ORDINANCE NO. 0-94- 01

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 11.04 OF THE CONWAY MUNICIPAL CODE; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS:

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Conway seeks to have its ordinances and procedures regarding its Electrical Code and the supervision of electricians conform to the laws of the State of Arkansas, especially Ark. Code Ann. § 17-25-305, wherein it states that no examination shall be required of anyone possessing Arkansas state electrician licenses;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Conway, Arkansas:

Section 1. That Section 14.04.06 of the Conway Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

11.04.06 Bonding of Electricians. Any person, firm or corporation desiring to engage in the business of electrical construction or of the installation of wiring and apparatus for electric lights, appliances, heating or power in the City of Conway, Arkansas shall, before doing so, possess a state electrician license and execute and deliver to the city a good and sufficient bond, as more fully set forth in Ordinance No. A-334, adopted by the city council of the City of Conway, Arkansas on November 25, 1965, as amended. No permit for installation or alteration of any wiring, heating devices, motors, appliances and apparatus shall be issued until the bond herein required has been obtained.

Section 2. That Sections 11.04.10, 11.04.11, 11.04.12, 11.04.13, 11.04.14 and 11.04.18 are hereby REPEALED.

Section 3. That Section 11.04.15 is hereby amended to read as follows:

11.04.15 Classes of Electricians. The classification of the various branches of the electrical industry and qualifications required for each classification shall be as follows:

- (a) Master electrician.
- 1. A master electrician shall be defined to include any individual who possesses a state master electrician license.
 - (b) Journeyman electrician.
- 1. A journeyman electrician shall be defined to include any individual who possesses a state journeyman electrician license.
 - (c) Industrial maintenance electrician.
- 1. An industrial maintenance electrician shall be defined to include any individual who possesses a state industrial maintenance electrician license.

Section 4. That Section 11.04.16 is hereby amended to read as follows:

11.04.16 Compliance with Ordinances. Every person, firm or corporation holding a state electrician license, shall conform strictly with the ordinances of the City of Conway governing the installation, repair, construction and inspection of electrical work in the City of Conway.

Section 5: That all other ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of that conflict.

Section 6: That there is hereby declared an emergency, there being a need for this ordinance to protect the public peace, health and safety, and therefore this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

PASSED: <u>January 25</u>, 1994

ATTEST:

City Clerk

APPROVED:

Mayor