## SECTION 10-3-2 BUILDING PERMITS AND INSPECTION

## Section 1 – Permit Required

No owner or contractor may commence construction of any building or mechanical system prior to obtaining a valid permit from the municipal Building Inspector.

- 1) The construction which shall require a permit includes, but is not limited to:
  - a) New 1 & 2 family and commercial building including agricultural buildings, detached structures (decks), residential accessory buildings, and detached garages.
  - b) Additions increase the physical dimensions of a building including decks.
  - c) Alterations to the building structure, cost shall include market labor value, or alterations to the building's heating, electrical, or plumbing systems.
  - d) Replacement of major building equipment including furnaces and central air conditioners, water heaters, and any other major piece of equipment shall require a permit except as noted in below.
  - e) Any electrical wiring for new construction or remodeling excluding new wiring for existing industrial and manufacturing facilities that do not require State mandated building plan review.
  - f) Any HVAC for new construction or remodeling.
  - g) Any plumbing for new construction or remodeling.
  - h) Any new or re-wired electrical service, including services for agricultural buildings.

## Section 2 — Adoption of State Codes

I) The following Chapters of the Wisconsin Administrative Code, as well as all subsequent revisions, are adopted by the Municipality and shall be enforced by the Building Inspector.

Ch. SPS 302.31 Plan Review Fee Schedule

Ch. SPS 305 Credentials
Ch. SPS 316 Electrical Code

Chs. SPS 320-325 Uniform Dwelling Code

Ch. SPS 327 Campgrounds

Chs. SPS 361-366 Commercial Building Code

Chs. SPS 375-379 Buildings Constructed Prior to 1914

Chs. SPS 381-387 Uniform Plumbing Code

Inspector may require the production of the permit for any building, plumbing, electrical, or heat work. No person shall interfere with or refuse to permit access to any such premises to the Inspector or his/her agent while in the performance of his/her duties. In the event that the Inspector is refused access to any such premises, then the Inspector is authorized to apply for a special inspection warrant pursuant to Wis. Stat. 66.0119.

APPLICATION. Application for a building permit shall be made in writing upon a form furnished by the Village Clerk-Treasurer and shall state the name and address of the owner of the land, and also the owner of the building, if different, the legal description of the land upon which the building is to be located, and shall contain such other information as the Village Clerk-Treasurer may require for effective enforcement of this section.

COMPLIANCE WITH STATE BUILDING CODE. In making any improvement for which a permit is required by this Chapter, the owner shall comply with the requirements of the State Building Code. The Village shall have no responsibility to advise the owner or inspect the improvement to insure that the owner has complied with the provisions of the State Building Code.

FEES. The fees for building permits are outlined on the fee schedule at the Village Clerk's office.

## Violations and Penalties

- l) Prohibition. No person, entity, or firm may construct, remodel, demolish, or repair any building in a manner which violates any provision or provisions of this ordinance
- 2) Every person, firm, or entity which violates this code shall, upon conviction, forfeit not less than \$25.00 nor more than \$1,000.00 for each day of non-compliance, together with the costs of prosecution.
- 3) Violations discovered by the Building Inspector shall be corrected within 30 days, or more if allowed by the Inspector, after written notice is given, Violations involving life safety issues shall be corrected in a reasonable time frame established by the Building Inspector.
- 4) Compliance with the requirements of this ordinance is necessary to promote the safety, health, and wellbeing of the community and the owners, occupants, and frequenters of buildings. Therefore, violations of this ordinance shall constitute a public nuisance that may be enjoined in a civil action.