIL OF NORTH ROYALTON, OHIO

ORDINANCE NO. 18-109

INTRODUCED BY: Mayor Stefanik

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON, PART 2 ADMINISTRATION CODE, CHAPTER 254 DEPARTMENT OF WASTE WATER TREATMENT, SECTION 254.03 SUPERINTENDENT OF WASTE WATER TREATMENT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS: The Ohio EPA has changed the classification for our waste water treatment facilities; and

WHEREAS: Our current code is inconsistent with this new classification and must be updated; and

WHEREAS: It is therefore necessary to amend the Codified Ordinances of the City of North Royalton, Part 2 Administration Code, Chapter 254 Department of Waste Water Treatment, Section 254.03 Superintendent of Waste Water Treatment; and

WHEREAS: Council desires to provide for this amendment.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH ROYALTON, COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA AND STATE OF OHIO, THAT:

Section 1. Part 2 Administration Code, Chapter 254 Department of Waste Water Treatment, Section 254.03 Superintendent of Waste Water Treatment of the Codified Ordinances of the City of North Royalton is hereby amended to hereinafter read as follows:

The Superintendent of Waste Water Treatment shall:

- (a) Be qualified to supervise and be responsible for the operation of waste water treatment facilities;
- (b) Maintain and cause to be maintained records of laboratory tests and related work;
- (c) Provide required reports and materials to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) or other agencies as required;
- (d) Be qualified to establish standards and issue general instructions for the operation activities of waste water treatment facilities;
- (e) Plan training courses for all personnel employed in the Department of Waste Water Treatment when necessary and/or required; and
- (f) Coordinate activities with the Department of Buildings, the Municipal Engineer's office and other departments and divisions as necessary for the operation of waste water treatment facilities.

The Superintendent shall be appointed by the Mayor with the concurrence of a majority of the members elected to Council. Any person considered for such appointment shall be certified by the ~~State Department of Health and shall possess at least a Class IV Operator's Certificate~~ **Ohio EPA and shall possess certification as appropriate for the Ohio EPA Classification of Facilities.** A continual upgrading of education and training shall be required.

Section 3. Chapter 254 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of North Royalton is hereby amended as provided for herein and all other provisions of Chapter 254 shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall supersede all previously adopted Ordinances in direct conflict herewith.

Section 5. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

Section 6. This Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, safety and welfare of the city, and for the further reason that it is immediately necessary to amend the Codified Ordinances of the City of North Royalton, Part 2 Administration Code, Chapter 254 Department of Waste Water Treatment, Section 254.03 Superintendent of Waste Water Treatment in order to update our code in accordance with the Ohio EPA's classification for our waste water treatment facilities.

THEREFORE, provided this Ordinance receives the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council, it shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage and approval by the Mayor; otherwise, from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

/s/ Larry Antoskiewicz
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

APPROVED: /s/ Robert A. Stefanik
MAYOR

DATE PASSED: October 16, 2018

DATE APPROVED: October 17, 2018

ATTEST: /s/ Laura J. Haller
DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE SERVICES

First reading suspended
Second reading suspended
Third reading October 16, 2018

YEAS: Antoskiewicz, Nickell, Petrusky,
Langshaw, Marnecheck, Hannan, Kasaris

NAYS: none