

Chapter 8

FIRE PREVENTION AND PROTECTION*

Art.	I.	In General, 8-1-8-15
Art.	II.	Fire Prevention Code, 8-16, 8-17

ARTICLE I. IN GENERAL

Sec. 8-1. Fire Department.

- (a) There is hereby established a Fire Department. The Fire Department shall be composed of the fire chief and such other persons as may be authorized by the Board of Commissioners.
- (b) The fire chief or his delegate shall be in charge of the Fire Department at all times.
(Code 1953, 4.0101, 4.0103)

Cross reference-Privileges granted to emergency vehicles, 11-214.

Secs. 8-2-8-15. Reserved.

ARTICLE II. FIRE PREVENTION Code

Sec. 8-16. Adopted.

- (a) There is hereby adopted by reference the Uniform Fire Code current edition, as published by the International Conference of Building Officials and the Western Fire Chiefs Association. A copy of said publication is on file in the office of the City Fire Chief and is available and subject to public inspection at the City Fire Hall.
(Ord. No. 1263, 05-18-98)
- (b) It shall be unlawful for any person to violate any of the provisions of the Code adopted by this Section.
(Code 1953, 4.0301; Ord. No. 680, 4-29-68)

State law reference-Power of City to adopt by reference, SDCL 1967, 9-19-7.

Sec. 8-17. Conflicts.

If any provision of the Code adopted by this article is in conflict with any other Ordinance, said other Ordinance shall prevail.
(Code 1953, 4.0302; Ord. No. 680, 4-29-68)

Secs. 8-18-8-24.

ARTICLE III. DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN

Sec. 8-25. Establishment.

The City of Madison does hereby establish a Deferred Compensation Plan for the members of the Madison Fire Department.

Sec. 8-26. Funding.

The Deferred Compensation Plan shall be funded initially by an appropriation by the City of Madison and the annual fire insurance premium reversion money received by the Madison Fire Department. Thereafter, the funding for the plan shall be provided by the annual fire insurance premium reversion money as determined by the Deferred Compensation Committee of the Madison Fire Department and any other funds made available to the Deferred Compensation Committee.

Sec. 8-27. Administration.

The Deferred Compensation Plan shall be managed and administered by the Deferred Compensation Plan Committee of the Madison Fire Department in accordance with all-applicable state and federal laws and regulations. The Deferred Compensation Committee shall consist of the Secretary/Treasurer of the Madison Fire Department and three at large members of the Madison Fire Department. A copy of the Annual Financial Statement shall be placed on file in the City Finance Office and an audit may be performed by the City Commission.

Sec. 8-28. Participation.

The program of the Deferred Compensation Plan and the requirements for participation therein shall be established by majority vote of the membership of the Madison Fire Department at a regularly scheduled meeting. The Deferred Compensation Plan and the requirements for participation therein may be amended by majority vote of the membership of the Madison Fire Department.

Sec. 8-29. Termination.

If for any reason this program is terminated, all appropriated funds shall revert to the members of the Madison Fire Department.
(Ord. No. 1286, 07-26-99)

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***Cross references**-Buildings, Ch. 6; electricCity, Ch. 7; plumbing, Ch. 16; water, sewers and sewage disposal, Ch. 22.

State law reference-Power of City to provide fire protection and safety regulations, SDCL 1967, Ch. 9-33.