

ORDINANCE NO. 83

An ordinance of South Haven Township adopting the 2003 edition of the International Fire Code, regulating and governing the safeguarding of life and property from fire and explosion hazards arising from the storage, handling and use of hazardous substances, materials and devices, and from conditions hazardous to life or property in the occupancy of buildings and premises in South Haven Township providing for the issuance of permits for hazardous uses or operations; repealing Resolution No. 01-02 of South Haven Township and all other ordinances and parts of the ordinances in conflict therewith.

The Township Board of South Haven Township, Van Buren County, Michigan does
ordain as follows:

Section 1. That a certain document, three (3) copies of which are on file in the office of the Fire Marshall of South Haven Township , being marked and designated as the International Fire Code, including Appendix Chapters A, B, C, D, E, F, and G, as published by the International Code Council, be and is hereby adopted as the code of South Haven Township for regulating and governing the safeguarding of life and property from fire and explosion hazards arising from the storage, handling and use of hazardous substances, materials and devices, and from conditions hazardous to life or property in the occupancy of buildings and premises in South Haven Township and providing for the issuance of permits for hazardous uses or operations; and each and all of the regulations, provisions, conditions and terms of such International Fire Code, 2003 edition, published by the International Code Council, on file in the office of the Township Clerk and Fire Marshall are hereby referred to, adopted and made a part hereof as if fully set out in this ordinance.

Section 2. That the following sections are hereby revised:

Section 101.1 Insert: South Haven Township

Section 109.3. Insert: Misdemeanor Offence, amount of \$500 dollars, 90 days

Section 111.4. Insert: not less than \$100.00 or more than \$500.00

Section 3. That the limits referred to in certain sections of the 2003 International Fire Code are hereby established as follows:

Section 3204.3.1.1 (not more than 999 water gallons nor within 500 feet of a residential neighborhood or as permitted by the fire code official and/or the 2003 International Fire Code)

Section 3404.2.9.5.1 (not more than 999 water gallons nor within 500 feet of a residential neighborhood or as permitted by the fire code official and/or the 2003 International Fire Code)

Section 3406.2.4.4 (within 500 feet of a residential neighborhood or as permitted by the fire code official and/or the 2003 International Fire Code)

Section 3804.2 (not more than 2,000 water gallons within 500 feet of a residential neighborhood or as permitted by the fire code official and/or the 2003 International Fire Code)

Section 4. That Resolution No. 01-02 of South Haven Township entitled 2000 International Fire Code and all other ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 5. That if any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance. The South Haven Township Board hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance, and each section, subsection, clause or phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses and phrases be declared unconstitutional.

Section 6. That the South Haven Township Clerk is hereby ordered and directed to cause this ordinance to be published.

Section 7. That this ordinance and the rules, regulations, provisions, requirements, orders and matters established and adopted hereby shall take effect and be in full force and effect 10/30, 2005 from and after the date of its final passage and adoption.

EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall take effect seven (7) days following publication, following adoption.

Ordinance Received	09/14/05	Kathy Poindexter, Clerk
Submittal Notice	10/02/05	South Haven Charter Township
Ordinance Adopted	10/12/05	09761 Blue Star Highway
Adoption Notice	10/23/05	South Haven, MI 49090
Effective	10/30/05	(269) 637-3305