

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
Town of Springfield, Vermont
Board of Selectmen

The Springfield, Vermont Board of Selectmen will hold a Public Hearing and Second Review on Monday, October 12, 2015 at 7:00 PM at 96 Main Street, Selectmen's Hall, Springfield, Vermont to receive Public Input on a proposed revision of Ordinance 2015-2, Chapter 1 General Provisions, Section 1-14 Issuing Municipal Officials(s), add paragraph (6).

The purpose of the proposed ordinance revision is to add Chapter 1, Section 1-14 Issuing Municipal, Paragraph (6) to add the Town Constable to the list of issuing municipal officials for enforcing ordinances contained in the Springfield Code.

Please note the attachment copy of the proposed Ordinance. If you would like a copy, please stop by the Town Manager's Office at the Town Hall between the hours of 8:00 AM and 4:30 PM, Monday through Friday.

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TOWN OF SPRINGFIELD
ORDINANCE 2015-2

SHORT TITLE: An ordinance to amend the Administrative Code;
Chapter 1. General Provisions
Section 1-14 Issuing Municipal Official(s)
Added Paragraph (6)

CATEGORY: New Legislation

PROCEDURE: 1) Introduction-First Review: Read and amended at regular
Select Board meeting on September 14, 2015 and entered in the
minutes of that meeting which were approved on _____.

2) Second Review and Public Hearing: _____, 2015.

3) Additional Second Review and Public Hearing:

4) Notice of Hearing posted in public places on _____, 2015
and published on _____, 2015.

5) Date of adoption _____, 2015.

6) Other actions.

AUTHORITY: This ordinance is adopted by the Select Board of the Town of Springfield
under authority of Vt. Statutes, Title 24 Sec. 1971, Springfield Charter
Art. One, §V.

PURPOSE: It is the purpose of this ordinance to add the Town Constable to the list of
issuing municipal officials for enforcing ordinances as contained in the
Springfield Code.

Approved as to form: _____, 2015
And as revised on: _____
And as adopted on: _____, 2015

Stephen S. Ankuda, Esquire
Town Attorney

CHAPTER 1
GENERAL PROVISIONS

Section 1-14 Issuing Municipal Official(s)

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- (6) Any Springfield Town Constable.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This ordinance shall become effective 60 days after its adoption by the Springfield Select Board. If a petition is filed under Vt. Statutes, Title 24, Sec. 1973, this statute shall govern the taking effect of this ordinance.

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Dated:

(b) In addition to the penalty hereinabove provided, any condition caused or permitted to exist in violation of any of the provisions of this Code or any such ordinance or resolution shall be deemed a public nuisance and may be, by the town, abated as provided by law and equity including but not limited to an injunction and each day that such condition continues shall be regarded as a new and separate offense.

Charter reference—Penalty, art. one, V, J.

Cross references—Penalty for violation of the Alcoholic Beverage Open Container Law, § 3-32; penalties for the violation of the animal control provisions, § 4-36; fine for violation of traffic regulations, § 12-77; fine, penalties, procedures relating to parking violations, § 12-129.

State law references—Enforcement and penalty provision of ordinances, 24 V.S.A. § 1974(a); abatement and enjoining of violations, 24 V.S.A. 1974(b).

Sec. 1-14. Issuing municipal official(s).

The issuing municipal official(s) authorized for enforcing ordinances as contained in this Code shall be:

- (1) The town manager;
- (2) Any police officer of the Town of Springfield;
- (3) The zoning administrator for zoning and subdivision violations only;
- (4) Any full-time fire department employee for burn permit violations only;
- (5) The health officer and deputy health officer(s) for health and sanitation violations.

(Ord. No. 94-1, § 1, 12-19-94)

Sec. 1-15. Appearing municipal official(s).

The appearing municipal official(s) at traffic and municipal ordinance hearings and appeals shall be:

- (1) The chief of police or his/her designee on all violations of the Code of Ordinances except zoning and subdivisions.